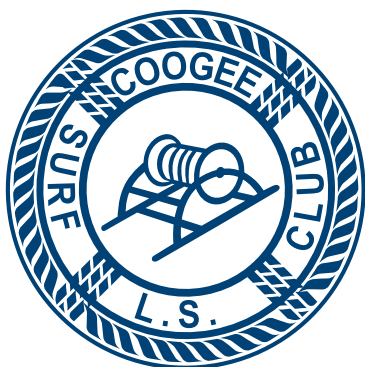


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Notice of 112th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING SUNDAY 5 AUGUST 2018



NOTICE is hereby given that the 112th Annual General Meeting of the Coogee Surf Life Saving Club Incorporated will be held in the Jack CANNOT Ocean Room, Coogee Surf Life Saving Club on Sunday 5 August 2018 commencing at 10.00am.

AGENDA

Pursuant to Rule 83 of the Rules, business will be conducted as follows:

1. Opening of the meeting by the Chairperson;
2. Apologies;
3. Minutes silence;
4. Adoption of the minutes of the 111th Annual General Meeting;
5. Presentation of the 112th Annual Report;
6. 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 2018-2019;
9. General business as may be transacted according to the rules.

NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICE BEARERS

Nominations are now called for the Office Bearers of the Club for the season 2018-2019.

Nominations must be in writing, proposed and seconded by members of the Club and accompanied by the written consent of the candidate.

Nominations must be lodged no later than eight days prior to the Annual General Meeting. Nominations closed at 10.00am on Saturday 28 July 2018.

Pursuant to rule 29(a)(iii), in the case of the offices of: Club Captain, Club Vice Captain, Boat Captain, Boat Vice Captain, Junior Captain, Chief Instructor, Assistant Chief Instructor, IRB Captain, IRB Vice Captain, Surf Board Riding Captain, Board & Ski Captain, Radio Officer, Chief Gear Steward, Assistant Gear Steward, and Beach Captain, all nominations shall be made by active members and only active members may be nominated for these positions.

PROPOSED NOTICES OF MOTION

Notice is hereby given of the following motion that will be put before the next annual general meeting of Coogee Surf Life Saving Club Inc:

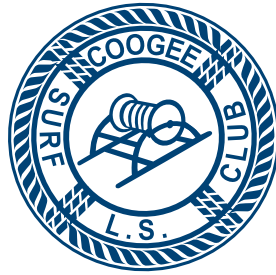
Notice of Motion 2017-2018 #1

Nomination for award of "1907" Foundation Medal for Annual General Meeting 5 August 2018

Proposer: Penny MacKenzie
Seconder: Matt Fernandez

Motion

That Carolyn Martin be awarded the "1907" Foundation Medal.



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OFFICE BEARERS

PATRONS

Mr Matt Thistlethwaite
MP

Mr Bruce Notley-Smith
MP

Cr Lindsay Shurey

Mr C. Barrie Cribb
ASM

CLUB GOVERNORS

David 'Luna' Park
Tony Waller

OFFICERS OF THE CLUB

President
Mark Doepel

Deputy President
Matt Fernandez

Honorary Secretary
Pat Garcia

Honorary Treasurer
Rhys Atkinson

Assistant Treasurer
Julian La Rosa

Assistant Secretary
Troy Swan

Vice Presidents
Paul Beale
Jerry Vochtelloo
Rob Yeldon

Club Captain
Andrew Gardiner

Club Vice Captain
Emma Gill

Competition Director
John McDonald

Ass. Competition Director
Mark Harrison

Social Coordinator
Olivia Gardiner

Bar Manager
Simon Figures

Club Councilman
David Smith

Delegate to SLSS
Tass Karozis

Publicity Officer
Matthew Scanlon

Junior Captain
Andi Illidge

Chief Instructor
George Fatseas

Ass. Chief Instructor
Wayne Penn

First Aid Officer
Mihalis Papadopoulos

Gear Steward
Andrew Tooher

Ass. Gear Steward
Julien Vincent

IRB Captain
Scott Parker

Vice IRB Captain
Padraig Crudden

Registrar
Debbie Zonich

Junior Development Officer
Cameron Callaghan

Proficiency Officer
Adam Treharne

Patrol Supervisor
Scott Muir

Radio Officer
Paul Stiff

Coaching Coordinator
Warwick Everingham

R&R Captain
Rod Wallace

Board & Ski Captain
Michael Cantarella

Vice Board & Ski Captain
Craig Bennett

Boat Captain
Rebecca Hamilton

Vice Boat Captain
David Smith

Beach Captain
Mark Harrison

Board Riding Captain
Julian La Rosa

Gym Coordinator
David Smith

March Past Captain
Helen Murphy

Touring Team Manager
John McDonald

Touring Team Fundraiser
John McDonald

STATUTORY APPOINTMENTS

Public Officer
Catie Anderson

Liquor Licensee
Simon Figures

Honorary Solicitor
Peter Court

Honorary Auditor
Greg Middleton

APPOINTED POSITIONS
Wylies Bath Trustee
Tony Waller

Administration Manager
Karen Beale

Administration
Tracey Bloxsom

Functions Manager
Trudy Jones
Karen Beale

IT Officer
Jerry Vochtelloo

Child Protection Officer
Nikki Westwell

WH&S Officer
Matt Spooner

Grievance Officer
Geoffrey Martin
OAM*
Catie Anderson

Minnows Delegate
Steve O'Donnell

Penguins Delegate
Bruce Hammond

Ass. First Aid Officer
Stu Fillman

Sponsorship Committee Chair
Rob Yeldon

Building Committee Chair
Matthew Scanlon

Licensee
Simon Figures

**denotes deceased*



STATISTICS

RESCUES	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
No Gear	1	0	3	8
Rescue Tube	10	23	2	10
Rescue Board	29	12	7	10
IRB	15	12	17	4
Other	55	56	9	1
TOTAL	110	103	38	33

Preventative Actions	837	2135	1600	711
Lost Children	34	29	11	12
Searches	7	7	4	2
Shark Alarm	0	1	1	0
TOTAL	878	2172	1616	725

FIRST AID CASES				
Minor First Aid	107	118	105	82
Major First Aid	6	10	5	3
Marine Stings	108	762	469	367
Breaks/Dislocations	7	6	3	3
Spinal Injuries	6	16	5	9
Resuscitation	2	1	0	0
Other	60	47	22	23
TOTAL	296	960	609	487
TOTAL INCIDENTS	1284	3235	2263	1245



MEMBERSHIP	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Life Member	16	15	15	15
Long Service	248	239	232	245
Reserve Active	29	37	50	59
Senior Active (18+)	465	453	479	486
Junior Active (15-18)	102	91	117	115
Cadet (13-15)	134	135	112	148
Leave	32	36	46	45
Probationary	0	0	0	0
Associate	229	209	195	188
Honorary	49	62	56	46
Junior Activities (Nippers)	922	878	881	934
General	165	179	191	144
TOTAL	2391	2334	2374	2425



CLUB FEES

*Fees for the 2017/18 season are now due. Applications will only be accepted when membership form is completed.
Fees received after 30 September 2018 will attract a late fee of \$25.*

MEMBERSHIP FEES

Life Member/75/50 Year	Nil
Long Service	\$80
Reserve Active	\$80
Senior Active (18yrs and over)	\$80
Junior Active (15-18 yrs)	\$80
Cadet/SRC (13-15yrs)	\$50
Over-70 Membership	\$50
General *	\$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. Please return your gym membership form with your subscription. Failure to renew gym membership by 30 September 2018 will result in electronic fob deactivation.

Associates	\$180
Active 18 (Over)	\$120
Active 18 (15-18)	\$50
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



MARK DOEPEL

There are mixed emotions as I write this, my last President's report for the 112th Annual Report.



Life Members Back Row: Chris Gately, Matt Scanlon, Warwick Everingham, Paul Leary, Tony Waller, Gary Daly. Front Row: Rob Yeldon, Mick Oxborrow, Barry Telford, Rod Colman

Certainly a sense of sadness, as I leave the position after three rewarding years but also a sense of relief, in that I believe that I leave the club in a safe and secure position. There is no doubt that the Club overall has faced some challenges and hurdles over the course of the last three seasons. Storm damage, ongoing repairs and the increasing costs of running the Club, to name but a few, are perennial issues with which we must deal every season. That said, there is also no doubt that the Club thanks to the contribution of all members has continued to blossom and to go from strength to strength. Last season we won Club of the Year and this season we were one of only two finalists in this category. The evidence speaks for itself.

Our core activity is to patrol the beach, and it is often said by the older heads on the Club that if Lifesaving is running smoothly, then the Club is running smoothly. This has



Holly Abbey (R) winning the U15 Flag at the Aussie Titles

clearly been the case. Once again, we have maintained our record of “no lives lost”, and our lifesaving area has done an amazing job in the extended area for which the Club has taken

responsibility. I would like to thank Andy and Emma for all of the work that they have done over this season and the real leadership that they have shown as our premier life savers in the Club. Andy and Emma have been strongly supported by an amazing pool of talent, with outstanding patrol captains, vice captains, dedicated IRB drivers and crew. My thanks to all members of the Club who have fulfilled their life saving commitments.

Lifesaving could not be possible at without ongoing education and training, and George and his crew have again shown themselves to be leaders in this regard. Once again, Coogee has put forward the most number of awards for any club in the Branch District. The number of large bronze and special award squads that the Education area puts through is incredible and I would like to thank all trainers who help facilitate the lengthy ‘curriculum’ we facilitate in the Education area.

The Club also excelled in the competition area, and a large number of competitors made the long trip across the Nullarbor to the National Titles at Scarborough where we achieved gold across a number of events. We were probably most proud of the fact that we were recognised as the leading R&R club in Australia. Our Masters’ area also continues to grow and performed well across all areas of competition. We had a strong performance on the sand and in the water, and it is exciting to see the surf boat area continue to flourish, as the size and diversity of the crews increases from season to season. A very special thanks to John and Hector for making the competition area run like clockwork.

Our signature events of the Coogee Island Challenge and the Coogee Carnival are permanent keystone fixtures in the Club’s calendar. This year we saw record numbers for both the November and



the April island swims and the Coogee Carnival (where the surf boats are back) remains one of Australia's oldest and longest running surf carnivals. My thanks especially to Lisa Bolton, Heather Morris (and family!), Jerry Vochteloo and Tass Karozis in relation to a seamless Coogee Island Challenge x 2 and also to Peter Kennedy for a super human effort in getting the Carnival up and running.

These major events could not be run without the assistance of the Branch support services of the jet ski and off shore rescue boat and we as a club are very grateful indeed for this support.

I would also like to recognise and thank Randwick Council, in particular the Randwick City Lifeguards for all their support both in relation to lifesaving, these events and generally. These true professionals are an absolute pleasure to work with. The Council too continues to provide support above and beyond our expectations.

So, a very busy season indeed. But, even with all this going on, we are still able to host one of the country's largest nipper areas and the work done by all in the Minnows area is truly extraordinary. Applause to Steve and crew for putting on this major part of the Club and one of the more enjoyable roles I took on this season was in helping run the Under 6 and 7 activities – exhausting! I think that Bec Waugh will do an outstanding job as she now takes the reigns in this demanding role.

Thanks to all committee members, from lifesaving through building and on to sponsorship. You guys are a pleasure to work with. I would also especially like to acknowledge and thank the work of Simon "Faf" Figures and all bar staff for making



the Sunday bar and functions run like a well-oiled machine.

As I mentioned at the Annual Dinner, the role of President is not an easy one. There are difficult decisions to make and constant demands made on your time. You can lose a lot of skin in the game and even friendships can be put in jeopardy and, regrettably, sometimes lost. That said, it is without doubt the most rewarding job in the Club as it gives you an opportunity to see how the whole of the Club operates and fits together. We have an extraordinary operation in our volunteer community organisation and one we can all be proud of.

My job could not be done without support and counsel. I thank the governors and the life members for their time, encouragement and suggestions, and I also thank the support of the members of the Executive over the last three years: Rob, Tass, Matt, Andy, Rhys and Pat. For counsel, I must especially thank both Pat Garcia and Gary Daly for always having the time to hear me out and guide me through the sometimes

choppy and perilous waters. Vigilance and service indeed.

Finally, a very special thank you to the incredible Karen, Tracey and Trudy for all the extraordinary work you have done and the hours that you have given to front office operations. The club could not function without you. If you're not dealing with collapsed ceilings, or leaking roofs or electrical faults, then you're arranging functions, coordinating staff and dealing with constant phone calls. You are grace personified.

It's been a pleasure but moreover an honour to be the president of what is undoubtedly Australia's best surf lifesaving club. As a nod to our recently passed member, Geoff Martin OAM, I am pleased to say, from now on, you'll either find me down at the beach having a swim or in the Club having a beer. Feel free to say hi.

Mark Doppel
President

Secretary's Report



PAT GARCIA

I hope you enjoy the new format of this year's Annual Report. It is the brainchild of Annual Report editor Tracey Bloxsom.



2017-18 Executive: Rhys Atkinson, Matt Fernandez, Mark Doepel, Pat Garcia, Andy Gardiner

While the report includes everything you've come to expect from an annual report, you will notice a number of changes. First, you will note that this year's report merges the Annual Report with the Annual Minnows report. Second, you will note it has been structured to be more accessible, for example, the President's Addendum is now a report at the front of the booklet. Third, you will observe some stylistic changes. If you look closely you will notice that the club emblem on the cover is the life members emblem and the font used for the headings incorporates the rope from the 1916 club emblem. In so doing, we hope to recall some of the wonderful history of this club of ours. Finally, you will notice that the report, for the first time, is completely in colour. Enjoy!

In the 112th season patrolling Coogee beach, the members of Coogee SLSC can once more proudly proclaim that no lives were lost. This was a quieter season for us. There

were no violent storms wreaking havoc on the clubhouse or drunk revellers trashing the beach on a public holiday. Instead, our members were left to diligently go about their business patrolling Coogee beach, saving lives and teaching the community surf awareness.

This season our members performed more than 24,000 patrol hours. During this time, they performed 33 rescues, dealt with 487 first aid incidents (13 of which required ambulances); cared for 12 lost children; and performed more than 700 preventative actions. Congratulations to our Club Captain Andy Gardiner, Vice Captain Emma Gill, the lifesaving committee, patrol captains and patrolling members on another successful season on Coogee beach. A special mention of Paul Lardi who was this year's Sydney Branch Patrol Captain of the Year – quite the honour.

The education area led by new Chief Instructor George Fatseas welcomed

113 new bronze holders this season and 72 Surf Rescue Certificate cadets. 34 senior members became IRB drivers while 31 members obtained their Advance Resus. In total, the club's members obtained 534 awards this season, the most in the branch and 55 more awards than last season. Congratulations to all of our instructors on such an amazing effort and to all of our members who obtained an award this Summer.

The club's Competition Director extraordinaire John McDonald steps down this season having well and truly left his mark on the club's competition area. Quite simply, this area of the club goes from strength to strength

At Aussies this year, the club came 8th in the Masters with 131 points and 25th in the Opens with 30 points. It is worth noting the club was crowned champion R&R club for winning the most points in this area at Aussies. At the NSW State championships, the club came 5th in the Masters with 166 points and 9th in the Opens with 118 points. The club came 7th in the NSW State Age Championships with 150 points. At Branch the club 3rd in the Masters with 202 points; 5th in the Opens with 208 points; and 1st in Lifesaving with 86 points.

A number of our members found themselves atop the dais. Congratulations to our new Australian champions Holly Abbey in the U15 Beach Flags; Bianca Wallace, Chloe Walker, Grace McDonald, Samantha Gately and Yasmin Stutz in the U17 five Person R&R; Sophie McGovern in the U19 Beach Sprint; and Chris Gately, Jay Carter, Charles Fountain, Grant and Drew Hayes in the Open Five Person R&R. A special mention of Holly Abbey who won Sydney branch ul5 Athlete of the Year.

Congratulations again to the competitors, coaches, officials and supporters who contributed to another successful competition season for the two blues.

Minnows Captain Steve O'Donnell also stepped down this season, handing over the reigns of our junior section to Bec Waugh. Under Steve's leadership, our junior members obtained 909 awards this season. It is with a sense of wonder that we witness the Coogee Minnows team managing more than 900 children on the beach each Sunday. The average size nippers operation in our branch

is a little under 400. The smooth operation of an undertaking the scale of Coogee Minnows is a tribute to Steve's leadership, the contribution of the Minnows Committee and the wonderful support of the club's many age managers and age assistants.

At the Annual General Meeting last year, Matt Fernandez was awarded the '1907' Foundation Medal for sustained and distinguished service to the club over multiple seasons. Matt, of course, has been Deputy President of the club for the past three seasons – a position that now sits on the Executive Committee of the club.

The club held numerous social events this season under the direction of Social Director Olivia Gardiner including the Ladies Lunch on 5 August 2017, the season opener Halloween Party on 13 October 2017, the interclub bar hop on 5 November 2017, the various Coogee Island Challenge after parties, the 50 year long service function on 20 April 2018, the season closer party on 6 May 2018, the awards presentation on 12 May 2018, and the Annual Dinner on 25 May 2018.

Congratulations to Doug Hawkins who received the Honour Blazer at the Annual Dinner; Rebecca Partridge who is this season's patrolperson of the Year; and Harrison Smiwh who was awarded the Sydney Credit Union Scholarship.

The Annual Coogee Diggers versus Coogee Surf Club 20 person swim relay was held on 19 October 2017. In this race, the competitors estimate their team's finishing time prior to race and the team that estimates the finishing time most accurately wins. This year the Two Blues gave the Diggers a 290 second handicap lead and won the annual trophy for the second year in a row.

Each year the club remembers the 84 club members joined the AIF in the Great War (15 never returned to enjoy our wonderful beach), the 172 members who fought in the Second World War (eight never returned) as well as those that served in the many conflicts our Country has been involved in. As in previous years, the club held its ANZAC commemoration on Sunday 22 April with the assistance of local district clubs, the local sub-branch of the RSL, and the local scouts group. Thank you to David Park for organising this event once again. Lest we forget.

The Coogee Minnows also ran their Coogee Dippers program this season – a modified nippers program

for children with disabilities. It is a wonderful program in its second year at the club and looks to becoming a staple of the Coogee Minnows calendar.

On Friday 24 November, club members also joined the White Ribbon march at Coogee raising awareness about domestic violence.

Our club's two wonderful island swims continue to be a strong source of funds for our club. This year, the Coogee Island Challenge was held on Sunday 26 November 2017 and 8 April 2018. Wonderful weather conditions on both days saw just under 1500 entrants participate in the November swim and 1300 entrants in the April swim. Thanks, as always go to our event sponsor Renault and to our event organisers - Jerry Vochteloo, Heather Morris, and Lisa Bolton.

This season we bade farewell to Geoff Martin OAM in tragic circumstances. Geoff was the club's serving Grievance Officer and Randwick District's Secretary at the time of his passing. He was also a 50 year member, a former Club President, a '1907' award recipient, an honour blazer recipient and for many decades a competition official at all levels. Geoff was awarded a Citation of Merit from the International Life Saving Federation and an Australian Honour (OAM) for services to Athletics and Surf Life Saving. Geoff could always be found on the beach having a swim, or at the clubhouse having a beer.

The club also bade farewell to former march past standard bearer and former Wallabies Captain Sir Nicholas Shehadie, as well as 50 year long service members Robert Brown and Peter 'Spider' Farthing.

As in previous seasons, our club's valuable community service would not be possible without the significant financial support of our longstanding sponsors – Coogee Bay Hotel, Randwick City Council and Sydney Credit Union. On behalf of the many members of our club and those that we serve on the beach, I would like to thank our club sponsors for being part of our little community, and of course, our Sponsorship Committee, and Committee Chair - Life Member and former President, Rob Yeldon.

It doesn't feel like long ago that Karen joined us as the club's first full time employee. Since that time, the services of the club's office staff – Karen Beale, Tracey Bloxsom and Trudy Jones – have become integral

to the club's operations. Thank you for your daily service of the club and its members. It is also worth noting that Trudy Jones left the office this year. Trudy served everyone with a smile and contributed in significant ways to the functions area of our club. I also thank Assistant Secretary Troy Swan for all the all too often unrecognised administrative work he does for our club; Rob Gibellini for his continuing service to the club in the sponsorship area; the club Governors David 'Luna' Park and Tony Waller for their wise counsel and constant service (congratulations to Tony who was elected Director of Education at Surf Life Saving New South Wales this year); Andy Gardiner for taking the reigns of lifesaving in a successful first season as Club Captain; Club Treasurer Rhys Atkinson for driving so many club initiatives forward; and Deputy President Matt Fernandez for his leadership and strong support of the Club Executive.

This was the final season of our irrepressible Club President Mark Doepel. Mark guided the club through a significant period of change as the clubhouse was ravaged by storms, walls came tumbling down, sheds were flooded, drunk revellers trashed our beach, we lost life member John 'Lemo' LeMarseny, the promenade was redeveloped, and we endorsed and received DA approval for new plans for our clubhouse. A wonderful public speaker, Mark was able to articulate the interests and concerns of our membership to the outside world working with the community, branch, SLSNSW, sponsors and government to find support for our club in the most unlikely places. Mark leaves our club stronger than he found it and continues the long line of dependable and sensible Presidents that have served our community. On behalf of a grateful club, I thank Mark for his vision, dependability, leadership and for serving the club at its highest level.

Finally, as in previous seasons, thank you to all of you for being a party of our community and for continuing the wonderful traditions of our great club. See you on the beach!

The Honorary Secretary thanks the annual report's editor and producer this year, Tracey Bloxsom, and all those who contributed. The Club Executive wishes all members a safe and restful off-season and looks forward to seeing you all on Coogee Beach next season.

CLUB AWARDS

HONOR BLAZER Doug Hawkins



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.

Sponsor: David "Luna" Park

MAURIE DALY MEMORIAL AWARD/ SYDNEY CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP Harrison Smith



Maurie Daly was a long-time associate of the Club, a Life Member and president of Wylies Baths, and, for 27 years, the general manager of Sydney Credit Union. 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 SCU More Generous Banking and is to assist the member with financial costs of their study.

Sponsor: SCU More Generous Banking

SINGER-YEO ROOKIE OF THE YEAR Ben Jordan



This award is given in memory of the Clubs 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: Pat Garcia

GATELY FAMILY TROPHY Club Champions Male: Angus Bennett Female: 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: Barrie Cribb, ASM

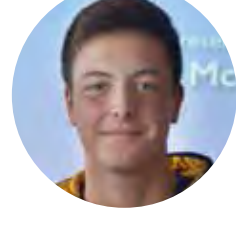
PATROL PERSON OF THE YEAR Rebecca Partridge



This award recognises the achievements of the Club's patrolling lifesavers. It is awarded to the member who has completed 100% patrol attendance, demonstrated a proficiency in lifesaving skills through a series of tests and has shown a significant commitment to the Club and the community it serves.

Sponsor: Rob Gibellini

COL & JACK SCOTT MEMORIAL AWARD Most Outstanding Junior Will Davison



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: Minnows

CLUB AWARDS



MILTON COUGHLAN MEMORIAL AWARD
Junior Club Champion
Luke Porter-Daly



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

Sponser: Craig Bennett

ROD MILLER MEMORIAL AWARD
Most Improved Junior
Sean Bond



This award is named after Rod Miller, one of the 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 course of the season.

Sponser: Minnows

JUNIOR PATROL SERVICES AWARD
Charlotte McHenry



For a Junior who gives excellent service over the season.

Sponser: Minnows

STAN WINDON MEMORIAL AWARD
Most Outstanding Cadet
Holly Abbey



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.

Sponser: Craig Bennett

THE REG JOHNSTON MEMORIAL AWARD
Most Improved Cadet
Charlie Moore



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's shown outstanding improvement during the season.

Sponser: Peter Court

CADET PATROL SERVICES AWARD
Luella Beaumont



For a Cadet who gives excellent service over the season.

Sponser: Minnows

OTHER AWARDS

SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY BRANCH AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE 2017-18

Patrol Captain of the Year

Paul Lardi

Under 15 Athlete of the Year

Holly Abbey

Most Awards, Randwick District

Coogee SLSC

SLSNSW LIFE MEMBERSHIP

Congratulations to Gary Daly,
Coogee Life Member who was made
Life Member of Surf Life Saving NSW

SURF LIFE SAVING AUSTRALIA 75 YEAR MEMBERSHIP

Barrie Cribb ASM
Kevin Turner

SURF LIFE SAVING AUSTRALIA 50 YEAR MEMBERSHIP

Richard Evans
Geoffrey Martin OAM*

* denotes deceased

PATROL PARTICIPATION AWARD

- P1. Darci Walsh
- P2. Davis, Kyle
- P3. Brouw, Ethan
- P4. Magee, Conor
- P5. Jordan, Ben
- P6. Peshevski, Alex
- P7. Culliver, Paul
- P8. Paget, Ryan
- P9. Askham, Emma
- P10. Hooker, Peter
- P11. Charles, Leah
- P12. Deas, Alexandra
- P13. Appel, Jeffrey
- P14. Godfrey, Sally
- P15. Neilson, Ingrid

PATROL OF THE YEAR - PATROL 5

Patrol Captain

Beck Mister

Vice Captain

Carol Russell

Patrol Members

Andrews, Jake
Andrews, Liam
Ashton, Alfie
Bensan, Atagun
Bodkin, Eliza
Brereton, Chris
Campbell, Shannon
Cheer, Gary
Cook, Jen
Douglas, Gavin
Emery, Matilda
Gardiner, Olivia
Illidge, Ethan
Jenkins, David
Jordan, Ben
Kelly, Cat
Littlejohn, Marcus
McDonald, Grace
McGhee, Abi
McGhee, Jaz
McLean, Finn
Mendes, Nubia
Moles, Angela
Poidevin, Gabriel
Preston, Brock
Spielman, Nate
Stiff, Anthony
Stiff, Lizi
Stock, Peter
Tate, Lucy
Ukena, Krissy
Wilson, Ben
Wilson, Harry
Wu, Lindsay



*Gary Daly (R) being presented his SLSNSW Life Membership by
SLSNSW President David Murray*



Lifesaving



Our club has a proud tradition of proclaiming each season - 'No lives lost'. Our members remain committed to the cause of zero preventable deaths on our little patch of the Pacific Ocean.





Club Captain Report



ANDY GARDINER

This season has seen many successes and I'd like to congratulate all our Life Savers on a fantastic year.

This was my first year as Club Captain and I have clearly inherited a very strong platform across all areas.

The patrols had their fair share of challenges this season, completing more than 24,000 hours of patrol. With the hot weather, came big crowds to the beach, as expected. The wagging tail of the endless summer also meant that the teams were pushed right through to the end of the season, with the last patrol not until the 29th of April.

During the course of patrolling, there were many incidents on the beach and in the water, including a number of spinal injuries, minor and major cuts and abrasions and even a few fractures and dislocations enough to satisfy the most dedicated of life savers. As always, the 15 Patrol and

Vice-Captains, along with the support of their higher award and bronze medallion patrol members ensured we had positive outlooks in every case by the time the people left the beach.

Both Coogee Island Challenges were well attended, despite the cold water in November, and were equally well supported by our pool of tireless volunteers, ably led by Jerry Vochteloo and Lisa Bolton. A big thanks to those two who continue to give their time year after year to make the events the successes they are. The April swim was by far the busiest we have had in many years, with more than 1,300 swimmers and was a fitting testament to the effort, experience and attention to detail the club, the volunteers and the organisers put in every time.

Rolling forward through the

season, the Coogee Carnival was another great event for the club. Peter Kennedy has managed this for the club for many years but was kind enough to give us one last year. Our sincere thanks go to him for all his efforts and also to Tass Karozis who bravely stepped forward to take on the mantle of Carnival Organiser. Thank you to both of these tireless club members and we look forward to continuing to put on one of the best surf carnivals in the competition calendar.

George Fatseas and Wayne Penn led our Education area this season, as Chief Training Officer and Assistant Chief Training Officer respectively. Their dedicated team of trainers managed the huge task of educating our members and by the end of the season, Coogee had another 113 new bronze medallion holders, as well as 72 Minnows who completed their Surf Rescue Certificates and took their places in the patrols. Together with IRB driver and crew awards, beach management, first aid, advanced resuscitation, pain management, gold medallion and of course new trainer awards, Coogee produced a total of 534 new awards this season, the most in the branch.

The Minnows also had an enormous season in education with 909 nippers gaining surf education awards and 12 new age manager awards.



All told, Coogee produced a total of 1455 awards during the 2017-18 season, by far the most across the branch (for those interested, Bronte was next with a total of 1144 awards, mainly through their nippers program).

Skills Maintenance featured highly this season, headed up by Adam Treharne as the Proficiency Officer. A huge thank you to him as he oversaw three full service days, an evening ART skills maintenance and also co-ordinated more than 20 skills maintenance sessions on patrols across the season. Without his input none of us would be able to complete our annual skills maintenance obligations and wouldn't be able to patrol or compete.

With no major storm damage or flooding to contend with this season, we have been able to focus on consolidating our resources and reorganising the boat shed.

Following the opening of the new Lifeguard station, showers and changing rooms, the club was also provided a secure area, complete with movable racks to store our rescue boards. With the help of the members and co-ordination from our Gear Steward Andrew Tooher, we were able to relocate more than 30 rescue boards and 15 nipper mals to the centre of the beach. This has freed up space in the boat shed for us to reconfigure and maximise our storage for next season.

The patrol season came to a close with the patrol competition. The patrols competed in a mass Run Swim Run, tube relays, CPR and the much anticipated Patrol Captain's handicap sprint. The patrol members

then donned the red and yellow for the annual ANZAC Day march and service at the Fallen Life Saver Memorial.

Well done to all the members who made the effort to compete on the day. The results of the patrol competition were collated on the day and added to the patrol's scores from patrol inspections across the season. Congratulations to Beck Mister and Patrol 5 who took the honours as Patrol of the Year, but an honourable mention must also go to Paul Haes and Patrol 9 who were only 20 points behind across a 3000+ point competition. Both of these patrols have strong membership, a good blend of new and experienced life savers and are led with consummate skills by both Captains and Vice-Captains.

Congratulations to Rebecca Partridge who was awarded Patrol Person of the Year in what was also a very close competition.

Rookie of the Year was awarded to Ben Jordan, for his outstanding contribution in his first season with Coogee SLSC, which culminated in a Branch nomination for Rescue of the Month.

I have been lucky enough to have had the support of an outstanding Life Saving Committee comprising Vice-Captain Emma Gill, Chief Training Officer George Fatseas and his Assistant Wayne Penn, Registrar Debbie Zonich (surely the hardest job in the club), Committee Secretary Troy Swan, Patrol Supervisor Scott Muir, Proficiency Officer Adam Treharne, IRB Captain and Vice-Captain Scott Parker and Poddie Crudden, Gear Steward Andrew Tooher and his

assistant Julien Vincent, Radio Officer Paul Stiff and First Aid Officer Mihalios Papadopoulos.

A special mention must go to Andi Illidge who is stepping down as Junior Captain this season. Andi has brought enthusiasm and energy to the role and we thank her for all of her efforts over the last 3 seasons. I'm sure we will be able to find another role for her in the club sooner rather than later. We may let her get through her HSC first however! Good luck Andi.

Finally I'd like to congratulate Matt Spooner on his first season as Branch Life Saving Manager. Matt continues to be a member of Coogee SLSC and a valuable patrolling member. Congratulations also to Tony Waller, one of our Club Governors, on his appointment as Director of Education for SLS NSW and to Life Member Gary Daly who was awarded Life Membership of SLS NSW this season.

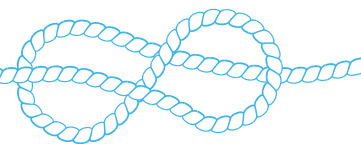
Now that my first season has come to a close, I'd like to thank all the patrolling members, Patrol Captains and Vice-Captains, particularly those who stepped into new roles this season, and the IRB Captain and his team, without whom we couldn't run our patrols or events.

Thanks also to the Life Saving Committee, the Club Executive and Management Committee and the Club Governors for all their support over the last 10 months.

See you on the beach!

Andy Gardiner
Club Captain

100% PATROL SERVICE



10 Years 100%

Paul Haes
Craig Howie
Geoff Leong
Alicia Miers
Beck Mister
Patrick Moore
Roger Moresi

5 Years 100%

Gary Cheer
Gobind Chera
Lawrence Cowen
Nora Cowen
Elizabeth Cummings
Peter Hooker
Andi Illidge
Adrian Johnson
Diana Jones
Alex Kroujov
Thomas Lance
Steve O'Donnell
David Paget
Scott Parker
Wayne Penn
Mary Ryan
Michael Scroop
Adam Treharne
Tom Waller

Reserve Active / Long Service 100%

Timothy Conomos
Patrick Garcia
Peter Harvie
Craig Howie
Robert Illidge
Ian Keller
Daniel Lavery
Geoffrey Leong
Rona Macniven
Rebecca Partridge
Jerry Vochtelloo
David Winkle

Active 100%

Stephanie Arathoon
Craig Askham
Pauline Askin
Hayden Bagnall
Lindsey Bailie
Adriana Bakovic
Michael Barnes
Jack Beale
Julia Beale
Morgan Bell
Sarah Bellenger
Angus Bennett
Jerry Berowne

Sean Bond
Stephen Bonser
Anthony Boyd
Christopher Brown
Steven Brown
Altin Bunaj
Mathew Burke
Aidan Byrne
Cameron Callaghan
James Campbell
Robert Campbell
Blair Chapman
Steven Cliffe
Sheridan Connon
Andrew Constantinou
Tracey Constantinou
Aideen Crowe
Padraig Crudden
Ruby Cuthbert
William Davison
Marieke D'cruz
Christopher Dean
Sharon Deans
Helen Deas
Mark Doepel
Amber Dommel
Lara Drabsch
Kim Durack
Philip Evans
George Fatseas
Stuart Fillman
Adriana Fiori
Ann Flynn
Sarah Flynn
Aisling Freiheit
Alena Freiheit
Wolfgang Freiheit
Ben Gallagher
Rachel Garcia
Andrew Gardiner
Olivia Gardiner
John Garland
Robin George
Emma Gill
Zachary Giltan
Sally Godfrey
Matthew Goodman
Andrew Grey
Elizabeth Grey
Philip Guiney
Anne-Lee Hakkennes
Mica Haneman
Joshua Hankn
Bethan Harris
Jon Harwin
Callum Hawkins
Doug Hawkins
Heather Hawkins
Clare Hayes-Bradley
Stuart Henderson

Kylee Heslop
Paul Hickey
Alexander Hillston
Joshua Hoad
Jake Hoare
Susan Hobby
Andrew Horne
Blake Hornsby
Susan Irvine
Susan Johnson
Derek Jones
Nicola Jones
Ben Jordan
Zoe Kander
Angela Karozis
Marcus Karozis
Tass Karozis
Gerry Karras
Michael Kavanagh
Stephanie Keenihan
Charlotte Kenny
Wayne Keyser
Adam King
Taylor Lamont
Petra Langan-Stark
Paul Lardi
Rebecca Lehman
Michael Lette
Jonty Littlewood
Astrid Macassey
Olivia McAusland
David McCarthy
Amelia McDonald
Grace McDonald
John McGhee
Charlotte McHenry
Sarah McMahon
Kelly McRae
Ian Mead
Samuel Mehta
Dane Melcum
Emily Miers
Stephanie Mifsud
Hugh Millar
Greg Miller
Chris Millist
Angela Moles
Tom Molomby
Antonia Morosi
Ian Mourant
Erin Mullan
Suzanne Mullen
Helen Murphy
Rebecca Murphy
Aonghus Murray
Samantha Murray
Isak Muyesser
Ingrid Neilson
Mark Neilson
Amy Neville

Oliver Nicholson
Cormac O'Connor
Micheal O'onnor
Timmy O'Keefe
Carmen Ossimitz
Maria Luise Ossimitz
Nikki Ozsdolay
Ryan Paget
Michail Papadopoulos
Michael Parsons
Fiona Peate
Alex Peshevski
Fiona Phelps
Raoul Plimer
Zak Pluta
Jean-Luc Poidevin
Simon Poidevin
Luke Porter-Daly
Ashley Preston
Brock Preston
Simon Preston
Zoe Pringle
Nadia Ravanello
Christopher Rayment
Kristofer Rettke
Joshua Ricamara
Anthony Rizzo
Allison Roberts
Roz Robertson
Mark Ronald
Sasha Rowles
Sunny Rutherford
Neil Ryan
Julianne Sarno
Cara Sayer-Bourne
Alexandra Scott
Deanne Scroop
Brendan Sheedy
Tanya Sheedy
Glen Sheldon
Ken Slevin
Hayden Smart
Lachlan Smart
Peter Spencer
Matthew Spooner
Anthony Stiff
Elisabeth Stiff
Paul Stiff
Peter Strock
Emily Strolin
Yasmin Stuetz
Chirak Syrett-Lay
Janine Tan
Amy Teale
Anthony Thomas
Slava Tikhonov
Jennifer Todd
Joey Todd
Will Todd
Andrew Tooher

Melinda Toomey
Eleanor Torrisi
Eva Torrisi
Georgia Traynor
Anthea Trent
Jennifer Trinca
Brie Turner
Eliza Twomey
Krissy Ukena
Charles Ulm
Sara Valarezo
Neil Van Den Hoek
Julien Vincent
Tayla Vincent
Jamie Vueti
Sean Wain
Bronwyn Walker
Chloe Walker
Darci Walsh
Linda Walsh
Josephine Whyte
Genevieve Wilson
Sara Wilson
Lindsay Wu
Debbie Zonich



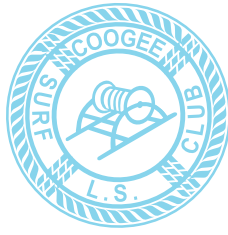




Patrol Captains

- P1 Kristofer Rettke
- P2 Paul Stiff
- P3 Elizabeth Grey
- P4 Sara Wilson
- P5 Beck Mister
- P6 Patrick Moore
- P7 Blake Hornsby
- P8 Nikki Ozsdolay
- P9 Paul Haes
- P10 Adam Treharne
- P11 Rebecca Lehman
- P12 Julien Vincent
- P13 Paul Lardi
- P14 Andrew Tooher
- P15 Andrew Gardiner

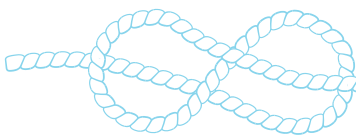




Education



Our club is committed to putting the best trained lifesavers on the beach each weekend. For this reason, our club has always encouraged its members to continue to develop their lifesaving skills through the acquisition of additional qualifications.



LEAD TRAINING OFFICERS

Bronze Medallion

Morgan Bell
Cameron Callaghan
Stu Fillman
Doug Hawkins
Beck Mister
Wayne Penn
Amy Teale

Surf Rescue Certificate and Radio Operators Certificate

Geoff Leong, Mark Andreatta

Gold Medallion

George Fatseas

IRB Crew and SM Driver Courses

Poddie Crudden, Scott Parker,
Andrew Tooher

Spinal Management

Craig Howie, Paul Stiff

ARTC

Jerry Vochteloo

Resuscitation Certificate

Paul Haes, Rebecca Waugh

Proficiency Officer

Adam Treharne

Chief Training Officer's Report



GEORGE FATSEAS

I am pleased to report that the 2017-2018 season continued to build on from previous education successes and delivered an even better season.

This season we welcomed 72 new Surf Rescue Certificate and 113 Bronze Medallion holders to the Club - more than any other Club in the Sydney Branch. Coogee SLSC also achieved the highest number of IRB crew, resuscitation certificates and radio operator's certificates than any other Club in the Sydney Branch.

Our overall awards were up from 479 in the 2016-2017 season to 534 in the 2017-2018 season, qualifying Coogee SLSC with the most awards achieved in the Sydney Branch. This season saw the introduction of new specialised awards including Advanced First Aid, Pain Management, Silver Medallion Advanced First Aid and Coogee Silver Medallion providing our members with additional opportunities to upskill.

Attaining record numbers of awards does not come easy and was only achieved through the hard work, enthusiasm, and sacrifice of the education team members who selflessly contributed numerous hours training candidates. In particular, I thank Wayne Penn for taking on the role of Assistant Chief Instructor, not only helping manage various awards but also leading Mums and Dad's Army XIX. I also thank this year's lead instructors including Cameron Callaghan (Thunder Bronze where SRC qualified members are upskilled to their Bronze Medallion); Amy Teale and Beck Mister (Spring Bronze); Doug Hawkins (Lightning Bronze and Mum & Dad's Army XX); Stu Fillman and Morgan Bell (Summer Bronze). It is also worth mentioning that the Lightning Bronze course this year facilitated the training of Lifesavers from India!

Geoff Leong and Mark "Daylight" Andreatta continued their success with the Surf Rescue Certificate,

training an incredible 69 Candidates this season. They demonstrated great skill, enthusiasm and stamina in training so many candidates in the under 14s over a long 10-week course. This season the SRC Course was more involved and challenging as it also included the radio operator's Certificate.

The Education Team in conjunction with the Minnows took on the incredible task of training 61 under 12s and 13s for their Resuscitation Certificate. The Resuscitation Course provides Minnows with the skills to perform cardiopulmonary resuscitation, thus preparing them to take on future higher awards in SRC and Bronze Medallion. I would like to thank Paul Haes, Bec Waugh, Andy Gardiner, Fiona Phelps and their assistant trainers who conducted the course.

This season our higher awards were delivered by Jerry Vochteloo who took on the lead for the Advanced Resuscitation Techniques; and Craig Howie, Beck Mister and Paul Stiff who delivered the Spinal Management Courses. The IRB education team led by Andrew Tooher, Scott Parker and Poddie Crudden excelled again this season by training 34 IRB Crew and seven IRB drivers, both highly important roles on patrol.

The highest award obtainable in Surf Life Saving is the Gold Medallion. We had a total of 16 members who were either successful in obtaining this award for the first time or undertaking their proficiency. Special mention to Peter Harvie who participated in his 12th consecutive annual Gold Medallion Proficiency, setting a record that will be very hard to beat in the future.

This season saw the introduction of the Coogee Silver Medallion. When

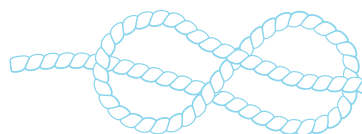
members undertake SLSA lifesaving courses they are prepared to take on patrolling duties on any beach in Australia and overseas, thus keeping training general. The Coogee Silver Medallion Course was developed to train members on Coogee specific scenarios. The course included physical training in the pool and on the beach as well as presentations on command and leadership at an incident, support operations, incident management and search and rescue, Coogee SLSC traditions and history, management of complex scenarios, as well as the latest biology research in marine environment. I would like to thank our generous Club members Tony Waller, Matt Spooner, David "Luna" Park who gave up their time to share their valuable experiences and Adriana Verges from the University of New South Wales who presented her research on the Crayweed restoration project.

In addition to the lead trainers, I would like to thank the numerous trainers and members of the Education team who gave up their time on so many occasions to assist with the various courses. I would like to name each and every one of you however space does not permit this here but you know who you are and without you we would not have achieved the success we did.

Personally it has been a very challenging, however rewarding first season for me as Chief Instructor. It was encouraging seeing so many members achieving their personal goals as well as training others. Personally I was excited to be involved in training numerous courses including SRC, Bronze Medallion and Gold Medallion. I would like to thank the Lifesaving Committee and Management Committee for their encouragement, assistance and support throughout the season. Last but certainly not least thank you to the wonderful ladies in the office Trace, Karen and Trudy who are always welcoming and helpful even when work needs to be done, as usual, at the last minute.

George Fatseas
Chief Training Officer

CERTIFICATIONS



Bronze Medallion

Maxiums Abagi
Antonello Abonante
Katherine Amol
Liam Andrews
Stephanie Arathoon
Hayden Bagnall
Julia Beck
Angus Beer
Graeme Bell
Mark Bligh
Ethan Brouw
William Burkitt
Shannon Campbell
Bruce Cartwright
Leah Charles
Carl Charlier
Leanne Codd
Abby Coleman
Sophie Cox
Joseph Craven
Kyle Davis
Alexandra Deas
John Donnelly
Joshua Drevon
Lachlan Dudley
Thomas Dyer
Makenzie Eddington
Tim Elliott
James Finlayson
Niroop GR
Sonia Garcia
Greg Garvin
Samantha Gately
Sienna Georgallis
Michael Gilligan
Joanne Glass
Sally Godfrey
Maicie Gollan
Nathan Griffiths
William Hamilton
Ella Harrison
Christine Harwin
Sascha Hess
Chris Holmes
Mehmet Sarp Inaler
Andrew Jamieson
David Jenkins
Natalie Jenkins
Ben Jordan
James Jury
Jaya Kander
Nelson Katsiotis
Eloise Kavanagh
Catherine Kelly
Shant Keverian
Kristiaan Kroon
Taylor Lamont
Rebecca LeBard

Sacha Lechem
Sinead Linton
Thomas Love
Tallah Lummow
Conor Magee
Felix Magiera
Niall Martin
Ella Maskell
Tiarna Mason
Grace McDonald
Siobhan McFadden
Brent McKean
Katherine McMorow
Hugh McSweeny
Ryna Millar
Lachlan Miller
Blake Mitchell
Angela Moles
Peter Moller
Nicolle Morey
Jess Parszos
Matthew Payne
Anthony Preshaw
Brock Preston
Jessica Reagh
Rebecca Riel
Martina Rossi
Tanya Sarina
Madeleine Sarno
Sarah Scanlon
Tim Schork
Alexandra Scott
Rod Sen
Eloise Sinfield
Sally Smith
Yasmin Stuetz
Lucy Tate
Gavin Thompson
Aidyn Tran
Georgia Traynor
Jennifer Twomey
Jani Van Der Veen
Srikrishna Vassantha
Jack Veron
Tyrell Villania-Small
Jamie Vueti
Bianca Wallace
Cameron Wallace
Darci Walsh
Sarah Walsh
Rebecca Warneford
David Waterworth
Annabelle Wendler
Andy White

Surf Rescue Certificate

Tait Allen
Eleanor Arthur
Luella Beaumont
Torika Blair
Thomas Brcic
Atticus Brown
Saoirse Burns
Flynn Butler
James Byrd
Eliza Cantarella
Kaladi Chambiras
Emerald Clements Lee
Ella Cox
Alexandra Davison
Scarlett Dean
Emilia D'ettorre
Emily Earp
Jordan Eckersley
Callum Emery
Maisie Evans
Baxter Flynn
Matina Galea
Jade Gillis
Eden Glass
Ella Gollan
Jamie Gordon
Scarlett Graham
Tom Gray
Rosa Griffiths
Bailey Habler
Guy Hammerschmidt
D'arcy Harwin
Isabelle Hooker
Max Hooker
Meira Jackson
Zoe Kander
Cade Lacey
Riley Lamont
Zazou Mackenzie
Lachlan McCormack-Hottes
Thomas McCormack-Hottes
Aristea McMahon
Charlotte Milner
Charlie Moore
Ethan O'Brien
Cooper O'Donnell
Cameron Ossimitz
Filip Pluta
Jack Pyerson
Nicholas Quinn
Mala Reypert
Niah Royal
Jonathan Ryan
Eliza Sandona
Zidan Santos-Dwyer
Hugh Scroop
Jude Sedley

Hugo Sewell
Annesliese Smart
Elizabeth Tanner
Ruby Thomasyu
Nicolas Touffe-Blin
Jade Tran
Mack Trustum
Solomon Tuqiri
Sophie Ulm
Hailey Vincent
Cora Walsh
Xavier Waugh
Luke Wells

Adanced Resuscitation Technique Certificate

Jeffrey Appel
Jerry Berowne
Sean Bond
Padraig Crudden
Paul Culliver
William Davison
Amber Dommel
John Dunn
Adriana Fiori
Bruce Fulton
Olivia Gardiner
Zachary Giltinan
Clare Hayes-Bradley
Josh Hoad
Fiona Johnson
Ian Keller
Timothy O'Keefe
Charlotte Mchenry
Ryan Paget
Zoe Pringle
Rohan Robinson
Alexandra Scott
Peter Stock
Ewan Uncles
Callum Waugh

Spinal Management

Michael Barnes
Sean Bond
Stephen Bonser
Altin Bunaj
Mathew Burke
Blair Chapman
Paul Culliver
William Davison
Adriana Fiori
Casey Gibbs
James Giltinan
Zachary Giltinan
Clare Hayes-Bradley
Michael Parsons
Joshua Ricamara

Roz Robertson
Robert Seymour
Lachlan Tate
Bronwyn Walker
Sara Wilson
Lindsay Wu

Provide First Aid

Julia Beck
Mina Louise Brcic
Robert Campbell
Blair Chapman
Gobind Chera
Lawrence Cowen
Padraig Crudden
Marieke D'cruz
Kyle Davis
Thomas Love
George Fatseas
Andrew Grey
Elizabeth Grey
Isabella Hardwick
Mark Harrison
Jaya Kander
Phil Kemp
Thomas Lance
Daniel Lavery
Carolyn Martin
Amelia Mcdonald
Charlotte McHenry
Leslie Millist
Rebecca Mister
Nicolle Morey
Helen Murphy
Samantha Murray
Mark Neilson
Maria Luise Ossimitz
Rebecca Partridge
Alexander Peshevski
Ashley Preston
Madeleine Sarno
Alexandra Scott
Nate Spielman
Peter Stock
Te Rina Taite
Lachlan Tate
Anthony Thomas
Ewan Uncles
Jivka Vassilevska
Julien Vincent
Georg Von Jonquieres
Sally Walker
Cameron Wallace
David Waterworth
David Winkle
Lindsay Wu

CERTIFICATIONS

IRB Crew

Christopher Brereton
Sean Bond
Peter Burns
Robert Campbell
Robert Consantinou
William Davison
Kim Durack
Isobel Funnell
Melissa-Ann Gillies
Zachary Giltinan
Clare Hayes-Bradley
Paul Hickey
Josh Hoad
Chris Holmes
Emma Johnson
Nicola Jones
Ben Jordan
Olivia McAusland
Kelsey McGuiness
Katherine McMorro
Lachlan Miller
Erin Mullan
Isak Muyesser
Alex Peshevski
Zak Pluta
Ashley Preston
Anthony Rizzo
Cara Sayer-Bourne
Craig Smith
Aidyn Tran
Lewis Townsend
Ewan Uncles
Darci Walsh
Callum Waugh

Silver Medallion Basic Beach Management

Pauline Askin
Blair Chapman
Aideen Crowe
Padraig Crudden
John Dunn
John Garland
Mica Haneman
Marcus Karozis
Stephanie Keenihan
Charlotte McHenry
Emily Miers
Stephanie Mifsud
Kieran Morrissey
Timothy O'Keefe
Maria Luise Ossimitz
Ryan Paget
Alex Peshevski
Anna Preston
Joshua Ricamara
Callum Robinson

Elisabeth Stiff
Eva Torrisi
Eleanor Torrisi
Gary Trenaman
Ewan Uncles
Srikrishna Vasantha
Lindsay Wu

Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue

Jeremy Crumblin

Silver Medallion IRB Driver

Omar Al-Kayat
Christopher Brown
John Garland
Jaz Mcghee
Sarah McMahon
James Parker
Joshua Ricamara
Anthony Rizzo

Rescue Water Craft Operator

Adam Treharne

Offshore Rescue Boat Crew

Patrick Moore

Coogee Silver

Michael Barnes
Aideen Crowe
John Dunn
Andy Gardiner
Emma Gill
Gabe Hall
Peter Harvie
Stephanie Keenihan
Fiona Mcewin
Helen Murphy
Rebecca Partridge
Neil Ryan
Sarah Whyte

Gold Medallion

Thomas Lance
Gary Trenaman

Training Officer Spinal

Amy Teale

Training Officer IRB

Mark Neilson
Adam Treharne

Cert IV Training & Assessment

Craig Howie
Rebecca Mister
David Winkle

Facilitator SMBM

Craig Howie

Trainer Units Cluster

Sean Bond
William Davison
Zachary Giltinan
Josh Hoad
Andi Illidge
Charlotte McHenry



1908 Bronze Training at Coogee RLS Awards

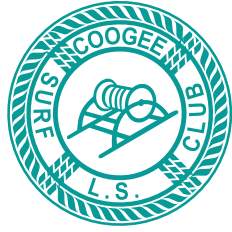


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Competition



Our club possesses a proud and active competition culture and history. Apart from being a joy in and of itself, competition has always helped our members to develop their skills and fitness for lifesaving.





Competition Report



JOHN MCDONALD

During the 2017/18 competition season the club fielded an exceptionally strong field of individual and team competitors across beach, boats, craft, IRB, lifesaving, R&R, surf and surf board riding events.

While there were many terrific competition achievements throughout the season, the highlights for the year were:

Winning our four gold medals at the Australian Championships in Scarborough

- U15 Beach Flags – Holly Abbey
- U17 5 Person R&R – Bianca Wallace, Chloe Walker, Grace McDonald, Samantha Gately and Yasmin Stutz
- U19 Beach Sprint – Sophie McGovern, and
- Open Mens 5 Person R&R – Chris Gately, Jay Carter, Charles Fountain, Grant Hayes and Drew Hayes

This saw Coogee being crowned Champion R&R Club and winning the point score at the Australian Championship.

• Unveiling of a new surf boat in honour of life member and Coogee surf boat patriarch Paul “Coota” Leary.

• Coogee’s third place in the George Bass surf boat marathon crewed by Paul Beale, David Smith, Michael Terry, Ben Burdett, Mick & Matt Leary, Jason Papadatos, Rupert Kaldor and Mitch Hogan.

• Major fundraising activities raised over \$40,000 for the very well run and supported Sportsman Lunch, Inner Reef Club, Hawaiian Night and Sunday meat raffles.

In addition to the above highlights, I am pleased to report that the performance and commitment of our youth and junior competitors has been the strongest for many seasons. The emergence of our youth competitors in strong numbers at the

Australian Championships was a real boon for the club.

Our youth R&R and beach sprint teams benefitted immensely from training with our senior competitors and coaches they had terrific success through the season. The U15 beach relay (4th) and U15 5 person R&R (Silver) teams went ever so close to winning Australian Gold medals and there was a solid number of medalists and minor placings in finals which augurs well for coming seasons.

Our youth surf teams performed well throughout the early championship carnivals only to end up beset with a few injuries in the lead up to Aussies which ultimately torched our chances in the club’s more fancied teams events. Despite this, as individuals they prepared well and competed strongly, as did our lifesaving competitors, who continue to keep improving with terrific individual performances by Will and Alex Davison at the Aussies.

Our junior boys surf boat crew faced cut throat racing and after savage cuts to crew numbers were invoked following adverse weather forecast and revised finals scheduling, narrowly missed a finals berth. After a solid season of racing the boys will be all the better for the experience next season.

Coogee Masters competitors performed well finishing the



Australian Championships in 8th place. Coogee Open competitors finished in 25th place on 30 points. Unfortunately, a point score is not issued for the youth carnival but Coogee will undoubtedly have finished in a very strong position.

On intraclub events, the indefatigable Tim Green was his usual smiling and energetic self on the beach, marshalling troops at 9.30am for the 9.45am start on Sunday morning club swim regardless of weather conditions. Tim weathered the relentless criticism of his handicapping abilities and more often than not managed to ensure his handicapping resulted in the bulk of the field reaching the beach in time for a race up the beach. Congratulations to James Giltinan winning the point score on 73 points after 11 swims, 11 points clear of his nearest rival Luke Porter-Daly.

To our magnificent fundraisers Steve Gillis, Simon Figures, Paul & Karen Beale, David Park, and Matt Scanlon; as well as our supporters Coogee Bay Hotel, SCU, Sydney City Renault, Coogee Real Estate,

Laurie Macri (Australian Turf Club), Pat Molihan (ARU), Mark Harrison, Charles Fountain and the many generous donors; without their contribution the Sportsman Lunch, Inner Reef Club, Hawaiian Night and Sunday meat raffles would not have been a success and raised the substantial funds needed to send our team and multitude of craft to the Aussies.

On behalf of all our competitors I also need to express my gratitude and thanks to our coaches - Mark Harrison, Warwick Everingham, Michael Parsons, Michael Cantarella, Mark Andrews, Chris Gately, Andrew McEncroe, Paul Beale, Matt and Paul Leary, David Smith, Rebecca Hamilton, Rod Coman, Julian La Rosa, Mark Featherstone and Matt Fernandez.

To the Competition Committee and Area Captains (many of them doubling up from their coaching duties) - Mark Harrison, Michael Cantarella, Mark Andrews, Carolyn Martin, Rod Wallace, Rebecca Hamilton, David Smith and Julian La Rosa- thank you for your support this year.

To Karen, Tracey and Trudy, our unsung heroines in the office, many thanks for your support for everything from carnival entries to competitor patrol hours, order touring uniforms, Aussies planning and logistics, paying bills plus the gazillion other things you get done behind the scenes for our competitors.

To our Exec and Governors thank you for your support and encouragement over the past year. If I have missed any one in my thank you's, sincere apologies.

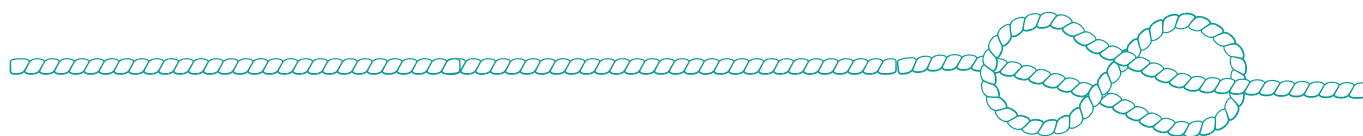
Finally, to our competitors, thank you for all your efforts in training, competition and on patrol. Last year I wrote that "as a team, you have represented Coogee SLSC in a manner befitting our history - well done. Our Australian Championships successes this year have come from athletes that have trained hard and persevered over many seasons" and it is very apparent that, regardless of whether success is measured in medals or personal bests (particularly those that were stepping up a grade), this same statement applies to those competitors that achieved success this year.

I also wrote last year that I look forward to another golden competition season in 2017/18, well you have certainly delivered and the last time the Club's competitors bettered this year's four gold haul was in the early 70s winning five gold medals.

Thank you again for the honour of being the Competition Director over the past three years and I will look forward to seeing you all improve, compete and cheering your successes next year.

John McDonald
Competition Director

NATIONAL COMPETITION TEAMS



Open

Beale, Jack
Brcic, Mina Louise
Cantarella, Clayton
Carter, Jay
Colman, Rod
Cotis, Eliza
Davison, William
Drabsch, Lara
Fagan, Thomas
Featherstone, Ellyn
Fountain, Charles
Francis, Kathryn
Gately, Christopher
Gately, Samantha
Gibbs, Renee
Gibbs, Steven
Giltinan, Zachary
Gollan, Kel
Hamilton, Rebecca
Harington, Claire
Harrison, Ella
Hayes, Drew

Hayes, Grant
Hogan, Mitchell
Irvine, Jake
Kaldor, Rupert
Kolster, Terrena
Latham, Emma
Leary, Matt
Leary, Michael
Lowe, Harriet
Lummow, Taliah
Mason, Tiarna
McDonald, Amelia
McDonald, Benjamin
McDonald, Grace
McGovern, Sophie
Mendes, Nubia
Millar, Hugh
Morgan, Alexandra
Murray, Samantha
Papadatos, Jason
Preston, Ashley
Rutherford, Sunny
Smart, Lachlan

Smith, David
Smith, Harrison
Stuetz, Yasmin
Todd, Joey
Todd, Will
Torrisi, Eleanor
Ukena, Krissy
Villania-Small, Tyrell
Walker, Chloe
Wallace, Bianca
Wallace, Rod

Youth

Abbey, Holly
Allen, Tait
Andrews, Jake
Ashton, Alfie
Brcic, Thomas
Cox, Ella
Davison, Alexandra
Deas, Scarlett
Evans, Maisie
Flynn, Baxter

Galea, Matina
Gillis, Jade
Illidge, Ethan
Littlejohn, Marcus
Milner, Charlotte
Moore, Charlie
Quinn, Nicholas
Saad, Maya
Smart, Anneliese
Tanner, Elizabeth
Thomasyu, Ruby
Touffe-Blin, Nicolas
Wendler, Annabelle
Wilson, Asher

Masters

Bennett, Craig
Cantarella, Michael
Chapman, Blair
Davison, Ian
Davison, Josephine
Deans, Sharon
Deas, Helen

Gately, Christopher
Gibbs, Renee
Gibbs, Steven
Giltinan, James
Harrison, Mark
Illidge, Robert
Karras, Gerry
Logan, Nicola
Mackenzie, Penny
Martin, Carolyn
McDonald, John
Miller, Greg
Parsons, Michael
Penn, Wayne
Pepper, Wendy
Pettit, Philomena
Preston, Simon
Roberts, Allison
Sheppard, Anthony
Smith, Elisha
Stovin-Bradford, Sarah
Trinca, Jennifer
Wilson, Sara



Beach Team at Manly Carnival

SURF CARNIVAL RESULTS

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Event	Winner	Prize Sponsor
<u>Male Open</u>		
Club Champion (Surf Race)	Angus Bennett	Barry Cribb ASM
Board Champion	Angus Bennett	Craig Bennett
Beach Sprint Champion	Tom Fagan	Barry Bourke
Beach Flags Champion	Will Todd	Barry Bourke
Open Ski	Hayden Smart	Craig Bennett
1km Beach Run	Clayton Cantarella	Barry Bourke
<u>Female Open</u>		
Club Champion (Surf Race)	Emily Miers	Barry Cribb ASM
Beach Sprint Champion	Sophie McGovern	Barry Bourke
Beach Flags Champion	Taliah Lummow	Barry Bourke
1km Beach Run	Nicola Logan	Barry Bourke
<u>Masters Male (30+)</u>		
Beach Sprint Champion	Rob Illidge	Barry Bourke
Beach Flags Champion	James Giltinan	Barry Bourke
Surf Champion	Blair Hammond	Craig Bennett
Board Champion	Steve Callaghan	
1km Beach Run	James Giltinan	Barry Bourke
<u>Masters Female (30+)</u>		
Beach Sprint Champion	Sharon Deans	Barry Bourke
Beach Flags Champion	Wendy Pepper	Barry Bourke
Surf Champion	Penny Mackenzie	Josheph Bence
Board Champion	Phil Pettit	Josheph Bence
1km Beach Run	Nicola Logan	Barry Bourke
<u>Male Junior (U19)</u>		
Surf Champion	Luke Porter-Daly	John Sorrell
Beach Sprint Champion	Will Davison	Barry Bourke
Beach Flags Champion	Will Davison	Barry Bourke
1km Beach Run	Hayden Smart	Barry Bourke
Iron Man	Will Davison	Simon Poidevin AM
<u>Female Junior (U19)</u>		
Beach Sprint Champion	Taliah Lummow	Barry Bourke
Beach Flags Champion	Mia Gastelaars	Barry Bourke
<u>Male Cadet (15)</u>		
Surf Champion	Marcus Littlejohn	John Sorrell
Beach Sprint Champion	Asher Wilson	Barry Bourke
Beach Flags Champion	Asher Wilson	Barry Bourke
Board Champion	Baxter Flynn	John Sorrell
Iron Man	Marcus Littlejohn	Simon Poidevin AM
1km Beach Run	Marcus Littlejohn	Barry Bourke

ANONYMOUS DONORS

Male Winner	Marcus Littlejohn
Female Winner	Jenny Trinca

ROSE SHIELD

Nicola Logan (c)	Jenny Trinca
Holly Abbey	Michael Cantarella
Ethan Illidge	Ella Harrison
Marcus Littlejohn	

RESIDENT'S CUP

Joey Todd (c)	Clayton Cantarella
Harriet Lowe	Sean Bond
Michael Kember	Sami Gately
Chris Gately	Eliza Twomey

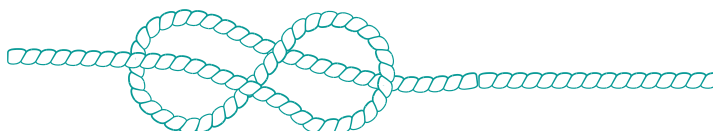
SUNDAY HANDICAP SURF RACE

Overall Winner	James Giltinan
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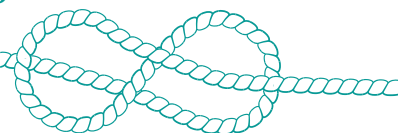


The 1921/22 Beach Relay Representative Team won the Championships and were runners up the Association Premiership R&R.

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SURF CARNIVAL RESULTS



AUSTRALIAN TITLES (OPEN)

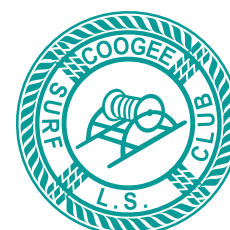
Event	Winner	Place
Open Male 5 Person R&R	Jay Carter	1
	Charles Fountain	1
	Chris Gately	1
	Drew Hayes	1
	Grant Hayes	1
UI9 Female Beach Sprint	Sophie McGovern	1
UI7 Mixed 5 Person R&R	Samantha Gately	1
	Grace McDonald	1
	Yasmin Stuetz	1
	Chloe Walker	1
	Bianca Wallace	1
UI9 Mixed 5 Person R&R	Samantha Gately	3
	Grace McDonald	3
	Yasmin Stuetz	3
	Chloe Walker	3
	Bianca Wallace	3

AUSTRALIAN TITLES (YOUTH)

Event	Winner	Place
UI5 Female Beach Flags	Holly Abbey	1
UI5 Mixed 5 Person R&R	Ella Cox	2
	Maisie Evans	2
	Matina Galea	2
	Jade Gillis	2
	Charlotte Milner	2
UI5 Male Beach Flags	Asher Wilson	2
UI5 Female Beach Relay	Holly Abbey	2
	Elizabeth Tanner	2
	Ruby Thomasyu	2
	Annabelle Wendler	2
UI5 Male Beach Sprint	Asher Wilson	3
UI4 Female Beach Sprint	Ruby Thomasyu	3

AUSTRALIAN TITLES (MASTERS)

Event	Winner	Place
150 yrs min Female Board Relay	Wendy Pepper	1
	Phil Pettit	1
	Elisha Smith	1
150 yrs min Female Board Relay	Helen Deas	1
	Sharon Deans	1
	Renee Gibbs	1
	Nicola Logan	1
40-44 Female Surf Race	Elisha Smith	1
35-39 Female Beach Flags	Renee Gibbs	2
130 yrs min Female Surf Team	Penny Mackenzie	2
	Carolyn Martin	2
	Elisha Smith	2
45-49 Female 2km Beach Run	Jo Davison	2
40-44 Male Beach Sprint	Wayne Penn	2
55-59 Female Board Race	Phil Pettit	2
50-54 Female Board Rescue	Wendy Pepper	2
	Phil Pettit	2
40-44 Female Board Rescue	Nicola Logan	2
	Elisha Smith	2
55-59 Female Rescue Tube Race	Phil Pettit	2
55-59 Male Rescue Tube Race	Chris Gately	2
40-44 Female Rescue Tube Race	Elisha Smith	2
40-49 Female 2km Ocean Swim	Elisha Smith	2
110 yrs min Female Surf Team	Nicola Logan	3
	Phil Pettit	3
	Elisha Smith	3
	Sarah Stovin-Bradford	3
35-39 Female Beach Sprint	Renee Gibbs	3
40-44 Female Surf Race	Nicola Logan	3
40-44 Female Rescue Tube Race	Nicola Logan	3
35-39 Female Rescue Tube Race	Penny Mackenzie	3



SURF CARNIVAL RESULTS



AUSTRALIAN IRB (MASTERS)

Event	Winner	Place
Open Male (Cond. IRB) IRB	Philip Guiney	3
Rescue Tube	Daniel Lavery	3
	Dane Melcum	3

NSW STATE TITLES (OPEN)

Event	Winner	Place
U15 Female Beach Relay	Holly Abbey	2
	Elizabeth Tanner	2
	Ruby Thomasyu	2
	Annabelle Wendler	2
U15 Male Beach Sprint	Asher Wilson	2

NSW STATE TITLES (OPEN)

Event	Winner	Place
U19 Female Beach Sprint	Sophie McGovern	1
U17 Mixed 5 Person R&R	Samantha Gately	1
	Grace McDonald	1
	Yasmin Stuetz	1
	Chloe Walker	1
	Bianca Wallace	1
U17 Male Champion Lifesaver	Will Davison	1
U15 Female Beach Flags	Holly Abbey	1
U15 Mixed 5 Person R&R	Ella Cox	1
	Maisie Evans	1
	Matina Galea	1
	Jade Gillis	1
	Charlotte Milner	1
Open Male Beach Relay	Tom Fagan	2
	Michael Kember	2
	Hugh Millar	2
	Joey Todd	2
U19 Female Beach Relay	Eliza Cotis	2
	Harriet Lowe	2
	Sophie McGovern	2
	Nubia Mendes	2
U17 Female Beach Sprint	Taliah Lummow	2
U17 Female Beach Relay	Mina Brcic	2
	Samantha Gately	2
	Taliah Lummow	2
	Ashley Preston	2
U17 Male Beach Relay	Will Davison	2
	Zac Giltinan	2
	Josh Hoad	2
	Oliver Jackson	2
U15 Female Beach Sprint	Holly Abbey	2

NSW STATE TITLES (MASTERS)

Event	Winner	Place
35-39 Female Rescue Tube	Penny Mackenzie	1
40-44 Female Board Rescue	Phil Pettit	1
	Elisha Smith	1
40-44 Female Board Race	Elisha Smith	1
40-44 Female Surf Race	Elisha Smith	1
45-49 Female 2km Run	Bec Waugh	1
50-54 Male 2km Run	Michael Scroop	1
55-59 Female Board Race	Phil Pettit	1
60-64 Male Rescue Tube	Michael Barnes	1
130 Female Surf Team	Penny Mackenzie	1
	Carolyn Martin	1
	Elisha Smith	1
150 Female Board Relay	Wendy Pepper	1
	Phil Pettit	1
	Elisha Smith	1
170 Female Beach Relay	Helen Deas	1
	Sharon Deans	1
	Renee Gibbs	1
	Bec Waugh	1
40-44 Female Rescue Tube	Elisha Smith	2
45-49 Female Beach Sprint	Sharon Deans	2
55-59 Female Rescue Tube	Phil Pettit	2
55-59 Female Board Race	Jo Emery	2
55-59 Female Beach Sprint	Jo Emery	2
140 Female Surf Boat	Kathryn Francis	2
	Terrena Kolster	2
	Sunny Rutherford	2
	Lara Drabsch	2
	Rebecca Hamilton (s)	2
150 Female Surf Team	Tanya Lynch	2
	Phil Pettit	2
	Bec Waugh	2

SURF CARNIVAL RESULTS



NSW STATE TITLES (MASTERS)

Event	Winner	Place
200 Female Beach Relay	Jo Emery	2
	Wendy Pepper	2
	Jenny Trinca	2
	Allison Roberts	2
40-44 Male Beach Sprint	Wayne Penn	3
45-49 Female Surf Race	Tanya Lynch	3
45-49 Female Beach Flags	Helen Deas	3
170 Male Beach Relay	Greg Miller	3
	Michael Parsons	3
	Wayne Penn	3
	Simon Preston	3

SYDNEY BRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS (OPEN)

Event	Winner	Place
U19 Womens Flags	Sophie McGovern	2
U17 Womens Sprint	Ashley Preston	2
U17 Mens Flags	Josh Hoad	2
U15 Womens Sprints	Ruby Thomasyu	2
U15 Womens Relay	Holly Abbey	2
	Maya Saad	2
	Ruby Thomasyu	2
	Annabelle Wendler	2
Open Mens 5 Person R&R	Jay Carter	2
	Charles Fountain	2
	Chris Gately	2
	Drew Hayes	2
	Grant Hayes	2

2017 NSW IRB STATE TITLES

Event	Winner	Place
Rookie Mixed Mass IRB	Bradley Allen	1
	Mina Brcic	1
	Padraig Crudden	1
	Marcus Karozis	1
35+ Mixed Tube IRB	Philip Guiney	3
	Dane Melcum	3
	Scott Parker	3

Open Womens 5 Person R&R	Samantha Gately	2
	Libby Grey	2
	Grace McDonald	2
	Yasmin Stuetz	2
	Bianca Wallace	2
Open Mens 2km Run	Clayton Canterella	3
Open Womens 2km Run	Jenny Trinca	3
Open Mens Sprints	Tom Fagan	3
Open Mens Relay	Will Davison	3
	Tom Fagan	3
	Jake Irvine	3
	Ben McDonald	3

SYDNEY BRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS OPEN

Event	Winner	Place
Open Mens Sprints	Michael Kember	1
Open Womens Sprints	Sophie McGovern	1
Open Mens Relay	Michael Kember	1
	Hugh Millar	1
	Joey Todd	1
	Will Todd	1
	Will Todd	1
U19 Womens Sprints	Sophie McGovern	1
U19 Mens Flags	Tyrell Villania-Small	1
U17 Mens Flags	Will Davison	1
U15 Womens Swim	Ashley Finegan	1
U15 Mens 2km Run	Marcus Littlejohn	1
U15 Womens Sprints	Holly Abbey	1
U15 Womens Flags	Holly Abbey	1
Open Mens 2km Run	Will Mison	2
Open Mens Flags	Jake Irvine	2
U19 Mens Sprints	Tyrell Villania-Small	2

Open Womens Relay	Eliza Cotis	3
	Harriet Lowe	3
	Sophie McGovern	3
	Nubia Mendes	3
Open Mens Flags	Michael Kember	3
	Shannon Jenkins	3
Over 24 Female Surf	William Todd	3
U19 Mens Sprints & Flags	William Todd	3
U17 Female Beach Relay	Mina Brcic	3
	Mia Gastelaars	3
	Ashley Preston	3
	Chloe Walker	3
U17 Mens Sprints	Oliver Jackson	3
	Zach Giltinan	3
U17 Mens Flags	Ashley Preston	3
U17 Womens Flags	Ashley Preston	3
U15 Mens Surf Teams	Jake Andrews	3
	Ethan Illidge	3
	Marcus Littlejohn	3

SURF CARNIVAL RESULTS



SYDNEY BRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS (OPEN)

Event	Winner	Place
U15 Mens Surf Teams	Charlie Moore	3
Open Mens Boat	Mick Leary	3
	Jason Papadatos	3
	Rupert Kaldor	3
	Mitch Hogan	3
	Matt Leary (s)	3
Womens Reserve Boat	Emma Latham	3
	Jorja Muscio	3
	Terrena Kolster	3
	Lara Drabsch	3
	Rod Colman (s)	3
U23 Womens Boat	Ellyn Featherstone	3
	Amelia McDonald	3
	Ali Morgan	3
	Sam Murray	3
	Rebecca Hamilton	3
Under 19 Mens Boat	Lachlan Smart	3
	Harrison Smith	3
	Kel Gollan	3
	Jack Beale	3
	David Smith (s)	3
Open 6 Person R&R	Chris Gately	3
	Samantha Gately	3
	Grace McDonald	3
	John McDonald	3
	Bianca Wallace	3
	Rod Wallace	3
Surfboat Relay	Mick Leary	3
	Jason Papadatos	3
	Rupert Kaldor	3
	Mitch Hogan	3
	Matt Leary (s)	3
	Emma Latham	3
	Jorja Muscio	3
	Terrena Kolster	3
	Lara Drabsch	3
	Rod Colman (s)	3
	Lachlan Smart	3
	Harrison Smith	3
	Kel Gollan	3
	Jack Beale	3
	David Smith (s)	3

SYDNEY BRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS (MASTERS)

Event	Winner	Place
30-39 Female Beach Flags	Renee Gibbs	1
30-39 Female Board Race	Shannon Jenkin	1
30-39 Female Surf Race	Shannon Jenkin	1
30-39 Female Tube Race	Shannon Jenkin	1
40-44 Female Surf Race	Elisha Smith	1
40-44 Female Tube Race	Elisha Smith	1
45-49 Female Beach Sprint	Sharon Deans	1
50+ Male Tube Race	Todd Mison	1
130 Female Taplin Relay	Coogee	1
170 Female Beach Relay	Coogee	1
170 Male Beach Relay	Coogee	1
200 Male Beach Relay	Coogee	1
30-39 Female Tube Race	Penny MacKenzie	2
30-39 Female Beach Sprint	Renee Gibbs	2
40-44 Male Beach Sprint	Wayne Penn	2
40-44 Female Beach Sprint	Nicola Logan	2
40-44 Female Board Race	Elisha Smith	2
40-44 Female Surf Race	Nicole Logan	2
40-44 Female Tube Race	Nicola Logan	2
45-49 Female Tube Race	Tanya Lynch	2
45-49 Male Tube Race	Matthew Fogarty	2
45-49 Female Beach Flags	Helen Deas	2
45-49 Male Beach Sprint	Simon Preston	2
45-49 Female Beach Sprint	Helen Deas	2
50+ Female Beach Sprint	Jenny Trinca	2
50+ Female Beach Flags	Jenny Trinca	2
50+ Female Board Race	Philomema Pettit	2
50+ Male Tube Race	Steve Callaghan	2
60+ Female Surf Race	Carol Russell	2



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SURF CARNIVAL RESULTS



SYDNEY BRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS (MASTERS)

Event	Winner	Place
60+ Male Surf Race	Michael Barnes	2
60+ Male Tube Race	Michael Barnes	2
110 Female Surf Team	Penny Mackenzie	2
	Nicola Logan	3
	Elisha Smith	3
130 Female Board Relay	Elisha Smith	2
	Phil Pettit	2
	Mel Toomey	2
200 Female Beach Relay	Coogee	2
30-39 Female Beach Sprint	Erin Mullan	3
30-39 Male Board Race	Blair Chapman	3
30-39 Male Tube Race	Blair Chapman	3
40-44 Female Beach Sprint	Mel Toomey	3
45-49 Female Surf Race	Tania Lynch	3
50+ Female Beach Flags	Alison Roberts	3
50+ Female Tube Race	Carolyn Martin	3
50-59 Male Beach Sprint	Lawrence Cowen	3
60+ Male Beach Sprint	Gerry Karras	3
	Sheridan Connan	3
	Helen Murphy	3
150 Surf Surf Team	Carol Russell	3

SYDNEY BRANCH LIFESAVING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Event	Winner	Place
Open Female Champion Lifesaver	Emma Grand	1
U19 Female Champion Lifesaver	Andi Illidge	1
U17 Male Champion Lifesaver	William Davison	1
U15 Female Champion Lifesaver	Leah Charles	1
Open Female Champion Lifesaver	Tara Hayes	2
U17 Male Champion Lifesaver	Zachary Giltinan	2
U15 Female Champion Lifesaver	Alexandra Davison	2
U17 Male Champion Lifesaver	Sean Bond	3
U15 Female Champion Lifesaver	Annabelle Wendler	3

COOGEE CARNIVAL

Event	Winner	Place
Open Flags Female	Holly Abbey	1
Open Male Sprint	Michael Kember	1
Open Flags Male	Michael Kember	1

COOGEE CARNIVAL

Event	Winner	Place
Open Beach Sprint Relay Male	Coogee A	1
Open Mens Boat	Mick Leary	1
	Jason Papadatos	1
	Rupert Kaldor	1
	Mitch Hogan	1
Reserves Women Boat	Matt Leary (s)	1
	Emma Latham	1
	Jorja Muscio	1
	Terrena Kolster	1
U23 Womens Boat	Lara Drabsch	1
	Rod Colman (s)	1
	Lucy Bartlett	1
	Stephanie Grand	1
U19 Male Sprint	Ruby Cuthbert	1
	Eleanor Torrisi	1
	Julian La Rosa (s)	1
	Tyrell Villania-Small	1
U19 Mens Boat	Lachlan Smart	1
	Harrison Smith	1
	Kel Gollan	1
	Jack Beale	1
U17 Flags Female	David Smith (s)	1
	Holly Abbey	1
	Samantha Gately	1
	Grace McDonald	1
U17 5 Person R&R	Yasmin Stuetz	1
	Chloe Walker	1
	Bianca Wallace	1
	Holly Abbey	1
U15 Female Sprint	Holly Abbey	1
	Holly Abbey	1
	Ashley Finegan	1
	Asher Wilson	1
U15 Flags Female	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
U15 Flags Male	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
U15 Male Sprint	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
Open Beach Sprint Relay Female	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
Open Male Sprint	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
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Open Flags Male	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1
	Asher Wilson	1

SURF CARNIVAL RESULTS

COOGEE CARNIVAL

Event	Winner	Place
Reserves Women Boat	Sunny Rutherford	2
	Kathryn Francis	2
	Krissy Ukena	2
	Claire Harington	2
	Rebecca Hamilton (s)	2
U19 Male Sprint	William Todd	2
U17 Male Sprint	Will Davidson	2
U15 Female Sprint	Ruby Thomasyu	2
U15 Ironman Male	Jake Andrews	2
U15 Mens Surf Race	Jake Andrews	2
Open Flags Female	Renee Gibbs	3
Open Beach Sprint Relay Female	Eliza Cotis	3
	Harriet Lowe	3
	Tiarna Mason	3
	Nubia Mendes	3
	Finn Emery	3
Open Mens Surf Race	Finn Emery	3
Open Male Sprint	Tyrell Villania-Small	3
Open Beach Sprint Relay Male	Oliver Jackson	3
	Will Todd	3
	Tyrell Villiana-Small	3
	Asher Wilson	3
	Ruby Thomasyu	3
U17 Flags Female	Ruby Thomasyu	3
U17 Male Sprint	Oliver Jackson	3
U15 Flags Female	Ruby Thomasyu	3
U15 Male Sprint	Nicholas Touffe/Blin	3
U15 Flags Male	Jude Sedley	3
U15 Ironman Male	Marcus Littlejohn	3
U15 Mens Board	Jake Andrews	3
U15 Mixed Cameron Relay	Coogee	3

GEORGE'S RIVER RUN

Event	Winner	Place
Reserve Male Boat	Matt Leary	1
	Michael Terry	1
	David Smith	1
	Mitch Hogan	1
	Bec Hamilton (s)	1

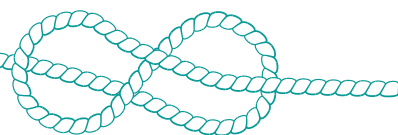
CRONULLA SHORT COURSE

Event	Winner	Place
Open Male Beach Flags	Michael Kember	1
Open Male Beach Sprint	Michael Kember	1
Open Male Beach Relay	Coogee A	1
U15 Female Surf Race	Ashleigh Finnigan	1
U15 Female Beach Sprint	Holly Abbey	1
U15 Female Beach Flags	Holly Abbey	1
Over 40 Male Beach Sprint	Wayne Penn	1
Over 40 Male Beach Sprint	Rob Illidge	2
U14/15 Female Surf Teams Race	Coogee	2
U14 Male Beach Relay	Coogee	2
U14 Female Beach Relay	Coogee	2
U14 Male 2km Beach Run	Tom Gray	2
Open Male Beach Flags	Joey Todd	3
Open Female Beach Relay	Coogee	3
U17 Male Beach Sprint	Josh Hoad	3
U14/15 Mens Surf Teams Race	Coogee	3
U15 Ironwoman	Ashleigh Finnigan	3
U14 Female Beach Sprint	Ruby Thomasyu	3

FRESHWATER CARNIVAL

Event	Winner	Place
Open Beach Sprint	Michael Kember	2
Open Mens 5 Person R&R	Jay Carter	2
	Charles Fountain	2
	Chris Gately	2
	Drew Hayes	2
	Grant Hayes	2
Open Mens Boat	Mick Leary	3
	Jason Papadatos	3
	Rupert Kaldor	3
	Mitch Hogan	3
	Matt Leary (s)	3
Womens Reserve Boat	Emma Latham	3
	Jorja Muscio	3
	Terrena Kolster	3
	Lara Drabsch	3
	Rod Colman (s)	3

SURF CARNIVAL RESULTS



FRESHWATER MASTERS CARNIVAL

Event	Winner	Place
30-39 Female Surf Swims	Jacqui Pettit	2
30-39 Male Surf Swims	Blair Chapman	2
30-39 Male Boards	Blair Chapman	2

MANLY CARNIVAL

Event	Winner	Place
Open Male Beach Relay	Tom Fagan	1
	Michael Kember	1
	Hugh Millar	1
	Joey Todd	1
Open Mixed Beach Relay	Tom Fagan	1
	Renee Gibbs	1
	Michael Kember	1
	Sophie McGovern	1
U19 Female Beach Flags	Sophie McGovern	1
Open Mixed Beach Relay	Holly Abbey	2
	Hugh Millar	2
	Ashley Preston	2
	Joey Todd	2
U19 Female Beach Relay	Coogee	3
U17 Male Beach Sprint	Will Davison	2
U15 Female Beach Sprint	Holly Abbey	2
Open Womens Beach Relay	Holly Abbey	3
	Renee Gibbs	3
	Sophie McGovern	3
	Ashley Preston	3
U15 Female Beach Flags	Holly Abbey	2
Open Mens 5 Person R&R	Jay Carter	2
	Charles Fountain	2
	Chris Gately	2
	Drew Hayes	2
	Grant Hayes	2
U19 Male Beach Relay	Coogee	3
U17 Female Beach Sprint	Ashley Preston	3
U15 Male Beach Sprint	Asher Wilson	3

SHELLHARBOUR CARNIVAL

Event	Winner	Place
Open Mens Boat	Mick Leary	3
	Jason Papadatos	3
	Rupert Kaldor	3
	Mitch Hogan	3
	Matt Leary (s)	3

WARRIEWOOD CARNIVAL

Event	Winner	Place
Open Mens Boat	Mick Leary	1
	Jason Papadatos	1
	Rupert Kaldor	1
	Mitch Hogan	1
	Matt Leary (s)	1
Womens Open Boat	Emma Latham	3
	Jorja Muscio	3
	Terrena Kolster	3
	Lara Drabsch	3
	Rod Colman (s)	3

GEORGE BASS SURF BOAT MARATHON - 189KMS

Event	Winner	Place
Open Mens Boat	Paul Beale (s)	3
	Burdett Ben	3
	Hogan Mitch	3
	Kadlor Rupert	3
	Leary Matt	3
	Leary Michael	3
	Papadatos Jason	3
	Smith David	3
	Terry Michael	3





Poddie Crudden, Brad Allen & Daniel Lavery

Coogee Hammers IRB Racing Winter 2017



PHILIP GUINEY

As has been the case in recent years, members of the IRB Racing Team were again heavily involved in general IRB operations at the club through the summer season, fulfilling their patrol requirements and providing support for the various club events, including the two Island Challenges and Coogee Carnival.

Team members also spent many hours on the water, providing water safety at Junior, Open, Masters, and Surf Boat carnivals, locally and at State and Australian Championships.

Training kicked off in February, with the team working towards the SLSA required 20 hours on-water race specific training in time for the start of the competitive season. These logged training hours are required to be signed off by a licensed surf coach and are audited by SLSA to ensure that all competitors are well drilled and are safe in the boat under racing conditions.

2017 NSW IRB Premiership

The NSW Premiership rounds were held from May to mid June at Caves Beach, Mollymook, Ocean Beach and Cape Hawke and the Coogee Hammers contested U23, Open, 35+ and for the first time 45. There were varying surf conditions throughout the season but most carnivals had some waves that kept the competitors honest and placed the onus on drivers to drive safely according to conditions. Motor repairs were required through the season with some late nights spent in the shed disassembling and reassembling engines under the watchful eyes of the motor guru Andrew Tooher. By the end of the four rounds the final pointscore saw Coogee in 12th place (of 22 teams).

2017 NSW State IRB Championships

The State Champs were held in South West Rocks on the 1st & 2nd of July with the usual equipment scrutineering by officials taking place on the Friday. Coogee had a nearly full contingent of 15 entered in U23, Open, 35+ and 45+ (again a first this season). The conditions and weather were on side with two foot surf and the occasional 3 footer rolling through. The carnival ran smoothly except for a slight pause in proceedings when a 'large marine creature' was spotted investigating the course! The 35+ team (Phil Guiney, Dane Melcum, and Scott Parker) took out the bronze in the 35+ tube rescue, our first state medal outside of the Rookie division. The Rookie team (Poddie Crudden, Brad Allen, Mina Brcic and Daniel Lavery) didn't disappoint either, taking gold in the mass rescue event. The Hammers stepped it up a notch from the Premiership finishing in 9th place (of 25 teams), our highest placing to date.

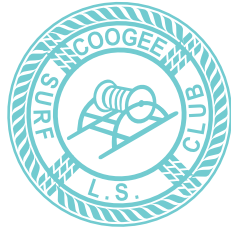
2017 Australian IRB Championships

Following successes at the State Titles, the Hammers headed to warmer waters for the Aussie Titles at Cudgen Headland SLSC in Kingscliff, held on the 14th – 16th of July. For the first time, there was a Masters division at Aussies for the IRB racers, opening the field up and bringing a different expectation for our more mature racers! The conditions at Kingscliff were favorable to racing and the team was certainly enjoying the extra couple of degrees showing on the thermometer. The team progressed well through the initial rounds and quarter finals with our open male tube team and 35+ rescue team making semi finals and our 35+ tube team and 35+ teams rescue team making finals, another first for Coogee this season.

A close run 35+ tube rescue final saw Coogee take out 3rd place and our first medal at national level. Huge congratulations to Phil Guiney, Dane Melcum Omar Al-Khayat on their bronze medals. The team finished 8th in the masters division nationally.

Precision rowing by Coogee Mens A Crew



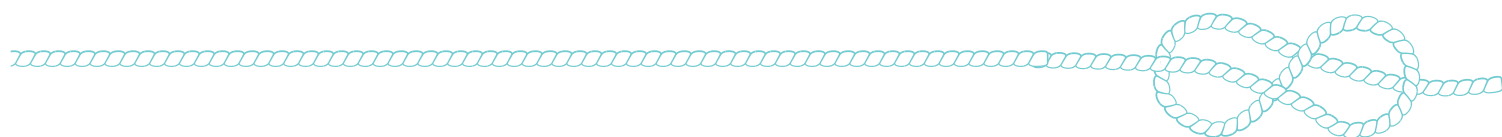


Minnows



*We are one of the oldest clubs in the area with a wealth of history and experience in lifesaving and competition under our belt. We are always looking to the future of our club.
And it starts here.*





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Minnows Captain



STEVE O'DONNELL

Another season has come and gone and Coogee has continued to lead the way on how a Junior Development Program is run.



With almost 1000 Minnows and huge amounts of parent helpers we have had delivered another amazing program that caters for a wide range of young people with a wide range of abilities in a challenging environment.

We commenced the season with the usual proficiency swims at UNSW which then took us straight into our first days on the beach. Then we completed our competition proficiency swims, first round of Champo Days and our U14s began their SRC qualifications. The SRC list can be found on page 20. I want to make special mention of Mark 'Daylight' Andretta and Geoff Leong who have been training our SRC groups for over 12 seasons now. They prepare these groups extremely well and push them hard to achieve what is required to become a capable lifesaver. I also want to make special mention of Joanne Quinn, Craig Sewell and the U14 Age Managers for their patience, humour and care of this group. Well done to the U14s for

their achievements and it was quite nostalgic seeing these young men and women achieve this award. As it seems like only yesterday they had started as apprehensive little U6s doing buckets relays and rubber chicken games. Our two captains Ruby Thomasyu and Nicholas Quinn led by example and were ably supported by our vice-captains Cooper O'Donnell and Charlotte Milner.

As the season progressed we completed our Surf Education components and there were a couple of tough Sundays on the beach with some big swells and big surf. Our Water Safety and Age Assistants always did a tremendous job and often put themselves in harm's way to keep our Minnows safe in and out of the water. We had more parents complete their Bronze Medallion and the Age Managers Course and these people are those who do the day to day operational running of the beach and are at the 'coal-face' of what we deliver. A huge thank you to all of



these parent volunteers as we cannot run Minnows without you.

After a well-earned break at Christmas we then delivered a great Surf Camp and one of the highlights was having Olympian and club member Jessica Thornton deliver some key messages to those that attended. The second half of the season also brought the lead up to the key carnivals and the tireless efforts of our Competition Co-coordinator Michael Kavanagh, as well as our Sand Co-ordinator Renee Gibbs and Water Co-ordinator Cameron Habler, had this group training and working very hard in the lead up to Branch and State. We had some great results in a number of carnivals and at State Coogee finished 8th and only 30 points off first place. Coogee ended up the number one club in the State on sand but also made some great inroads in the water and shone in the R&R. The work of some of our older competitors with senior club personnel and coaches really



demonstrated that Coogee SLSC is one club! Thank you to all of our competition volunteers for all of the extra hours, organisation, transport and assistance that has helped this area do so well.

We also delivered a great program with the Coogee Dippers which has grown significantly since it was introduced last season. Erika Gleeson and the team from Autism Swim are now a key part of the Minnows program. A huge thank you to all involved in this area. As we rapidly came to the end of season we had some great improvements in all areas on the beach. Our confidence groups in swim and boards showed great tenacity and overcame some fears to really advance their skills. Thank you to the volunteers in this key part of our program. We also had great excitement when Brett and George from Clean Oceans delivered thermal environmentally friendly drink bottles and water dispensers to Minnows, to help get rid of plastic from our beaches.

There are so many people to thank as my tenure as Captain comes to an end and if I miss anyone I apologise! First of all, I want to thank the Senior Club Executive and Management committee for their unwavering support. In particular Club president Mark Doepel, Governors Tony Waller and Dave Park, the great support from people like Club Captain Andy Gardiner, other Management committee members like Matt Scanlon, Tass Karozis, Rob Yeldon, Matt Fernandez, Pat Garcia and Rhys Atkinson. All of the members on this committee have been amazing. A big thank you also to Doug Hawkins for his great support and leadership at a Branch level.



To our Age Managers I want to say a special thank you for the incredible work that you do in working with your age groups. You really do have the most challenging job and always do this work with style and joy.

To all of the Minnows committee members I want also to say a huge thank you for all of your work in the many areas – in particular Sue Lever as secretary, Rachel Garcia as registrar, Mark Elizondo for social media, Bec Waugh and Will Charles as vice-captains, Paul Haes for education, Mark Andrews for gear steward, Gerard Pignatelli and Alicia Palmer for apparel, and especially Ian Davison as treasurer.

Craig Sewell has also been given Minnows life membership and this is a truly deserved honour. Craig has taken two groups through to SRC now and has been a strong contributor to Minnows for 16 seasons. The fact Mint 360 are our platinum sponsor is just a bonus! I want to thank the staff from Mint 360 and Secret Gardens for their

fantastic support of Coogee Minnows and we hope you will continue this great relationship in the future.

I also want to make special mention of the following key members of Minnows – our IRB team, the awesome BBQ team, the lovely girls in the office: Tracey, Karen and Trudy for their tremendous work behind the scenes as well as all of the volunteers in so many other areas. I also want to make special mention of all of the partners who have allowed us to give up the time we need to deliver Minnows, especially my gorgeous wife Katie and my beautiful children Cooper and Jemma who make me so proud every day and who have also sacrificed so much to allow me to be Captain over the past three seasons.

I am also very humbled to receive life membership for Minnows but have received as much joy out of the Surf Club as effort I have put in.

Whilst I will still be a part of minnows for seasons to come it is now time to let someone else drive that big bus and I want to wish our next captain, Rebecca Waugh, all the very best for her tenure as the first female Minnows Captain.

I am confident that our nippers program is in excellent hands. I hope in some small way that Minnows is even better than when I started and we continue to be the number one Nipper program in the country.

Go Coogee!

Steve O'Donnell
Minnows Captain

U6 Age Managers Report



JANE FRANKS & ALEX PESHEVSKI

Gold Caps



A new generation of Gold Caps started their training as future Life Savers with more than 140 children inducted into the Coogee Minnows with the obliged plunge into the inflatable splash pool at the start of the season.

We separated into five groups for the start of activities which included an educational and beach awareness session by Minnows Captain, Steve O'Donnell.

Over the season, the U6s gained new skills with flag and relay activities as well having tonnes of fun with games such as "last man standing" and "stuck in the mud", not forgetting the obstacle course, a couple of sessions learning about signals and to end out the mornings when possible, the renowned tug-o-war.

The success of nippers is primarily attributed to the number of parents that help each week.

A massive thank you to all who volunteered this season, we naturally couldn't have provided such a fantastic environment for the U6s without you and we hope to see you all again next season.



Thank you also to the senior club members who assisted with the management of our activities at times when we were short of assistance.

On the last Sunday of the season, Jane and I were very proud to award our Gold caps with their trophies for first season knowing how much they enjoyed participating. We hope you

have enjoyed it as much as we have and we look forward to seeing you again in October.

U7 Age Managers Report



FIONA NILSSON & PAT GARCIA

Blue Caps



With each season, the blue caps get stronger and more comfortable both in the water and on the sand.

This season we sought to emphasise the development of, and enthusiasm for surf skills. With such a large group, we divided the under 7s into six regular teams that each blue cap would join every Sunday. The smaller groups meant that bonds and friendships were able to develop over time. We also divided our activities into six activities (three sand and three water). The sand activities included flag races, relay races, dodge ball, potato sack races, and lifesaving talks. The water activities included boogie boards, bucket races, obstacle courses into the water and mini racing boards.

Our age group was fortunate to benefit from some wonderful water safety this season. Thank you to the parents that did their bronze over the course of the Summer. The number of water safety available to us meant that the kids benefited from a 1:1 water safety ratio when on the boogie boards and mini racing boards. The kids caught some fantastic white water



waves onto the beach throughout the season. From the smiles on the faces of the kids, the parents and our water safety, the boards were clearly the highlight of each Sunday.

Thank you to the senior members of the club that acted as age managers when either Fiona or Pat were away – including Club Governor Tony Waller, Club President Mark Doepel and Club Deputy President Matt Fernandez. It's always wonderful for the blue caps to get exposed to the wealth of experience and skills of our senior lifesavers.

Thank you also to our wonderful parent assistants. Our parents make everything possible and we are grateful to them for leading groups, enthusiastically supporting the children, and ensuring that our Sunday mornings are always fun and safe.

U8 Age Managers Report



AIDEN BYRNE, MICHAEL LETTE & SHANNON CAMPBELL

Silver Caps



With the surf play years of U6 and U7 completed, the Silver Caps were ready to embark on their first year emulating the older age groups on their journey to becoming lifesavers. It was a year of many 'firsts', from ditching the paddling pool and doing the proficiency swim in a real pool, getting our pink rashies, being eligible to compete at carnivals and getting more adventurous in the water.

As per previous years, our weekly activities were split between the sand and the water. On the sand, we worked on the technicalities of the beach flags, sprint starts and relay changeovers.

In the water, we got to master our diving and porpoising with the wade and get out past the break and ride the waves in on boards. As the season progressed, we looked to further stretch the children in the water as they showed more confidence and get them ready for the big step up to being U9s.

It was our first foray into competition with an U8 only carnival at South Maroubra, where the team finished second overall with Bae



Gilligan and Bas Baggitt coming second and third respectively overall in the individual awards.

We also ended the season strongly at the Sydney Branch Championships with medals of all colour won, finals made and progress made through multiple rounds. A special mention to Matilda LeBard who came first in the beach flags and third in the sprint, and Harry Seed who also came third in the sprint.

Many thanks to all of our U8 volunteers: Age Assistants, Water Safety and BBQ, Coogee Minnows cannot function without you. We need a fresh influx of Age Assistants for next season, we hope to see many new faces joining the team next season.

U9 Age Managers Report



JOHN HARWIN & BRENDAN SMITH

Purple Caps



In my 9 years at Coogee minnows I can't remember a season with such great conditions. Although the water (as always) was rather cold to start the season the sun shone brightly for most of our Sundays. Only one morning that stands out as particularly cold on the sand later in the season. The purple caps showed how tough they were when by the time we finished in the water there was not one other nipper left on the beach and only a handful of brave tourist left on the sand. The best part was quite a few of our kids wanted to keep going on the boards but with kids shaking and water safety turning blue we had to call it a day.

The season started with the kids having to prove their abilities with a 150m freestyle proficiency swim at the UNSW pool. The majority were very competent. The water confidence group before Minnows was of great assistance to several of our kids. Thanks Sean, Olivia and the water safety who gave extra time on Sundays to help the kids who needed it.



On the beach we started first with a big swim to complete competition proficiency. There were quite a few kids with a look of apprehension on their face but a lot more parents with shocked looks when they realised how far the kids would be swimming out in the ocean this season. We made all the kids give it a go even if they weren't planning on competing this season just so we could see their abilities in the ocean.

They soon realised it's a lot different swimming out to the can and back than it is swimming in flat swimming pool. The majority did however pass. The competition side of Coogee Minnows was amped up this season with new competition coordinators in the water and on the sand. We had a great team of kids from our group who put their hands up to compete, at Cronulla, Manly, The Randwick shield, Branch and State were well represented by the purple caps. Among them were plenty of medals this season which leaves us in a good position going forward.

I was really impressed with our girls water team. The confidence and skills they gained over the season was massive. Next season we aim to get a boy team to the same standard as the girls. Without saying the sand team were really competitive in the true Coogee style. Medaling at most carnivals including State. The new sand training program including a Saturday clinic really pushed the kids along and gave them great skills to compete. Big thanks to Renee and her team for supporting our group throughout the competition season.

Our Sundays at Coogee ran as smoothly as can be expected with 70+ kids on the beach most weekends. Our biggest time waster continued to be roll call with kid & parents showing up late and delaying our starts. We really tried to get as much water time for the kids because this is where we saw they needed the most practise this year.

U10 Age Managers Report



JAMES CAMPBELL & WILL CHARLES

Lime Caps



Another season completed! It's hard to fathom that was the Lime Caps' fifth, and that by the season's Christmas break the kids were more than half-way through their Minnows careers. Now they have only three more full seasons until the Surf Rescue Certificate, graduation into the senior club and patrolling on Coogee Beach! Yet it seems like only yesterday that we were running squeaky chicken races and bucket relays at the shoreline. Time is indeed flying by.

The season began with the Lime Caps reduced to just the one Age Manager, Olivia having decided to stand down during the off-season. Will started the season alone, but with our ever reliable Age Assistants and Water Safety we managed to keep our heads above water. Normal service was resumed shortly before the Christmas break with James Campbell volunteering as co-Age Manager and donning his dark blue shirt for the last Sunday session of the year. Many thanks to Olivia for her time as co-Age Manager; it's wonderful that she



will remain with the Lime Caps as part of our Water Safety crew.

The ocean has been a continued challenge for our Under 10s this season as we focus on our continued mission of creating future lifesavers. There has been an incredible change in the boys and girls moving from apprehensive swimmers and waders to brave and competent board paddlers who have an admirable sense of urgency to get beyond the Coogee break. Turning themselves around and returning safely to shore, however, continues to be as challenging for the kids as it is for our Water Safety who stand in the line of fire as the boards come flying back to the beach. Sometimes quite literally!

All of our Lime Caps have grown in confidence week to week. Next season we will be extending our reach in the ocean with longer paddles and swims while learning more about tube and board rescues, signals, DRSABCD & CPR. We will continue assisting the Water Confidence groups next season and invite those boys and girls who feel they need additional water time in a smaller, focussed group.

We want to reiterate our thanks to our committed Water Safety team and Age Assistants who turn up each and every week. We hope you gain as much satisfaction from our Sunday mornings as we both do; whether you be cooling your toes at the ocean's edge with James or burning them to a crisp on the sand with Will.

And not forgetting our hard working BBQ crew too, slaving away under scorching conditions to feed the hungry hordes of Nippers.

The season has flown by and we encourage the boys and girls to continue their swimming lessons during the break in order to come back fitter and stronger next season.

See you on Coogee Beach next season!

U11 Age Managers Report



TRACEY CONSTANTINOU & SEAN WAIN

Pink Caps



This season of nippers for the under 11s pink caps has come and gone in what appears to be a blink of an eye leaving us with some fun times and wonderful memories.

I remember, as if was yesterday, the first dip in the chilly water at the start of the season with all the children huddled for warmth on the beach hesitant to swim out to the cans to complete the competition swim. There were complaints about the water temperature, distance to the cans and the size of the waves. After some encouragement from parents, water safety, Tracey and I, the children all managed to successfully complete the swim.

As the season progressed the confidence grew significantly with all the children completing numerous board and tube rescues, along with numerous Run-Swim-Runs. Particularly pleasing was to see those children at the start of the season lacking in confidence successfully complete the Iron Person events.

On the sand, the focus was on improving core strength (sprints)



and agility (flags) along with first aid skills and signals. It was good to see all the children actively involved in DRSABCD.

Although our main focus is on creating Surf Life Savers some children like to actively compete in

surf competitions. These core set of competition children turned up at the various training sessions held mid-week and with the expansion of carnivals that the club has attended this season it gave additional opportunities for both kids and parents to get further involved in the Surf Sports part of lifesaving.

The pink caps were regular collectors of silverware at every carnival both individually and as relay teams.

We are honoured and humbled by the level of support offered by the core set of parent volunteers who give up their time to help out each week in the water, on the sand, on the BBQ, officiating and coordinating at competitions. Without your continued contributions we would be unable to run a successful age group for all the children each Sunday.

Thanks for another great season of Sundays on the beach and in the water.

U12 Age Managers Report



BEC WAUGH & PAUL HAES

Light Blue Caps



What a great season it was terrific to see all our mighty U12s giving their all, on the boards, in the water and competing on the sand in both the highly contested flags and sprints.

Paul and I feel privileged to have the opportunity to mould this group of young people into Coogee SLSC.

On behalf of Paul and myself we would like to thank all the mighty Under 12 Age Assistants, Water Safety and parents for your support during the 2017/2018 Summer season. It doesn't work without parents coming together. A massive heart felt thank you.

This season saw the continued improvement by the whole group in the water and it was wonderful to see. I took such joy watching the last Sunday on the beach this season when the kids completed a six leg water relay. One of the teams who ended up with only two members, told me "no problem" "we will just keep doing the legs...three each".....how far they have come.

The kids are learning to trust their surf fitness and surf knowledge. They are taking on the more challenging conditions at Coogee, racing harder and faster, applying their lifesaving skills and looking for opportunities to use them.

As well as Minnows regular activities we continued to reinforce the importance of CPR, First Aid, signals, and rescues. The kids also completed a Level 2 resuscitation certificate. Thanks to all the educators and assessors who help us put 95 kids through this certificate.

Max Moylan has been outstanding the whole season and made it through to both the Iron man final and Surf swim final at the State Age titles. Max received the award for championship male in Under 12s and Water Competitor of the year for the Coogee Minnows. Max congratulations.

Congratulations to Eden Levitt for her Gold Medal in the Sprint and Relay also a bronze in the All age relay. She also received the award for sand

competitor of the year for Coogee Minnows, outstanding. I would also like to congratulate Yasmeen who also made the sprint final, won a silver medal in the flags, was part of the sand relay team who won gold, female club champion in under 12s and her selection into the Branch Sydney Team. A massive congratulation also to both Annabel Penny for making the sprint final, a Gold in the relay team and bronze in the mixed relay team and to Emma Silvestri who was also part of the gold medal winning relay team.

To Jasmine Miller and Michayla Penn a well deserved Gold Medal in the two person R&R. The future looks very very bright here.

In the water our boys swim team of Max Moylan, Cooper Habler, Josh Fernandez and Campbell Groves made the final. Hang in there boys a medal is very close.

To Renee Gibbs and Cameron Habler our Head Coaches for both sand and water congratulations on the results and a thank you from all.

We would also like to thank Scott Moylan for his role as competition co-ordinator. To all the parents who chaperoned, did water safety, officiated, thank you.

David Belavic and Matilda Zenere are awarded the season's most outstanding Lifesavers and Jasmine Miller and Finn Wilki awarded the Age Managers Award. Well done to you all.

Once again, thank you all for another great season. Paul and our new age Manager Mary Ryan look forward to taking the kids for their Under 13s season, I unfortunately will be leaving my beloved under 12 kids to take on the role of Minnows captain. I promise to still be involved in their surf life saving journey.

U13 Age Managers Report



GARY TRENAMAN & TONY BOYD

Green Caps



That's it for Minnows as the Greenies know it! We're looking forward to next season where we will achieve the Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC).

Yes it's hard to believe that this was the group of green 'Greenies' who dominated the beach in the 2010/11 seasons as U6s. These Greenies have all made such tremendous progress towards our end goal of developing ocean confidence and Surf Lifesaving skills, and they have all managed to have a bit of fun at the same time.

In the 2017/18 season we worked hard at our skill development. The water was a key focus and we always got out on the boards or achieved an

ocean swim, further and faster than last season. In addition we became so much better with our signals and spent a full morning learning about emergency care management - DRSABCD.

Congratulations to all our competitive green participants and their hardworking "support crews" who put in an enormous effort to participating in the various carnivals. We came home from the State carnival clutching more than our fair share of medals. The kids deserve unanimous accolades for the effort, patience, teamwork and perseverance that Branch and State representation demands. You are a tribute to your club.

Special thanks to all the volunteers

over the season including those that have helped on the BBQ, helped with beach setup, marked the roll, counted kids in and out of the water, sold raffle tickets, marshalled kids at carnivals, stepped up to an Age Assistant or Water Safety role or helped in any other way. Your support is critical to the smooth(ish) running of each Sunday. Minnows are truly a team effort.

U14 Age Managers Report



JO QUINN & CRAIG SEWELL

Red Caps



Another great season for the 'Red Caps' to bring our time at Coogee Minnows to an end!

Nine great seasons capped off with 69 impressive young men and women completing their SRC on a glorious Sunday in December. We had prepared reasonably well over the preceding seasons but nothing could compare to the expertise of Mark Andreatta and Geoff Leong; from Day 1 we knew we were in expert hands!

Wednesday night theory sessions and Sundays on the beach came and went and before we knew it we were celebrating our success. A big thank you goes out to Mark and Geoff for all their work with the group and behind the scenes. We are extremely grateful for everything they did to ensure all our 'Red Caps' became Surf Lifesavers. We are also very grateful to all of our Water Safety, Age Assistants and those parents who helped us out along the way. Thanks also to those who helped us out in other ways including those who gave up their time to help with set-up, pack-up and also on the BBQ; it was a great team effort!

While Craig and I have both been involved with the 'Red Caps' from

Day 1, it was Steve O'Donnell who led this group for the first 6 seasons. Under his leadership, the 'Red Caps' developed and improved each week and he ensured we had a great foundation to build on when he stepped up to take on the Minnows captaincy. Barry Ryan and I agreed to take on the role of Age Manager (we needed two of us to fill Steve's shoes!) and then Craig joined me for the last two seasons. Craig had already been an Age Manager and taken his group through to SRC, so it was great to have his expertise and experience.

Congratulations to Steve on his time as Minnows Captain and all the best to Bec Waugh as she takes on this role.

The second half of the season was a blur with various competition events and carnivals. It was also fantastic to see our kids embrace their roles on patrol and water safety with a number supporting the Coogee Dippers program as well; we hope to see this continue next season and beyond.

For our competitors, the training programs were taken to the next level by our fantastic coaches – Michael Kavanagh, Cameron Habler and Renee Gibbs. We really appreciate

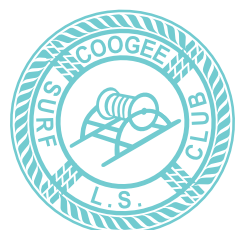
all the time and effort they put in to set everyone up for success. We had fantastic results throughout the season culminating in many medals and great performances at the State Champs.

As Craig and I now finish up our time as Age Managers, we do this with a sense of great pride and achievement. We will both still be involved for a number of seasons to come, however there is still a touch of sadness that our time with the 'Red Caps' has come to an end.

We wish all of the group good luck & success as you move on to the next chapter, hopefully continuing your involvement with Coogee SLSC. We would like to thank all of you for your enthusiasm to participate, willingness to challenge yourselves & determination to succeed. You have definitely made this a very rewarding and enjoyable experience for both of us.

Lastly, while it will feel a bit strange to see others wearing the red cap next season, we wish our new U6s for season 2018/19 as much success and enjoyment wearing this cap as we have all experienced.

See you on the beach!



Junior Female Captains Report



RUBY THOMASYU

This amazing Nippers journey wouldn't have been possible without so many people, so I just want to acknowledge and give a big thanks to all these people.



Ruby Thomasyu

First to the kids.

Nippers wouldn't run without kids. You guys deserve a massive congratulations to have made it through this season. You guys have overcome an amazing number of challenges, you have stayed focused to finish what you started. From personal experience, I want to tell you that it is worth it. There are just more and more good things to come so I really highly encourage you to keep coming each and every week to Nippers. The achievement (and relief!) you will feel when you finish your SRC is amazing.

Now to our parents.

Getting your kids to Nippers every week deserves a massive round of applause. I just want to congratulate you because you are all here and still standing!! But I also thank you for all the hard work that you have put in over the season. I know that when the nippers cap goes missing at the last minute or no one can find their pink rashie there is a bit of chaos. I know that sometimes getting up early

on your one day off and spending almost the whole day at the beach is exhausting, especially when you have to sacrifice your morning coffee! Now I want to encourage all the parents to stay involved, without you our kids wouldn't have Nippers so it's really important that we have people like you volunteering their time to help our community and your kids. Maybe next season even think about stepping up, helping as an age assistant or even as water safety? We always need you.

Now to our leaders.

To our age managers and everyone who took a leading role.

You have all done an amazing job over the season. Without you we wouldn't have the 1000 kids that come down to the beach on Sunday mornings to learn skills to stay safe and to one day save lives. The impact that you have on so many kids is truly remarkable. Everyone here is so appreciative of all the time and effort that you put into our Coogee Nippers. So just a massive thank you for helping our kids to enjoy the great outdoors, staying healthy and fit, and having so much fun. Without you all this wouldn't be possible, the club really hopes that you stay involved and keep doing all the wonderful things that you do.

And finally, definitely not least of all, the greatest surf club on earth couldn't be the greatest without you, Steve.

We owe the biggest thanks of all to Steve. The work, time, dedication, patience and everything that is done behind the scenes from him is incredible. We all know that Steve spends Monday until Saturday doing school sport and the fact that he then comes down to Nippers on Sunday to spend his day on the beach is really extraordinary. Our red caps were

lucky enough to have Steve as our age manager up until the U12 when he stepped up and took on the captains role. Over the last nine season Steve you have had an unbelievable impact on a phenomenal amount of kids. And it always seemed like most of the time everyone listened to you, except for you occasionally needing to pull a few people into line. So thank you!

I want to share my unforgettable experience of nippers over the last nine seasons. I guess in seven sentences here it is:

- The camaraderie of all different families coming to together and our community becoming one 'Big Nippers Family'
- Unforgettable memories and friends that will last a lifetime.
- My absolute joy of running along the beach.
- The ranging weather conditions, from raining days with crazily big surf to sunny and blissful, even calm mornings! - especially in this past year of completing our SRC.
- The adrenaline rush of competing especially in team events and finals and especially this year at State.
- How thankful I am for the amazing opportunities I have been given as captain.

And last but not least,

- Seeing and experiencing from everyone the pure happiness and joy each and every Sunday morning of Nippers.

So just finally thank you to all the kids, parents, leaders and to Steve for making everything possible. Nippers is an amazing big family and so worth doing.

Junior Male Captains Report



NICHOLAS QUINN

Coogee Minnows has been such an important part of my life over the last nine years I am extremely grateful that I was enrolled at the age of five, because it has given me a great opportunity to do something worth getting out of bed early for.



Nicholas Quinn

It all began in the U6s when we would chase Steve up the beach and get involved in a range of activities like rubber chicken relays and sack races. As we progressed through the age groups our knowledge and skills broadened and we began to learn new things like how to do flags, how to paddle a board and how to swim in the ocean. These new skills really helped us develop the confidence needed to become a surf lifesaver. As we became old enough we were offered the chance to compete at carnivals for Coogee. This gave many kids the opportunity to put the skills they had learnt into practice and some are very successful in this area.

We were faced with many challenges along the way but we were all up for it and took it on head first. Some great achievements for me over my time as a Coogee Minnow included competing for Coogee at carnivals - I attended all state champs from U8s - as well as many other carnivals over the years. I am very

grateful for the opportunities I had and was privileged to wear the Coogee cap with pride. I also completed my SRC this season along with the rest of my fellow 'red caps' which was a huge achievement for all of us; we can now patrol and give back to Minnows for all it has done for us.

It was a great honour and privilege to be given the role of Junior Minnows Captain along with Ruby. It has given me the opportunity to be involved in a wide range of things including the Sydney Branch Junior Lifesaver of the Year, where both Ruby and I were finalists. This was a great experience and it really boosted my confidence in my own ability.

I would like to acknowledge a few key people who have guided me and the rest of the 'Red Caps' over the last 9 years and have helped us to be where we are today.

To Steve, thank you for being our Age Manager for 6 seasons. You really put us on the right path and set us up for success and for that we are grateful. Also your continued support of our age group meant a lot to us and we always knew you were there to see us do well.

To Jo and Craig, thank you for stepping up and becoming the Age Managers; you did a wonderful job and you guided us as we neared the end of nippers. You provided support for all of us and we can not thank you enough for that. We also appreciate all the hard work and dedication you put in to making sure we got the most out of our time at nippers.

To all the Water Safety and Age Assistants for all of your support each week. Everything we did would not have been possible without the help of all of you. You don't have to help out but you choose to come down early on a Sunday morning and give up your time for us which we appreciate a lot.

To the coaches, thank you for your hard work and dedication to the training and carnivals over the past 9 seasons. You are the ones that helped us to perform to our best.

To Mark & Geoff, thank you for helping us to complete our SRC. We could not have done it without you and we are all very grateful for all your hard work.

To the Parents, thanks to all of you for taking us to the beach each Sunday and for supporting us through our SRC.

For all the nippers coming through the age groups, the main thing to remember is to make sure you get involved and give everything a go even if you are a bit unsure or nervous. If you get in and have a go you will learn a lot and get the most out of your time at Coogee Minnows. Most of all though have fun with your friends because the friendships you make here are ones that will stick for life.

To my fellow 'Red Caps' this is not the end but the beginning of the next chapter for all of us. I encourage all of you to stay involved in Surf Lifesaving whether it be through patrols or water safety and then going on later to do your Bronze and get more involved in the senior club.

I have loved every minute of my time at Coogee Minnows and it has been a privilege to be part of the 'Red Caps' with a great group of people!

Competition Report



MICHAEL KAVANAGH

The 2017/18 season heralded a new Coaching and Co-ordination team for Coogee Minnows on both the sand and in the water. On the sand, Renee Gibbs took on the head sand coach position and in the water, Cameron Habler, with Michael Kavanagh as Competition Co-Ordinator.

The commitment and dedication of the 2016/2017 team of Michael Parsons and Sara Wilson on the sand, Rob Illidge in the water and Mark Andrews as Competition Co-Ordinator paved the way for the new team.

Their first task was to undertake a review of the Coaching and Training Programs for both sand and water Competitors. This culminated in the production of the COOGEE MINNOWS SURF SPORTS COMPETITION POLICY & HANDBOOK 2017/18 SEASON.

The Minnows Competition Information Night resulted in the formation of a database for prospective competitors and parent helpers. Renee Gibbs, presented the planned series of Clinics to be conducted throughout the season with professional coaches Jayson Lincoln and Devina Strauss. Cameron Habler presented the concept of the Coogee Surf Academy and Development Squad, which aimed to provide a training pathway for swim and board competitors.

These programs were implemented to a large degree during the 2017/18 season. Early indicators of results at all major carnivals, including State Age Championships show that we are on the right track.

Key initiatives through the 2017/18 season were:

- The development of a Team App platform as a single communication pathway for all Minnows Competitors and parent helpers. 190 members had downloaded the App by season completion and it was recording 1200 views per month.
- Commencement of coaching clinics for sand competitors that commenced in Term three 2017 and



continued throughout the season, including seven Saturday afternoons with coaching professionals. This additional coaching was funded by \$80 contribution from all sand competitors.

- Increased training opportunities afforded to all our water competitors. Pathways were established with the Senior Club to allow more access to their training sessions for competitors younger than under 14s. In previous years, only U14 competitors were availed this. We are very grateful to Matt Fernandez and Mick (Humph) Cantarella, for their willingness to train our younger competitors. In total, Academy water squad were offered up to five different board training opportunities and two surf swimming sessions each week.

- Coogee entered more competitors to more carnivals than previous seasons. Larger teams were sent in order to build competition experience for our competitors

- The reestablishment of the

R&R Competition group. Coogee has a rich history in R&R but had no active Minnow competitors last season. The 2017/2018 season saw a 13 strong contingent compete at State Age (Gold Medals in U12/13 2-person R&R - Michayla Penn & Jasmine Miller and in the U14 five-person R&R -Maisie Evans, Ella Cox, Matina Galea, Charlotte Milner and Jade Gillis). The U14 five-person team then went on to State Open titles and competed in the U15 division and won Gold again. These results came with the wonderful coaching team of Chris Gately (Head Coach) and team of junior coaches, Samantha Gately, Bianca Wallace, Grace McDonald and Chloe Walker.

- The recruiting and training of six new Officials under the comprehensive new training scheme coordinated by Sheila Royles. Thank you to Michelle Finegan, Karla Eckersley, Phil Allen, Kieran Bowie, Marie Holmes and Maria-Luise Ossimitz for training and gaining



accreditation as Officials and to Sheila Royle for her co-ordination.

- The establishment of the State Team Gear Presentation and send off prior for all competitors and their families prior to State Age Championships.

These initiatives resulted in a brilliant result at State Age Championships in March at Swansea Belmont, where the Coogee Minnows team cracked the 100 point barrier for the first time in recent memory and went on to record 150 points for the carnival, finishing in 8th place out of more than 90 clubs. Coogee finished only 29 points behind the overall winner Elouera.

The Competition Season in Review

A small team commenced the competition season, taking on the Sydney Water Series, a group of four carnivals over seven weeks. Even though the team was small, they recorded some very pleasing results.

Next stop was Randwick Shield, which had a false start after the heavens opened on the eve of the scheduled date causing a postponement on the morning of the carnival. We prepared again and were back at South Maroubra the following week.

The first full hit out as a team came at the Cronulla short course carnival in November. Results were great across both sand and water in fairly testing conditions, particularly for the under 9s in their first proper carnival in the water and paddling boards in altogether foreign conditions. A highlight being the water performance of our youngest competitors, the purple caps in tough conditions.



Ohana Carnival 9/12/17

A terrific carnival at Elouera with great weather and water conditions. Big surf meant the Boards were up first for a change. The early low tide gave us plenty of beach to work with and a great run track for the sand athletes.

Angus Folsom, Ben Pignatelli, Zoltan Szabo, Sienna Fernandez, Ava Szabo and Charlie Moore competed bravely in the All Age Board Relay in trying conditions.

In the All Age Beach Sprint Relay Coogee romped home for GOLD with an incident free effort, which highlights the training, and effort being put in by all the kids and coaches. Well done to all, Bae Gilligan, Evie Bowie, Ollie Sheldon, Ronan Sheppard, Annabel Penny, Ryan Harper and Nicolas Touffe-Binn.

North Cronulla Carnival 16/12/17

A small team headed to the North Cronulla carnival to compete in

the water only format. Our R&R competitors had their first competitive hit out ever under coach Chris Gately.

Wanda Carnival 21/1/18 Report

Terrific conditions for this carnival, with sun shining, a clean 2-foot swell and plenty of sand with a great track. Coogee placed 2nd overall...a great result.

Manly Report 28/1/18

Coogee Minnows competitors ventured over the bridge for the first time this season as a team to compete in the prestigious Manly Nipper Nat(ional)s Carnival.

We were greeted by fantastic conditions and awesome carnival lay out. Magnificent flat sand track, a solid two- to three-foot swell out of the east pushing right into Manly and a dropping tide which exposed multiple banks over the course of the carnival to keep things both interesting and challenging in the water.

The high standard of competition on the day brought out the best in our competitors and there were many notable performances across both sand and water.

The day started with the 1km and 2km runs on the beach and our first medal went to Jack Johnson, who won silver in the U10s 1km. Gold medals followed to Ethan Smith in boys U13s 1km and Bailey Habler in boys U14 2km.

Other notable performances on the day were Eden Levit 1st in U12 girls sprint; Yasmeen Janschek 1st in U12 girls flags; Ruby Tomasyu 1st in U14 girls sprint, who then backed up to win gold in the U14 relay with Rosa Griffiths and two U13 girls, Stella Odgers and Katherine Johnson. Max Moylan had a great swim in the U12 boys final to come 4th and Teagan Curry in the under 9 girls did an awesome job in coming 5th in the Swim Race Final in very challenging conditions that saw the field scattered to all points of the Manly southern corner.

Sydney Branch Carnival 11/2/18 Report

Fantastic conditions greeted the Coogee Minnows Branch team at Maroubra Beach. On the sand: pristine main track & secondary track and massive flags area. Four water areas were set up and conditions were very solid on the set, which had

organisers wary but willing to proceed cautiously. While the sun shone there was the threat of big winds around noon which meant a reshuffle of the entire water program, resulting in State Qualification events being brought forward to the beginning of the program and a start with boards in the 9s & 10s.

The events kicked off with All Age Beach Relay. Coogee put in a mighty performance but had to be happy with 2nd place. Well done to our representatives: Bae Gilligan, Evie Bowie, Ollie Sheldon, Ronan Sheppard, Eden Levit, Ethan Smith and Nicolas Touffe-Blin. A great hit out with State around the corner.

The sand team proved a potent force and many medals were won. Pleasingly, the relay combinations were great, and this is where Coogee separated themselves from the other clubs.

The State qualification events where only top 5 place-getters in Board Rescue and top 10 in Iron person events qualify for State Finals. We had the following competitors qualify:

In Board Rescue:

13 girls, Ava Szabo & Mila Folsom 4th

13 boys, Pat & Dan Kavanagh 5th

In Iron Person:

11 boys Zoltahn Szabo 9th

12 boys Max Moylan 3rd & Cooper Habler 9th

13 girls Ava Szabo 10th

14 boys Baxter Flynn 8th

State Age Championships at Swansea Belmont 2nd March to 4th March 2018

From the 2nd March to 4th March, a team of 111 athletes from Coogee Minnows travelled to Blacksmiths Beach at Swansea Belmont SLSC to contest the 2018 NSW State Age Championships. This is the pinnacle of our competitive season when more than 90 clubs from all of NSW come together to compete against each other. Close to 4000 competitors were entered. Outstanding conditions greeted us and the sun shone for three days, the smallish swell rolled in and over the three sprint tracks, six water areas and an R&R arena our competitors took on the best from NSW.

Coogee competitors recorded some outstanding results and when the final tally was made they had won seven GOLD medals, seven SILVER medals and 10 BRONZE medals. Our



final points tally was the largest in memory at 150 points, 56 more than 2017, and it placed us 8th in NSW, just 29 points behind the overall winner, ELOUERA on 179 points. Last year we finished 255 points behind the winners and it shows just how far we have come in a year and the fruits of the new training programs on SAND and in WATER have elevated our athletes.

Highlights could be found in all areas across the beach and over the three days. The five-person R&R team only started this year and to win GOLD at their first attempt was truly amazing and a credit to the five girls and a wonderful coach in Chris Gately. Ethan Smith's win in the 13s flags was a thriller over too many rounds to count, Bailey Habler was incredibly dominant in the Boys U14 2km race and was never headed. Eden Levit had to work hard to beat a crack field in the girls U12 sprint, which included two of her teammates that won the U12 girls relay the day before in outstanding fashion. The U14 girls got everything right on the day to salute in their relay in a super team performance. The U12/13 two-person R&R team of Michayla Penn and Jasmine Miller were awarded the Silver medal on competition day after narrowly being defeated on a countback to declared winners, Wanda, who were disqualified a week later as they had an over-age competitor. The Coogee girls were belatedly elevated to Gold in their first year competing in the event.

Our best performed water team was the up and coming under 9s girls Surf Team who were just a smidge out of the bronze medal in running 4th after dominating their semi-final. Special mention to Max Moylan who came 8th in the U12 boys Swim and

7th in the U12 boys Iron Man and was so close to pulling onto the wave that decided the medals in a race we have not scored points in over a decade.

Apart from competing with incredible skill and determination, our athletes represented with great respect and were brilliant ambassadors for Coogee Minnows and SLSC





Final Wrap

A terrific season came to an end at State Age Championships and we now look ahead to even bigger and better things ahead. Lessons have been learned along the way and we will incorporate those into the planning of our next assault in 2018/19.

The success highlighted above is not possible without a group of dedicated coaches, trainers and parents who give up their time each week to help the kids prepare for all these carnivals. We are blessed each year that the same individuals return to help train and coach our kids each week.

The Water coaches, led by Cameron Habler, with help from Michael Kavanagh and Trevor Folsom and input from Dave Habler, Matt Fernandez and Mick Cantarella have done an outstanding job.

The sand competitors led by Renee Gibbs who was assisted by Michael Parsons, Steve Gibbs, Tony Sheppard, Bec Waugh and Damein Costello with a team of assistants who regularly show up and help with all manner of training tasks have excelled.

To all the parents that have assisted with water safety, officiating, transporting gear and organising the training groups each week. We cannot be a successful competitive club without your assistance.

On a more personal note, I would like to thank Scott Moylan, Steve Quinn, Shiela Royles and Glen Sheldon who were ever present all season long and whose efforts were of great assistance to the group as a whole and especially to me. Thank you also to Mark Andrews, our former Head of Competition, for his experience and guidance through this season, always happy to help and advise. I would also like to thank the whole



of the Minnows Committee for their trust and support of the Competition group, allowing us to try new methods and strive for better outcomes, without losing sight of our obligations and goals as, first and foremost, a club promoting the ideals of Surf Lifesaving.

The two Head coaches, Renee and Cameron, have been enormous in their effort, commitment and output. It is amazing to work with such passionate and exacting people, all pulling together with the goal of helping our competitive kids reach their absolute potential. It was awe inspiring and an absolute pleasure to

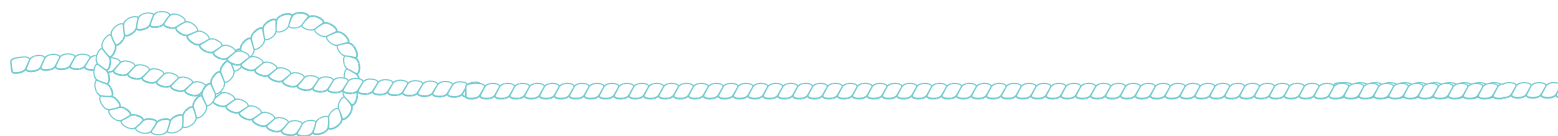
share the experiences of the season with you both.

Finally, to my family, thank you for your wonderful support, both in spirit and in deeds throughout this season. It has been a team effort in every sense of the word and I, along with the competition group, have been very appreciative of all you have done.

See you all in 2018/19.

Michael Kavanagh
Competition Coordinator

AWARDS



NSW STATE TITLES (YOUTH)			7TH	NSW STATE TITLES (YOUTH)			7TH
Event	Winner	Place		Event	Winner	Place	
U13 Male Beach Flags	Ethan Smith	1		U11 Male Beach Relay	Sebastien Elizondo	3	
U14 Male 2km Run	Bailey Habler	1			Conor McFadden	3	
U12 Female Beach Sprint	Eden Levit	1			Ronan Sheppard	3	
U14 Female Beach Relay	Alexandra Davison	1			Asher Thomasyu	3	
	Rosa Griffith	1		U10 Male Beach Relay	Cian Bligh	3	
	Elizabeth Tanner	1			Jack Johnson	3	
U12 Female Beach Relay	Ruby Thomasyu	1			Benjamin Pignatelli	3	
	Yasmeen Janschek	1			Oliver Sheldon	3	
	Eden Levit	1		U13 Male 1km Run	Ethan Smith	3	
	Annabel Penny	1		U09 Female Beach Sprint	Evie Bowie	3	
U12/U13 2 Person R&R	Emma Silvestri	1		U13 Female Beach Relay	Tamara Abagi	3	
	Jasmine Miller	1			Katherine Johnson	3	
U12/U13/U14 5 Person R&R	Michayla Penn	1			Stella Odgers	3	
	Ella Cox	1			Sarah Pignatelli	3	
	Maisie Evans	1		U10 Female Beach Relay	Alice Bowler	3	
	Matina Galea	1			Amelia Byrne	3	
	Jade Gillis	1			Niamh Lynch	3	
U/14 Male Beach Relay	Charlotte Milner	1			Jemima Sewell	3	
	Tait Allen	2		U12 Mixed Beach Relay	Finnian Burns	3	
	Thomas Brcic	2			Yasmeen Janschek	3	
	Jude Sedley	2			Annabel Penny	3	
U13 Male Beach Relay	Nicolas Touffe-Blin	2			Finn Wilkie	3	
	Ryan Harper	2		U11 Mixed Beach Relay	Sebastien Elizondo	3	
	Xavier Savala	2			Juliette Gray	3	
	Kane Sheppard	2			Madeleine Quinn	3	
U14 Male 2km Run	Maximillian Tanner	2			Asher Thomasyu	3	
	Tom Gray	2		U10 Mixed Beach Relay	Alice Bowler	3	
U/11 Female Beach Relay					Jack Johnson	3	
	Sienna Durante	2			Jemima Sewell	3	
	Juliette Gray	2			Oliver Sheldon	3	
	Emily Matheson-Rayner	2		All Age Beach Relay	Evie Bowie	3	
	Madeleine Quinn	2			Eden Levit	3	
U/12 Female Beach Flags	Yasmeen Janschek	2			Oliver Sheldon	3	
U14 Mixed Beach Relay	Tait Allen	2			Ronan Sheppard	3	
	Elizabeth Tanner	2			Ethan Smith	3	
	Ruby Thomasyu	2			Xavier Savala	3	
	Nicolas Touffe-Blin	2					
U13 Mixed Beach Relay	Ryan Harper	2					
	Stella Odgers	2					
	Sarah Pignatelli	2					
	Maximillian Tanner	2					

AWARDS

SEASON TROPHIES

Junior Captains	Ruby Thomasyu
	Nicholas McQuinn
Best Club Persons	Renee Gibbs
	Jon Harwin
Best Team in Competition	Alexandra Davison
NSW State Age Championships 2018	Rosa Griffiths
U14's Female Sprint Relay	Ellie Tanner
	Ruby Thomasyu
Extra Single Trophy	Yasmeen Janschek
	Ethan Smith
Best Individual in Competition (Sand)	Eden Levitt
Best Individual in Competition (Water)	Max Moylan

RED CAPS AGE MANAGER AWARDS

"Put Your Cap Back On!"	Joanne Quinn	2014-2018
"Put Your Cap Back On!"	Craig Sewell	2015-2018
"The Mighty Red Caps!"	Steve O'Donnell	2008-2014

CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHIES

U14 Male	Charlie Moore	1
	Baxter Flynn	2
	Nicolas Touffe-Blin	2
U14 Female	Charlotte Milner	1
	Alexandra Davison	2
	Ellie Tanner	3
U13 Male	Max Tanner	1
	Benjamin Finegan	2
	Daniel Kavanagh	3
	Ryan Harper	3
U13 Female	Ava Szabo	1
	Sarah Pignatelli	2
	Tamara Abagi	3
U12 Male	Max Moylan	1
	Cooper Habler	2
	William Waugh	3
U12 Female	Yasmeen Janschek	1
	Emma Silvestri	2
	Eden Levitt	2

CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHIES

Award	Winner	Place
U12 Female	Frances McMillian	3
U11 Male	James Finegan	1
	Zoltahn Szabo	1
	Tristan Lee	3
U11 Female	Madeleine Quinn	1
	Emily Matheson-Raynor	2
	Alexis Eckersley	3
U10 Male	Benjamin Pignatelli	1
	Cian Bligh	2
	Jack Johnson	3
U10 Female	Niamh Lynch	1
	Alice Bowler	2
	Amelia Byrne	3
U9 Male	Joe Garratt	1
	Angus Folsom	2
	Edward House	3
U9 Female	Caitlyn Lee	1
	Emma Haley	2
	Evie Bowie	3

IRONPERSON TROPHIES

Award	Winner
U14 Male	Charlie Moore
U14 Female	Charlotte Milner
U13 Male	Benjamin Finegan
U13 Female	Ava Szabo
U12 Male	Max Moylan
U12 Female	Zoe Moore
U11 Male	Zoltahn Szabo
U11 Female	Alexis Eckersley
U10 Male	Benjamin Pignatelli
U10 Female	Marysia Malecka
U9 Male	Angus Folsom
U9 Female	Caitlin Lee
	Teagan Curry

AWARDS



JOHN MUDGE TROPHY

13-14's Male	Baxter Flynn
13-14's Female	Ruby Thomasyu
	Ava Szabo
	Sarah Pignatelli
11-12's Male	Max Moylan
11-12's Female	Yasmeen Janschek
9-10's Male	Oliver Sheldon
9-10's Female	Hannah Gladstone
	Ethan Smith
	Eden Levitt
	Max Moylan

UNDER 8'S TROPHIES

Most Outstanding Effort in Water - Male	Richard Nestor
Most Outstanding Effort in Water - Female	Matilda LeBard
Most Outstanding Effort in Sprint - Male	Bas Baggitt
Most Outstanding Effort in Sprint - Female	Claire Campbell
Most Outstanding Effort in Flags - Male	Bas Baggitt
Most Outstanding Effort in Flags - Female	Matilda LeBard
Age Managers Award - Male	Felix Duncan
Age Mangers Award - Female	Matilda Burrett

MOST OUTSTANDING EFFORT IN FLAGS

U9's Male	Felix Wain
U9's Female	Giorgia Aiello
U10's Male	Oscar Burns
U10's Female	Cleo Welsh
U11's Male	Sebastien Elizondo
U11's Female	Aisling Connolly
U12's Male	Oskar Lebard
U12's Female	Zali Deep
U13's Male	Beatrice Littlewood
U13's Female	Samuel Stewart
U14's Male	Tom Brcic
U14's Female	Rosa Griffiths

MOST OUTSTANDING EFFORT IN BEACH SPRINT

U9's Male	Robert Tymula
U9's Female	Allegra Jonson
U10's Male	Darcy Collins
U10's Female	Hilary Nikolic
U11's Male	Conor McFadden
U11's Female	Sienna Durante
U12's Male	Taigo Mendes
U12's Female	Trinity McPherson
U13's Male	Stella Odgers
U13's Female	Xavier Savala
U14's Male	Tait Allen
U14's Female	Ruby Thomasyu

MOST OUTSTANDING EFFORT IN SURF SWIM

U9's Male	Charlie Carter
U9's Female	Tessa Allen
U10's Male	Casper Lucas-Funk
U10's Female	Taya Langenbach
U11's Male	Connor Boyd
U11's Female	Jessica Flynn
U12's Male	Josh Fernandez
U12's Female	Ciara Regan
U13's Male	Thomas Kemp
U13's Female	Olivia Fenech
U14's Male	Callum Emery
U14's Female	Scarlett Deas

MOST OUTSTANDING EFFORT ON BOARD

U9's Male	Kai Gregory
U9's Female	Indiana Hardy
U10's Male	Xanthe Hardy
U10's Female	Jasmine Trustrum
U11's Male	Huon Groves
U11's Female	Holly Edmunds
U12's Male	Campbell Groves
U12's Female	Emma Silvestri
U13's Male	Samuel Mackenzie
U13's Female	Imogen Lucas
U14's Male	Cooper O'Donnell
U14's Female	Anneliese Smart

AWARDS



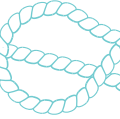
AGE MANAGERS AWARD

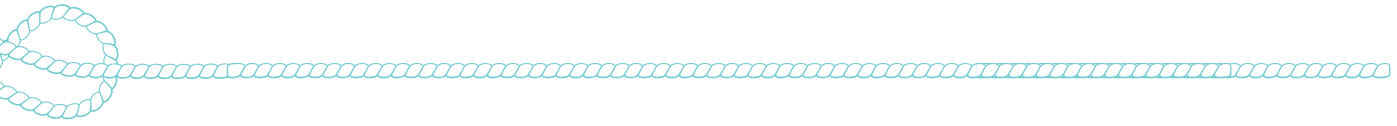
U9's Male	Matteo Garcia
U9's Female	Tanika Lennon
U10's Male	Alexander Contarino
U10's Female	Colette Heggie-Protiere
U11's Male	William Tanner
U11's Female	Risha Mistry
U12's Male	Finn Wiki
U12's Female	Jasmine Miller
U13's Male	Owen Gallagher
U13's Female	Southida Norkeo
U14's Male	Filip Pluta
U14's Female	Saoirse Burns

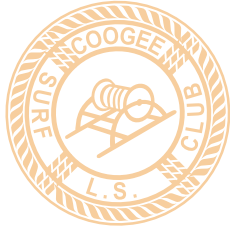
MOST OUTSTANDING LIFESAVER

U9's Male	Koby Sager
U9's Female	Maddison Edwards
U10's Male	George Agiasotis
U10's Female	Lara Stock
U11's Male	Otto Frieheit
U11's Female	Julia Mallum
U12's Male	David Belavic
U12's Female	Matilda Zenere
U13's Male	Oliver Costello
U13's Female	Tara Boyd
U14's Male	Max Hooker
U14's Female	Zoe Kander





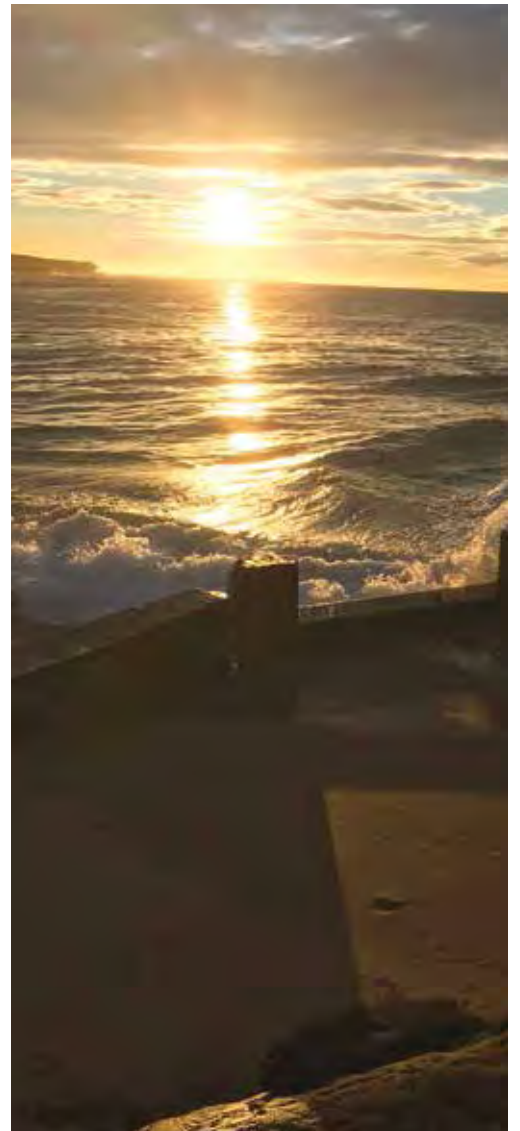




Community



Coogee Surf Life Saving Club is a family built on a common purpose and shared experience. Over 112 seasons we have fought wars together, saved lives, won medals and shared moments.





Anzac Commemoration



DAVID PARK

On a perfect April day we met at the boat shed for our annual march along the promenade to the Fallen Lifesaver Memorial.

This year we were joined by the Federal and State Members as well as the Mayor of Randwick, the President of the Coogee Randwick Clovelly Sub Branch of the RSL, and with the President of the Diggers.

The catafalque party marched the flags along the promenade with the Dignitaries, Lifesavers, Nippers from both South Maroubra and Coogee, Scout Groups and members of the public following on.

The service was led by Club Governor, Tony Waller, with a very heart warming response given by Bec Waugh. Tia sang her moving song "The Men who Build our Home" before the reading of "100 years since Anzac" by club members Andi Illidge, Marcus Karozis, Bec Waugh and Lt. Col. James Campbell.

Will Harrison carried out 'The Reading of the Ode' prior to the Wreath laying by Matt Thistlethwaite (Federal Member), Bruce Notley-Smith (State Member), Cr Lindsay Shurey (Mayor of Randwick), Charlotte Milner and Cooper O'Donnell (Coogee Minnows), Charlotte McHenry and Dave Habler (Coogee Surf Club), Barry Collins (President of the local RSL Sub Branch), Steve Despea and Phil Vannan from the Diggers along with representatives from the South Maroubra Nippers and the Senior Club and the various Scout groups in attendance.

This was followed by the Last Post and Reveille by bugler, Ross Griffiths. A minute's silence was observed during the commemoration when everyone faced the ocean.

A separate service was held in the Memorial Hall where Club Governor, David Park and Lt. Col. James Campbell addressed a packed room, after which Doug Hawkins showed the video of Tia Haes' moving song 'The Men Who Built our Home'.

It was impressive to see so many young members of our community involved in the service - the nippers, scouts, and blueys. May it continue.

A big thank you to the organising committee - Dave Habler, Tony Waller, Barry Collins and Doug Hawkins who did a lot of work bringing the whole commemoration together.

Also to all who participated on the day, thank you. There is a lot of work goes into arranging this day, from putting up to packing up, the organising of the wreaths and food and drinks.

David 'Luna' Park
Governor/Life Member





*David 'Luna' Park
at the 50 Year Dinner*

50 Year Long Service Function



DAVID PARK

This year we had two very special 75 year awards presented to Kevin Turner and Life Member and Club Patron, Barrie Cribb ASM.

75 years in surf lifesaving is a huge achievement and we congratulate both Kevin and Barrie on receiving these special awards. They join Nob Hill and Trux Park as our four current 75 year SLSA long service members.

The 50 year members were welcomed by Club Captain, Andy Gardiner who gave a rundown on the year's activities in lifesaving, education, the minnows and competition. Thanks Andy.

We had two 50 year award recipients, being Richard 'Dicky' Evans and Geoffrey Martin OAM. Geoffrey was in hospital the night of the presentation and the following Sunday we learnt the tragic news that Geoffrey had passed away.

We were honoured to be also joined by Mark Berghouse, who flew in from Europe and was presented with his and his brother, Paul's, awards. They both qualified last year for their 50 year awards.

Cribby spoke of some of the highlights of his 75 years in the club



75 Year Members Kevin Turner and Barrie Cribb ASM

and we had Damian 'The Duck' Maree present a very old Coogee shark bell he had hidden away. He told the story of how he came to have it when they tore down the old shark tower. We will put it to good use.

So many 50 year members have told us how much they love this evening and how appreciative they are that the club remembers them. A big thank you to Danny Gibbs for looking after the memories and

laying out the table with photos of functions past. These sort of gestures make the evening that much better. Thanks to Tracey and Karen who did all the work behind the scenes and Doug Hawkins for being a backup on the media side.

Till next year

David 'Luna' Park
Governor/Life Member







Coogee Island Challenge



JERRY VOCHTELOO

Coogee again ran two successful oceans swims this year. It is due to the professionalism and dedication of the Coogee volunteers that the event continues to draw more than 1000 swimmers each swim and continues to be a major fundraiser for the club. It will no doubt remain so

For the November swim, despite the cold conditions we still had more than 1500 swimmers register and swim on the day. The April swim, in contrast, was a beautiful day and again more than 1300 swimmers flocked to our wonderful beach.

Thank you to all the water safety, IRB, first aid, setup, registration, pack-up, BBQ and merchandise volunteers who assisted on both days. The Coogee Island Challenge would not exist without them.

The swim also attracts volunteers that come back year after year even though they no longer live in Coogee. Lisa, Heather, Deacon and family deserve a massive thanks.

The water safety team of Matt Spooner, Scott Parker, Andrew Tooher, Tass Karozis, Mihalis Papadopoulos,

Stu Fillman, Craig Howie, Paul Lardi, Andy Gardiner and Paul Stiff keep our swimmers safe around the island year after year. To the admin Team: MJ (you can never leave), Tracey, Trudy and Olivia, Al and Mark, thank you for the behind the scenes work.

We would also like to thank the event major sponsor Renault for the support for both legs of the swim (unlike the tent) and Rob Yeldon for looking after the cars.



Jerry Vochteloo
CIC Committee Member



Coogee Dippers



STEVE O'DONNELL

After a very successful pilot program in 2017, the Coogee Dippers program grew significantly and is now an integral part of the Minnows season.

In 2018 we went from a four week program to eight weeks and the numbers of amazing participants and families went from 14 to 26. The crew from Autism Swim led by Erika Gleeson did another terrific job in training our large group of volunteers and through some funding from Primary Clubs NSW we were able to purchase a number of modified boards and equipment. Dippers has also just received some further funding from Bendigo Bank to train more volunteers in drowning prevention and first aid specific to this group. A big thank you to our parents and club members who were part of this program again this year. In particular I wanted to highlight the ongoing support from Doug Hawkins. We were also blessed to get even more

media coverage on Channel 9 and SBS and the families of the participants had nothing but great things to say about Coogee and what were able to deliver. Many other local clubs are now looking at our program and what we do. Hopefully we can continue to grow and provide lifesaving skills and surf education to an even wider and more diverse population in the community. The Dippers program in 2018 is another great example of why Coogee is the best surf club in Australia.

Steve O'Donnell
Minnows Captain



Coffee Club



DAVID PARK

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



The Coffee Club has now become entrenched as part of club culture where members meet at 10am on Monday mornings to enjoy a coffee or tea while swapping stories and discussing current topics.

Glen Miller is our chief hard working barista ably assisted by George and Luna.

It is very popular amongst our older members with 92 year old Les Holden travelling from Balmoral every Monday to attend.

A lot of the world's problems get resolved each Monday morning. All members are welcomed to join us at Monday morning's Coffee Club.

A big thank you to Glen who organises and keeps the whole event together, and George, who also deserves a small mention.



David 'Luna' Park
Governor/Life Member

Penguins Winter Swimming Club



DENNIS MORGAN

Coogee Penguins swim every Sunday morning in winter (from May to September) at 10:15am at the Ross Jones Pool below the Surf Club.



It was good to be back at our pool in 2017 after the interrupted season last year. Our highlight was the marking of 70 years of Penguin swimming. The celebration at the Surf Club in July was a memorable evening with memorabilia, reminiscence speeches and attendance of past members.

The sad passing of our esteemed Life Member Sue Phillips was a low and a great shock for the club. Sue held many executive positions over 20 years and was integral to the club in so many ways. We miss her presence.

We supported the Winter Swimming Association by competing at the Southern Metropolitan Championships at Bondi Icebergs. Seven swimmers made age finals.

Socially, each relay team hosted monthly BBQs, and we enjoyed a Sunday lunch at The Randwick Bowling Club. We ran two very successful BBQs at Mitre 10 Matraville.



Our Presentation and AGM were held at the Surf Club in November. The delicious food this year was organized by the Blue Monkey Thai Restaurant at The Spot. Christine Devine won the overall point score. Tim Green won the IM Series. The prestigious Queen Penguin was won by Gemma Lumley and King Penguin

by Julian McDowall. Alligators won the new Sue Phillips Relay Shield. We congratulated two 100% swimmers.

The Executive for the 2017 season was:

President: Bruce Hammond
Secretary: Christine Devine
Treasurer: Tim Green
Captain: Dennis Morgan
Handicapper: Geoff Taylor
Chief Judge: Mick McMahon

We welcome new members especially Surf Club members.

Contact details are:

Bruce Hammond (0418270983);
Dennis Morgan (0405420671);
email: club@penguinswsc.com
website: www.penguinswsc.com

Dennis Morgan
Penguins Captain

Sponsorship Report



ROB YELDON

Coogee Surf Life Saving Club revolves around continuous community support. Our volunteer lifesavers, competitors and administrators all give up their time to share their skills and save lives on the wonderful Coogee Beach.



Prime in the community is the support provided by our sponsors who once again have continued their generous support of the Club for the 2017-2018 Season.

I ask all Members to take a moment and study the names on the Sponsors Board outside the Clubhouse, banners, our website, on boats, craft and apparel and do their best to remember their support when making our day to day purchasing decisions.

Randwick City Council maintains its support to the Club in so many ways. The Council continues to support the Club with assistance with the Clubhouse, approving the use of the beach throughout the year for the running of our major events along with our regular weekend activities. We very much appreciate the



Council's support and the excellent work done by its Councillors and officers along with its Lifeguards.

The Coogee Bay Hotel has continued as major sponsor of the Club which is recognised by having their logo on our patrol uniforms and us naming our prestigious Carnival "Coogee Bay Hotel Coogee Carnival". It is great to have Chris and the leadership team actively supporting the Club and its events. We look forward to a strong and continued mutually beneficial relationship with our iconic neighbour the CBH.

SCU More Generous Banking is the Club's longest serving sponsor. They support the much sought after SCU More Generous Banking "Maurie Daly" Scholarship which this year was awarded to Harrison



Smith. The green SCU logo was proudly on display all season on the SCU named surf boat. It was great to see Ashley Jennings, Adam Milbank and their local managers present at the Carnival, SCU Boat launch and Sponsors' night and at the Annual Dinner to present the Scholarship.

Our local community partners Coogee Diggers, The Randwick Club (RLC/RBC), South Sydney Junior Rugby League Club and Wylie's Baths continued their long history with our Club and its members. We respect their ongoing and continued support and thank the Boards and Executives of these Clubs for their generosity.

The Randwick Rugby Foundation has again given their support to the Club this season and we thank Chairman Peter Sweeney, the Board and Executive for their continued support.

Harvey Norman Commercial Division continues to be one of the strongest and supportive sponsors, looking after the Club now for over 12 years. Each year Alan Stephenson has been willing to increase his generosity, which is greatly appreciated.

Clovelly Community Bank's (Bendigo Bank) IRB from last season is still going strong. Thanks to Peter Swan and Andrew Winters for their continued interest in Coogee Surf Club.

Sydney City Renault continued their support of the two Ocean Swims this Season, proudly showing off their Renault livery at these events. We appreciate Scott Hilton's support and that of Brian Hilton Motor Group.

Significant ongoing support has also been forthcoming from:

Coogee Real Estate – James Giltinan
Chish'n'Fips – Steve and Gerry
Savills Australia – Rob Lowe

We would also like to acknowledge these sponsors who help us with specific areas in the surf club:

Blooms the Chemist (Paul Sharman & Alyce Heffernan) – Sponsor and Club's first aid supplies providers

Jason Nicholson from **Macquarie Private Wealth** – with Junior Development

Eastern Heart Clinic (Dr Gregory Cranney and Anthony Shubitz) – Defibrillator and training

Channel 9 (Karen McCart) – Oars and Marquee

Sugarcane Restaurant (Jason Cooper & Milan Strbac) – Racing Malibu

Mr AC (Mark Ronald) – Airconditioning

Look Design – Merchandise and design

Elektric Michael Cantarella – building electrical and security work

Danny Gibbs Pty Ltd – photography for the Club

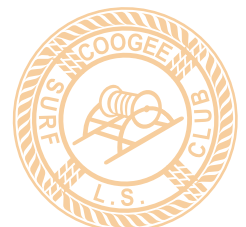
Steve "Chimes" Gillis once again pulled off another successful Sportsmans Lunch. Whilst the event has become an institution it is a major fund raiser for Coogee's surf sports team, we recognise the effort that goes into making the event a success is substantial.

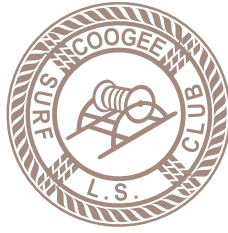
Finally, thanks to the support of David "Luna" Park and Michelle Phillips for their continued input.

Lastly, in recognition of Sponsor support, I remind all Club Members to think about our Sponsors when buying, selling and doing business.

On behalf of the Executive, Management and Members we thank all our sponsors for your continued and generous support of our life saving activities for the 2017-2018 Season.

Rob Yeldon
Chairman, Sponsorship Committee





Finance



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 plank of our club's success.



Treasurer's Report



RHYS ATKINSON

I am pleased to present the Coogee Surf Life Saving Club financial accounts for season 2017/18. This season the club has delivered a surplus of \$19,984 which is down (-63.3%) from the \$54,499 we achieved in last season. This is due mainly to the additional donations and grants we received last season as a result of the storm damage to the club. Overall this is a positive result and I'm pleased to report that the club has also met its requirements under the Australian Charities and Not for Profits Commission Act 2012 and the Association of Incorporation Act 2009.

INCOME

This season our Total Income decreased by \$68,461 (-6.6%) when compared to last year mainly due to less donations and grants. The key sources of income were:

- **Member Subscriptions** increased by \$17,754 (+21.2%), primarily due to the strong growth in cadet, junior and senior active member subscriptions.
- **Club Ventures** revenue increased by \$45,947 (+7.7%) with the club benefiting from a full season without interruption from storm damage remediation. Club Ventures is our largest source of income and continues to provide the foundations for supporting our operations. Club Ventures consists of three key areas. They are:

I. **The Ocean Room** has enjoyed a full season of operations and this has seen an improvement in the income generated by the Ocean Room. It is a credit to the hard work and dedication from Simon 'Faf' Figures, Karen Beale, Trudy Jones and the entire Ocean Room team that the Ocean Room has performed so well this season. The team is continuing to implement improvements to the facilities and operations and we are seeing tangible benefits for the club;

II. **The Coogee Island Challenge** can best be described in one word this season, WOW!! What a spectacular two swims we held this season. The conditions for both swims were ideal and this resulted in the best financial performance from the swims in five seasons. Although the financial performance is pleasing to report, what's most impressive is the commitment and effort our members make every season to make this swim one of

the premier ocean swims in the country. I'd like to thank Lisa Bolton, Heather Morris, Jerry Vochtelloo and Tass Karozis for their continued leadership in organising the swims. I'd also like to thank the merchandise team, water safety, first aid and all volunteers for an exceptional performance this season;

III. **The Sportsman's Lunch** is an event that is organised and hosted by Steve 'Chimes' Gillis and I wish to thank Chimes for his continued efforts in making this an annual fundraising highlight for the club. This continues to be a major source of funding for the club that greatly assists with our ability to send our competitors to the Australian Titles each year. This fundraising was greatly appreciated this season because of the additional expenses in sending our successful Aussie Touring team to compete in Perth.

• **Sponsorship, Donations & Grants** continue to be an important and very much appreciated source of income for the club. We did experience a reduction in our donations this season as a result of the storm damage fundraising last season. Sponsorship continues to increase and we are extremely grateful for the continued support. I'd like to thank all our donors, sponsors and grant funding for their contribution to the club this season. I'd also like to thank life members David 'Luna' Park and Rob Yeldon for their continued support of our sponsors. This season also saw Rob Gibellini manage our grant applications and I thank Rob for his support in managing this important source of financial support. Overall we should all be proud of the reputation and professionalism of our club that continues to attract wonderful support from our donors, sponsors and grant funding.

EXPENSES

This season has seen a reduction in Total Expenses by -\$33,946 (-3.5%) which is a pleasing result for the club. It is also encouraging to report that the club has been able to continue to refine and improve its expenses by building on the reduction in expenses achieved last season (-1.4%). The key highlights from our expenses are:

• **Club Ventures** expenditure was down \$6,837 (-1.3%) which is an impressive

result considering the increase in income achieved this season;

• **Depreciation** has seen a reduction due a number of club assets reaching the end of the depreciable amount of their useful life such as boats, boards, lifesaving gear and other plant equipment;

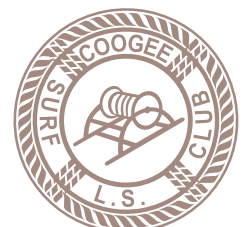
• **Life Saving Gear and Training** has experienced a reduction this season due to the large amount of equipment that was successfully purchased last season via grants and generous donations;

• **Repairs and Maintenance** experienced an increase this season due to the continued maintenance and upkeep of the club.

SUMMARY

The overall net profit surplus of \$19,984 is a sound result for the club. I'd like to take the opportunity to thank Karen Beale and Greg Middleton, who are the administrative heartbeat of the club, for the wonderful support they have provided to me as Treasurer and their ongoing commitment to the success of the club. I'd also like to thank Tracey Bloxson for her support of lifesaving operations and for producing this annual report for the club. Finally thank you to the Executive, Governors and Management Committee members for your guidance and support throughout the season.

Our profit result is a small but important measure of the ongoing success of the club. Every member of the club should be proud of the ongoing financial performance of the club as it continues to deliver world class lifesaving services and maintain it's proud record of no lives lost while on patrol.



Independent Auditor's



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 2018, 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 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 2018 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.

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.

Income Statement

AS AT 31 MAY 2018



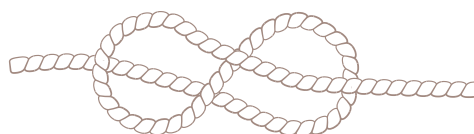
	2018	2017
	\$	\$
Income		
Insurance Recoveries		25,485
Interest Recieved	4,558	6,066
Grants	72,122	144,126
	<u>76,680</u>	<u>175,677</u>
Other Income		
Members Subscriptions	242,777	215,264
Donations	43,130	92,719
Sponsorships	121,166	102,485
Club Ventures	707,260	640,740
Gross rent	15,977	18,242
	<u>1,130,310</u>	<u>1,069,450</u>
	<u>1,206,990</u>	<u>1,245,127</u>
Expenditure		
Office and Administration	182,433	173,051
Depreciation - Leasehold Improvements	52,236	52,236
Depreciation	7,716	18,772
Club Ventures	677,848	651,586
General Operating Costs	31,704	29,617
Rental Unit Expenses	12,853	6,972
Insurance	79,120	71,386
Life Saving Gear & Training	68,129	115,766
Postage	1,264	2,555
Repairs & Maintenance	76,010	69,000
	<u>1,189,313</u>	<u>1,190,941</u>
Surplus	<u>17,677</u>	<u>54,186</u>
Surplus for the year	<u>17,677</u>	<u>54,186</u>
Retained earnings at the beginning of the financial year	<u>1,321,032</u>	<u>1,266,846</u>
Retained earnings at the end of the financial year	<u><u>1,338,709</u></u>	<u><u>1,321,032</u></u>

Balance Sheet

AS AT 31 MAY 2018



		2018	2017
	<i>Note</i>	\$	\$
ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	2	451,251	366,497
Trade and other receivables	3	5,447.00	9,579.00
Financial assets	4	111,045	108,615
Inventories	5	18,502	26,691
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		586,245.00	511,382.00
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	6	893,609	948,656
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		893,609	948,656
TOTAL ASSETS		1,479,854.00	1,460,038.00
LIABILITIES			
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and Other Payables		40,113	37,974
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		40,113	37,974
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Provisions & Reserves	7	6,032	6,032
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		6,032	6,032
TOTAL LIABILITIES		46,145	44,006
NET ASSETS		1,433,709	1,416,032
MEMBERS' FUNDS			
Reserves	8	95,000	95,000
Retained earnings	9	1,338,709	1,321,032
TOTAL MEMBERS' FUNDS		1,433,709	1,416,032



Cash Flow

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2018



	2018	2017
	\$	\$
ASSETS CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Receipts from customers	1,340,060	1,344,693
Payments to suppliers and employees	(1,257,434)	(1,231,434)
Interest received	4,558	6,066
Insurance claim receipts		221,844
Net cash provided by operating activities	87,184	341,169
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Payments for property, plant and equipment		(64,111)
Insurance claim		(219,011)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities		(283,122)
Net increase in cash held	87,184	58,047
Cash at beginning of financial year	475,111	417,064
Cash at end of financial year	2 562,295	475,111

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 2018 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: Mark Doepel

Treasurer: Rhys Atkinson

Dated 15 July 2018



Members



*For the first time in the Club's history,
we have the pleasure to present the reports in colour.
Which means more opportunities to showcase our
brilliant members who make Coogee Surf Life Saving
what it is. Thank you to all our members for your hard
work and tremendous efforts.*





VALE



PETER 'SPIDER' FARTHING 50 YEAR MEMBER

Peter, known to all in the surf club as “Spider”, joined in 1954. He completed his bronze on 6th February 1955 and patrolled from 1955 to 1967 then as a reserve active member from 1968 to 1980 when he was given long service status. Spider was one of the great characters of that era and regularly entertained his mates with stories of what went on in his life. He went through some major health problems and finally moved to Port Macquarie to be near one of his sons. Brother to well known long service member Tony Farthing, Peter died on the 6th March at the age of 80. Our thoughts go to Tony and Peter’s family and friends.



GEOFFREY MARTIN OAM

Geoff died on Sunday 28th April under sudden circumstances that left all that knew him deeply saddened. Geoff joined the club in the season of 1968 - 1969 obtaining his bronze in the 1970s then going on to do his ARC and Instructors Certificate before becoming a member of the Board of Examiners. He also held a level three Officials Competition Certificate.

This is a brief summary of his involvement with the club and surf lifesaving. Geoff in his early years was Hon. Assistant Treasurer for 10 years. He served as Beach Captain on two occasions as well as Hon. Treasurer, Hon. Secretary, Vice President, Deputy President and President. Geoff was awarded both the Honour Blazer in 1981 and the 1907 medal in 2016 for his great service to our club.

Geoff was given Permanent Membership of the Randwick District of Sydney Surf Lifesaving for his work as Hon. Assistant District Administrator from 2004 up until his passing. At Sydney Branch he served as a competition official for 47 years working in various positions including carnival referee. With SLSNSW he officiated at State Championships over 36 years, where he also sat on the State March Past Panel.

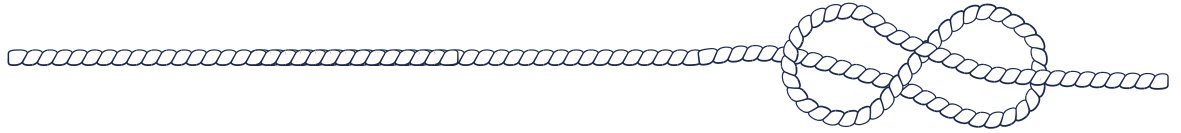
He was involved at the National level for 35 years, especially with the Australian Championships where he took on various officiating rolls including area referee. He was part of the National Surf league working as both a judge and a starter. Geoff received a Citation of Merit from the International Life Saving Federation and an Australian Honour (OAM) for services to Athletics and Surf Life Saving. Well deserved.

He was still part of the Club’s Management Committee serving as Grievance Officer up to the time of his death. A hard worker, a good mate who will be greatly missed by his many friends, including the Corcoran family, and all his Surf Club mates. It was a privilege to have known you. G’bye old mate, you will be missed.



Geoffrey Martin OAM

VALE



ROBERT BROWN 50 YEAR MEMBER

Bob Brown joined Coogee Surf Club as a cadet in season 1961/62. He did his bronze the following season and followed up gaining his Instructors Certificate in 1965/66 season. Bob was an active and reserve active member for 26 years before joining the ranks of the Long Service Membership in 1989. In 2013 Bob received his 50 year long service award pin. Bob died aged 71 on 17th January 2018. He will be missed by family and his surf club mates.

SIR NICK SHEHADIE AC OBE

Sir Nick passed away on 11th February 2018 at the age of 92. Sir Nick gained his Bronze in season 1943/1944 and served on the beach as a senior active member until 1956, that's 12 years of patrols.

Sir Nick was also the uncle to club member Michael Joseph who informs us that Sir Nick was proud to have been the standard bearer of our march past team and always enjoyed being a part of the Penguins winter swimming club. Sir Nick went on to become Captain of the NSW Rugby Team and there is a full page photo in our 1954 annual report of Nick as Australian Wallaby Captain.

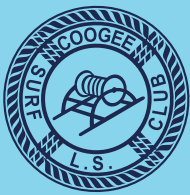
Sir Nicholas Shehadie along with his wife, Professor Marie Bashir, who was State Governor at the time, were special guests at our Centenary Celebrations in 2007. Sir Nicholas went on to become Lord Mayor of Sydney. He was instrumental in establishing TAFE and SBS TV. He was Chairman of the Australian Rugby Union and Patron of Randwick Rugby. These are only the high profile achievements, as he did so much more, but his great attribute was that he was a humble man of the people who would help in any way he could.

Vale Sir Nicholas Shehadie - admired by all.



*1952 Penguins Eating Ice Cream.
Sir Nicholas Shehadie pictured centered.*

Courtesy of Joe Seddon's
"A Century of Vigilance & Service"
CSLSC 100 Year History Book



MEMBERS

Life Members

Ahearn W.J*
Aucher A.L*
Baker H.W*
Beaurepaire F*
Bensley B*
Buchanan S.H*
Calnan W.T*
Cannot J*
Chalmers J*
Clarken J*
Cohen D.S*
Colman R
Cooper D.M*
Cribb B, ASM (75)
Cypher H*
Daly C.L*
Daly G
Davidson C.R*
Dickson H.R*
Dunn J.J*
Everingham W
Furness D.C*
Gately C, ASM
Gates K (50)*
Henderson T.W*
Johnson G.H*
Johnson H.I*
Johnstone R.L*
Jonhes R.S*
Keenan J.J*
Leary P
LeMarseny J (50)*
Lindsell C.A*
Lloyd V.C*
Manning H*
McGann H.P*
McGuiggan P (50)
McRorie J (75)*
Miller R*
Mison B
Oxborrow M (50)
Park D (50)
Parker A.B*
Peters F.A*
Richards C*
Rose H.A*
Ryan J.C*
Scanlon M
Scott C.M*
Scott J.L*
Searle A.J*
Seddon J, OAM (50)*
Sorrell J (50)
Telford B (50)
Thompson H.H*
Wride G*
Waller A
Windon S.J*
Yeldon R

SLSA 75 Year Membership

McRorie J*
Penfold A*
Little K*
Miller J*
Kilgour K*
Hill N
Emerson B*
Turner K
Park C
Cribb B, ASM

SLSA 50 Year Membership

Abbiss J
Allen W
Amundsen P*
Ashton W
Baker P
Bampton D, OAM
Bedford F
Beitsch D
Berghouse M
Berghouse P
Bevan G
Bishop W
Blomberg B
Booth H
Broadbent J
Brown R*
Browne B
Bush M
Cleary D, AM
Coleman N
Costello P
Crow I
Crumblin W
Davis L
Day R
De Luca M
Doab P
Donnison J
Duffy P
Evans R
Farthing P*
Farthing T
Gaffney A
Georgaris M
Godden A
Grantham B
Greenfield V
Habler D
Harris P
Harris L, OAM
Hayes W
Hickey T
Kearney J
Kennedy I
Key K
Kimber W

King R
Larkin R
Lowe R
Lynch P
Maree D
Martin G OAM *
McEachern L
McGrath K
Middeldorp R
Miller J
Neal A
Neal W
Norley A
O'Connor T
Outterside R, AO
Parkinson T
Parsons H
Patterson B
Primo P
Pringle R
Rigby R
Saunders D
Sayle J, OAM
Seaton R
Shortland R
Sinclair G
Sing A
Sweeny W
Sykes B
Tondi G
Ward J
Watson D
Weber J
Welstead M
White F
Winter K
Winters A, OAM

Long Service

Andreatta M
Ashton P
Atkinson R
Baker P
Ball M
Ball M
Barden A
Barden D
Bargenda A
Bayot B
Beale P
Beckett C
Bennett C
Bloxsom A
Bloxsom T
Bransby J
Breadner M
Brown K
Burdett B
Burst R
Campbell R
Cantarella M

Carlson S
Carney P
Carroll T
Carter J
Carter P
Cassimatis G
Cassimatis J
Causer G
Causer M
Causer T
Chieka M
Connelly S
Corcoran J
Costello D
Cotis A
Court P
Crow S
Cunningham M
D'Agostino N
Darragh L
Davies L
Dubos B
Dundas G
Fahey M
Featherstone M
Fernandez M
Fernandez R
Figures S
Finegan M
Fleming D
Fogarty M
Folsom J
Folsom T
Fountain C
Gaffney L
Garcia P
Gately A
Gibbs D
Gillis S
Giltinan J
Green T
Gregor N
Habler C
Hadley M
Haggett D
Hamilton R
Hancy S
Hawkings C
Hayes D
Hayes G
Hedderman V
Hodsdon M
Hume L
Ibbott T
Jenkin S
Jenkins D
Joseph M
Julian B
Julian G
Julian P
Julian P

Jurd K
Kaldor R
Keller I
Kember M
Kemp P
Kofod P
La Rosa J
Lawrence J
Leary M
Leary M
LeMarseny A
LeMarseny J
Liebeskind S
Logan N
Lynch T
Martin C
McCarthy B
McCleery L
McDonald T
McDowall D
McGuiggan N
McGuinness T
McMahon M
Middleton G
Middleton S
Mison K
Mison M
Mison T
Morgan S
O'Sullivan P
Oxborrow J
Oxborrow S
Park K
Parker S
Paterson S
Paul C
Phibbs G
Phibbs P
Phillips M
Pollard G
Preston M
Puebla J
Reid J
Reynolds D
Rich K
Rohanna G
Rooney J
Russell B
Russell-Smith R
Ryan J
Scerri M
Schuback K
Seddon A
Seddon J
Sharpe D
Skene L
Smart C
Smart G
Smith D
Smith E
Summers P

MEMBERS

Terry M
Vanny P
Vercoe R
Visch H
Vochteloo J
Walker A
Walker J
Walker-Winmill N
Waller S
Waugh R
Wheeler W
Williamson D
Williamson J
Wood J
Wooldridge C
Wooldridge V
Wright J
Wright K

Reserve Active

Anderson C
Anderson C
Bennett C
Bolton L
Bowles G
Buggy P
Chilcott P
Conomos T
Cummings M
Curby A
Dady J
Dobry S
Docking B
Eckersley K
Emerson M
Fitzsimons C
Garcia M
Gibbs R
Gibbs S
Harrison M
Harvie P
Hewett E
Howie C
Illidge R
Karozis T
Kolster T
Lavery D
Lennon J
Leong G
Macniven R
McAlpine C
McCarthy D
McDonald J
Miers A
Millist L
Molomby T
Morris H
Mourant I
Muir S
Murray P
Nolan A

Partridge R
Pellagreen K
Pettit J
Pettit P
Power K
Robertson H
Robinson G
Ryan L
Schuback A
Shankar R
Sheppard A
Shubitz A
Sturnieks D
Teale A
Upton C
Wallace R
Williams W
Winkle D

Senior Active

Abbott M
Abonante A
Abruzzese D
Al-Khayat O
Allen B
Allen K
Appel J
Arathoon S
Askham C
Askin P
Bagnall H
Bailie L
Bakovic A
Baldry H
Baldwin P
Bannon S
Barnes M
Bartlett L
Beale J
Beaumont M
Beck J
Beck S
Beer D
Bell G
Bell M
Bellenger S
Bennett A
Bennett E
Bennett T
Bensan A
Berowne J
Bligh M
Bonser S
Bowler P
Bowley R
Boyd A
Boyd G
Brabrook T
Bradford D
Brady J
Brcic A

Brennan W
Brereton C
Brincat L
Broughton A
Brown C
Brown S
Buckley K
Bunaj A
Burdett C
Burke M
Burkitt W
Burns P
Burns S
Byrne A
Byrne N
Callaghan C
Callaghan L
Callaghan S
Callender J
Campbell J
Campbell R
Campbell S
Cantarella C
Cantarella S
Chapman B
Charlier C
Cheer G
Chera G
Cliffe S
Codd L
Connon S
Constantinou A
Constantinou T
Cook J
Cowen L
Cowen N
Cox S
Craven J
Crowe A
Crudden P
Crumblin J
Culliver P
Cummings E
Cusack R
Cuthbert J
D'Cruz M
Darben T
Davis K
Davison I
Davison J
Dawson R
Dean C
Deans S
Deas H
Disley A
Doepel M
Dommel A
Donnelly J
Douglas G
Drabsch L
Dudley L

Duncan J
Dunn J
Durack K
Dyer T
Eddington M
Emery J
Emery J
Emery S
Evans P
Fagan T
Fatseas G
Featherstone E
Ferri De Barros F
Fillman S
Finlayson J
Finucane S
Fiori A
Flynn A
Flynn S
Folland M-C
Forster W
Fossati N
Francis K
Freiheit A
Freiheit W
Fulton B
Fulton S
G R N
Gant A
Garcia R
Garcia Garcia S
Gardiner A
Gardiner O
Garland J
Garvie P
George R
Gibbs C
Gibellini R
Gill E
Gillies M
Gillis P
Glass J
Godfrey S
Godsell J
Goodman M
Grand E
Grand S
Grey A
Grey E
Griffiths N
Guiney P
Haes P
Hakkennes A
Halbert J
Hall L
Hamilton W
Haneman M
Hankin J
Harington C
Harris B
Harrison J

Harrison M
Hawkes J
Hawkins C
Hawkins D
Hawkins H
Hayes T
Hayes-Bradley C
Heenan B
Hely-Hammond E
Henderson S
Heslop K
Hickey P
Hillston A
Hoare J
Hobby S
Hogan M
Holmes C
Hooker P
Hopkins M
Horne A
Horne N
Hornsby B
Howarth R
Hughes G
Inaler M
Ion B
Irvine J
Irvine S
Jackson S
Jamieson A
Johnson A
Johnson E
Johnson F
Johnston E
Jones D
Jones D
Jones R
Jones T
Jonson C
Jordan B
Joukhador N
Karacsonyi C
Karozis A
Karras G
Kauter K
Kavanagh M
Keenihan S
Kelly C
Kennedy P
Keverian S
Keyser W
King A
King J
Kite C
Kofod J
Kozub O
Kroon K
Kroujkov A
Kutena L
La Rosa A
Lance T

MEMBERS

Langan-Stark P	Morey N	Preston S	Stiff E	Waugh W
Lapi J	Morgan A	Ravanello N	Stiff P	Wenck P
Lardi P	Morgan S	Rawson R	Stock P	Westwell N
Latham E	Morosi A	Rayment C	Stockburger T	White A
Le Roux S	Morris J	Reagh J	Stovin-Bradford S	Whyte J
LeBard R	Morris S	Rettke K	Strolin E	Whyte S
Lee B	Morrissey K	Ricamara J	Strolin G	Wilmotte C
Lehman R	Mourant H	Richardson J	Stuetz R	Wilson G
Leong J	Moyes P	Riel R	Sunderland M	Wilson S
Lette M	Mullan E	Rizzo A	Sutton R	Wraight M
Lever S	Mullen S	Roberts A	Swan T	Wright M
Linton S	Murphy D	Roberts G	Sweeney V	Wu L
Lovell C	Murphy G	Robertson R	Taite T	Zonich D
Lovell N	Murphy H	Roche H	Tan J	Zulfacar N
Macassey A	Murray A	Ronald M	Tate L	
Mace F	Murray A	Rossi M	Tate O	<u>Junior Active (15-18)</u>
Mackenzie P	Murray S	Ruane J	Taylor D	Abagi M
Magee C	Muscio J	Russell C	Temby K	Abagi S
Magiera F	Myers L	Russell M	Terry J	Andrews D
Mallam T	Neilson I	Rutherford S	Tesoriero J	Arnol K
Malone M	Neilson M	Ryan B	Tey J	Askham E
Mango M	Neville A	Ryan M	Thoma A	babbage P
Manuel G	Nicholson O	Ryan N	Thomas J	Beale J
Maresh S	Nilsson F	Ryerson T	Thorburn A	Beer A
Marmotta M	Nilsson H	Sarina T	Thornton J	Bond S
Martin N	Niven F	Sarno J	Tikhonov S	Brcic M-L
Marx L	Nolan J	Savian C	Tippett H	Brennan A
Mason T	O'Donnell K	Sayer-Bourne C	Todd J	Callaghan D
Matheson A	O'Donnell S	Scanlon S	Todd J	Callaghan K
McCarthy J	O'Keeffe T	Schork T	Todd W	Carr H
McClean B	O'Neill J	Scott A	Toohar A	Champion T
McDonald A	Ossimitz M-L	Scott A	Toomey M	Coleman A
McDonald B	Ozsdolay N	Scroop D	Torrisi E	Cosgrove L
McDowall J	Paget D	Scroop M	Touffe-Blin J	Cotis E
Mcewin F	Papadatos J	Sen R	Townsend L	Cowen E
McFadden S	Papadopoulos M	Sewell C	Treharne A	Cummings H
McGhee J	Parker J	Seymour R	Trinca J	Cuthbert R
McGuinness K	Parker J	Shaw M	Trisic M	D'ettorre A
McKean B	Parker S	Sheedy B	Trupke P	Davis R
McLaughlin E	Parsons G	Sheedy T	Turner B	Davison W
McMahon S	Parsons M	Sheldon G	Twomey J	Drevon J
McMorrow K	Parszos J	Silvestri L	Twomey J	Durham M
McRae K	Partridge G	Sinfield E	Ukena K	Elphick Z
Mead I	Paterson S	Singleton P	Ulm C	Emery F
Mehta S	Payne M	Slevin J	Valarezo S	Evans D
Mei-Edwards J	Penn W	Slevin K	van den Hoek N	Fernando T
Melcum D	Pepper W	Slevin K	Vasanth S	Foley T
Miers E	Peshevski A	Smart L	Vassilevska J	Fraser A
Mifsud S	Phelps F	Smith C	Vincent J	Freiheit A
Mili M	Philippi J	Smith J	von Jonquieres G	Fulton R
Millar H	Philippi S	Soto F	Vueti J	Funnell B
Millar R	Pignatelli G	Speedie A	Wagner F	Funnell I
Miller G	Pilosio K	Spencer P	Walker B	Gastelaars M
Millist C	Plimer R	Sperling P	Walker S	Georgallis S
Mison W	Pluta J	Spooner M	Wallace C	Giltinan Z
Mister R	Poidevin C	Stacey L	Wallace T	Gollan K
Mitchell B	Poidevin J-L	Stevens P	Waller M	Gollan M
Moles A	Poidevin S	Stewart K	Waller T	Hardwick I
Moore P	Powell J	Stiff A	Walsh L	Harrison E
Moorhouse L	Preshaw A	Stiff C	Walsh S	Harrison W
Moresi R	Preston A	Stiff C	Warneford R	Hoad J

MEMBERS

Illidge A	Veron J	Gately S	Regan O	Ash A
Jackson M	Villania-Small T	Gillis J	Reyppert M	Ashcroft E
Jackson O	Vincent T	Glass B	Roche J	Ashley Z
Johnson G	Vouris J	Glass E	Royal N	Askham G
Jones N	Walker C	Gollan E	Ryan J	Aslan M
Jury J	Wallace B	Gordon J	Ryerson J	Auld M
Karozis C	Wallace Y	Graham S	Saad M	Avati L
Karozis M	Waugh C	Gray M	Sandona E	Ayan A
Karras O	Wilson B	Gray T	Santos-Dwyer Z	Ayan H
Kenny C		Griffith R	Savian E	Ayres L
Kofod S	<u>Cadet Active (13-15)</u>	Habler B	Scroop H	Azar J
Kyling T	Abbey H	Hammerschmidt G	Sedley J	Azar J
Leach M	Allen T	Hammond A	Sewell H	Azar M
Leong N	Andrews J	Hardwick I	Smart A	Babbage L
Littlewood J	Andrews L	Harrison Z	Smyth J	Baggitt B
Love T	Arthur E	Harvie J	Spielman N	Baghdadi L
Lowe H	Ashton A	Havebond L	Stuetz Y	Baker C
Lummow T	Askin P	Hely-Hammond L	Tanner E	Baker Sedgman J
Matheson-Rayner I	Astridge H	Hooker I	Tate L	Baker Sedgman R
McAusland O	Beaumont L	Hooker M	Thomasyu R	Bald A
McDonald G	Beer A	Howarth B	Touffe-Blin N	Bald M
McGovern S	Belavic J	Illidge E	Tran J	Baldow F
McHenry C	Blair T	Jackson M	Traynor G	Bani M
McMahon P	Bodkin E	Kander J	Trustrum M	Banki P
McSweeny H	Bourke D	Kander Z	Trustrum S	Banks F
Mendes N	Brcic T	Kavanagh E	Tuqiri S	Banks L
Miller L	Brooks B	King S	Twomey E	Banks S
Moller P	Brouw E	Lacey C	Ulm S	Barber A
Murphy R	Brown A	Lamont R	Vella E	Barber J
MURRAY C	Burns S	Lamont T	Vincent H	Barber L
Murray J	Butler F	Lechem S	Walsh C	Barbic A
Muyesser I	Byrd J	Levit C	Walsh D	Barlow C
O'Connor C	Cantarella E	Levkin I	Waugh X	Barnes B
O'Connor M	Chambiras K	Littlejohn M	Wells L	Bartik H
Paget R	Charles L	Mackenzie Z	Wendler A	Bateman-Nicholls K
Parker D	Clements Lee E	Macneall P	Wilson A	Baxter G
Parsons J	Clemson L	Magee C	Wilson H	Baykitch J
Peyrachon S	Cogin A	Maskell E		Bean M
Pluta Z	Cosgrove B	McClellan F	<u>Junior Activities</u>	Bean S
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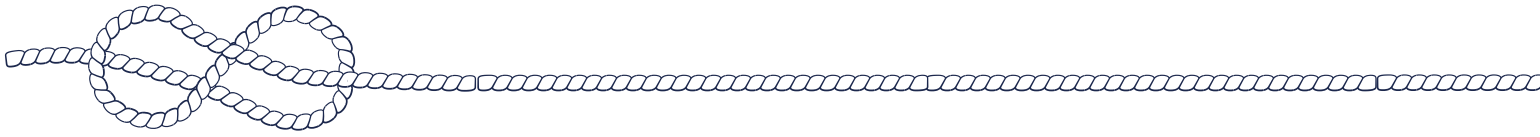
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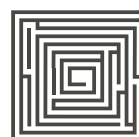
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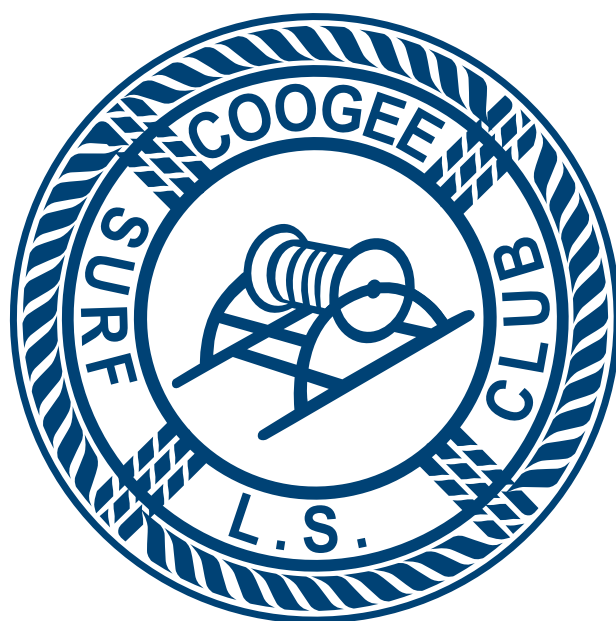
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