

WANDA SLSC

75TH ANNUAL REPORT 2021



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Club of the Year

Wanda SLSC



2021 AUSTRALIAN GOLD MEDALLISTS. PHOTOS BY HARVPIX.COM

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75TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the 75th Annual General Meeting of the Wanda Surf Life Saving Club Incorporated is to be held on Sunday 11th July 2021 in The Founders Room at the Club to commence at 9:00am.

AGENDA

1. Welcome by the President, Nathan Spinner
2. Lifesavers Prayer
3. Confirmation of Attendance
4. Apologies
5. To confirm and adopt the Minutes of the 74th Annual General Meeting held on Sunday 12th July 2020
6. To confirm and adopt minutes of the Special General Meeting held on Sunday 23rd August 2020
7. To receive, consider and adopt the 75th Annual Report and Financial Statement
8. Notice of Motions of which due notice has been given:
 - 8.1 Motion: To change Wanda SLSC Constitution
 - 8.1.1 Moved: John De Cean OAM and Seconded: Anne Caterson
 Clause 16.1.2 – Directors' Titles
 To remove the follow positions from the Board of Management
 - Director of Lifesaving
 - Director of Education
 - Director of Youth
 - 8.1.2 Moved: Anne Caterson and Seconded Michael Bonnici
 Clause 37.1.1 - Club Logo
 Change gold lettering and border of lifebuoy to white.
 Move S.L.S.C. to the bottom of the logo.
 Add EST on left side of the logo and 1946 to right side of the logo
 - 8.2 Motion: Life Membership Application
 - 8.2.1 Moved: Glenn Bell and Seconded: Mikaela Sutherland
 That Jonathan (Jon) Dimitriou be elevated to Life Membership of the Wanda Surf Life Saving Club
 - 8.2.2 Moved: Blake McCrindle and Seconded: Colin Jones
 That Brock Douglas be elevated to Life Member of the Wanda Surf Life Saving Club
9. Announcement of **50** Year Service Awards
 - Richard Smith
 - John De Cean OAM
10. Announcement of **25** Year Service Awards
 - Lynette (Lyn) Robbins
 - Norma McDonald
 - Judith (Judy) Hunter
11. Election of the Board and Life Membership Committee for the 2021/22 Season
12. Urgent General Business

John C. De Cean, OAM
 DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION

OFFICE BEARERS

PATRON Ernest B. Stephens OAM

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President Nathan Spinner
Deputy President Todd Lester
Senior Vice President Mark Sargeant
Club Captain Michael Bonnici
Lifesaving Mikaela Sutherland
Administration John C. De Cean OAM
Finance Anne Caterson
Education Gerard Cafe
Surf Sports Greg Pierce
Facilities Colin Jones
Junior Activities Group Fiona Sutton
Youth Gary McNamara
Member Services Natalie Buckley

SUB-COMMITTEES

LIFESAVING AND EDUCATION

Club Captain Michael Bonnici
Director of Lifesaving Mikaela Sutherland
Director of Education Gerard Cafe
Deputy Director of Lifesaving Harry Stivactas
Deputy Director of Education Matthew Waugh
IRB Captain Mark Lloyd & Brett Porteous
Gear Steward Stephen Trembath

FINANCE & COMPLIANCE

Director of Finance Anne Caterson
Director of Administration John C. De Cean OAM
Deputy Director Brian Mayoh
JAG Treasurer Ray Jokhan
Auxiliary Treasurer Denise Strong
Independents Gary Bradshaw
 Sean O'Donoghue
Senior Vice President Mark Sargeant

SURF SPORTS

Director of Surf Sports Greg Pierce
Deputy Director of Surf Sports Mark Lake
Head Coach Greg Pierce
Boat Captain Brendan MacAlpine
Board Captain Jeff Brown
Ski Captain Nathan Steiner
Beach Captain Larry Leabeater
R&R Captain Katie Spinner

Swim Captain Luke Turner
Lifesaving Events Captain Vacant
Masters Captain Tait Brannock
Team Manager Mark Sargeant
March Past Captain Yvonne Holland

LIFE, DISTINGUISHED MEMBERSHIP & HONOURS

Anita Pryke
 Frank Bailey
 Col Ricketts
 Jeff Brown
 Katie Spinner
 Tim Lee
 Glenn Bell

MEMBERS SERVICES

Director of Member Services Natalie Buckley
Deputy Director of Member Services Kaylene Walker
Members Protection Officer Nicole Lloyd
Publicity Officer Shannon Dixon
Registrar John C. De Cean OAM
Social Organiser Amber Hulbert
 Hayley Steiner
 Graeme Wright

OH&S

Race Secretary Michael Kay
Junior Captain Ella McLachlan

JUDICIARY

Jeff Brown
 Steve Doran

SUTHERLAND 2 SURF Convenor

Karen Byron
 Mick Brannock
 Sue Brannock
 Nathan Spinner
 Mark Sargeant
 Lizzy Sargeant
 Tony Holland
 David Gittus
 Anne Caterson
 Colin Jones
 Sam Axiotis
 Nicole Lloyd

AUXILIARY COMMITTEE (see page 92)

CONSTITUTION

Director of Administration John C. De Cean OAM
 Greg Allum AM
 Chris Fox
 Anita Pryke

WANDA CARNIVAL

Convenor John C. De Cean OAM
 Greg Allum AM
 Grant Bowmer
 Natalie Buckley
 Anne Caterson
 Shannon Dixon
 Sam Park
 Greg Pierce
 Mark Sargeant
 Fiona Sutton
 Brooke Thatcher
 Lisa Zammit

FACILITIES

Director of Facilities Colin Jones
Maintenance Manager Mick Conroy
Gym Manager John Douglas

STRATEGIC

Deputy President Todd Lester
 Brock Douglas
 Trevor Elliott
 Michael Kay
 Grant Sandstrom

JAG (see page 40)

SLSS DELEGATE

Nathan Spinner

TOURING TEAM MANAGER

Mark Sargeant

SPONSORSHIP

The Collective Co.

I.T. ADVISOR

Denny Rowlands

AUDITOR

Frank La Rosa
 Chartered Accountant

LEGAL ADVISOR

Peter Kerr
 Thomson Geer Lawyers

OFFICE ADMINISTRATION

Lisa Allan
 Sharon Collier
 Annabelle Thomas

CARETAKERS

Jaimee Winner (res. Feb 2021)
 Steve Winner (res. Feb 2021)
 Izaak Smith (ele. Feb 2021)

CLUB CHAPLAIN

Thomas Schmid

HONORARY MEMBERS

FOUNDATION MEMBERS †

Les Bates
Sid Bates
Joe Blake
Lindsay Campbell
Ken Dawes
William Dews Snr.
Ralph Fitzpatrick
Keith Freer
Keith Garthon
Harry Gibbons
Clive Holloway
William Kelly
Keith Lord
Bruce Macklin
Ken McDonnell
John McNally
Wal Neale
Ern Newberry
Fred Osborne
Alan Richards
Fred Richards
Eric Sebire
Eric Sheppard
Joe Sheppard
Eric Suann
William Whitehurst

FOUNDATION MEMBERS WANDA SLSC BLUEBOTTLES

Brian Abbott †
L. Barnes
Joe Brock †
John Brown
Dave Clelland Snr. ^
Noel Cox ^
John Iredale †
Max Kirk
Allan Kentwell Snr †
Kevin Lonsdale †
Bruce McCarthy †
Geoffrey Morris
Ron Sandstrom OAM †
Rex Sargeant †
Frank Scott †
Alan Steege ^
Ernest Stephens OAM ^

LIFE MEMBERS

Percy Ainsworth †
Scott Allen •
Gregory Allum AM ^
Frank Bailey •
Steve Barrett •
Peter Brady ^ †
Michael Brannock ^
Tait Brannock •
Jeff Brown •
Tony Buckingham ^
John Cadet ^
Owen Coulter †
Noel Cox ^
Terry Dowers ^ †
Graham Dyson †
Trevor Elliott ^
David Fairfax-Jones †
Jack Folwell †
Alan Freeman †
Keith Freer †
Keith Garthon †
Harry Gibbons †
Michael Gibbs •
Max Hodson †
Rod Hurst •
Douglas Iredale •
John Iredale †
Norm Jamieson †
Colin Jones •
Keith Lord †
William Maker †
John May ^
Ken McDonnell †
Gordon McKirdy •
Sean McKirdy •
Bob Moffat ^
Ross Pratt †
Anita Pryke •
Colin Ricketts •
John Salmon OAM ^
Ron Sandstrom OAM †
Mark Sargeant •
Joe Sheppard †
Ron Smith •
Bill Stafford †
Ernest Stephens OAM ^
Eric Suann †
Les Townsend •
Albany Vial ^
Jamie Walker †

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEMBERS

Gary Bradshaw
Anne Caterson
John Douglas •
Christopher Fox

LIFE MEMBERS AUXILIARY COMMITTEE

Ann Ainsworth ^
Nita Allum †
Sue Backhouse
Mary Brady †
Sue Brannock
Noelene Caesar • †
Jean Gibbons †
Judy Hunter •
Beryl Iredale ^
Sylvia McCarthy †
Lynette Robbins
Wendy Sandstrom ^

LIFE MEMBERS JUNIOR ACTIVITIES GROUP

(Founded May 1988)
Donna Brown
Jeff Brown •
John Douglas •
Don Hudson †
Mark Howden
Robyn Lester
Dean McMahon
David Mullinger ^
Ken Smith
James Traves •

LIFE MEMBERS WANDA SLSC BLUEBOTTLES (1964-1988)

Bruce Breadner †
Barry Bulmer
Dave Clelland Snr ^
Kevin Lennox •
Kevin Lonsdale †
John McAuliffe †
Bruce McCarthy †
Keith McKeachie †
Eric Topper
David Ward
Kay Ward

SENIOR VICE PATRONS

The Hon Scott Morrison MHR Prime Minister of Australia
Mark Speakman M.L.A
Gary Bradshaw
Peter Kerr AM
Eleni Petinos M.L.A
Carmelo Pesce – Mayor til Sept 2020
Steve Simpson – Mayor Sept 2020

VICE PATRONS - SUTHERLAND SHIRE COUNCILLORS

Jack Boyd
Barry Collier OAM
Tom Croucher
Michael Forshaw - Deputy Mayor
Kent Johns
Greg McLean OAM
Daniel Nicholls
Carmelo Pesce
Carol Provan
John Riad
Peter Scaysbrook
Marie Simone
Steve Simpson – Mayor
Diedree Steinwall

VICE PATRONS

Harvie Allison
Joyce Bickley
Ron Bickley
Ian Bourke
Billy Butterfield
Gary Calnan
Alex Clarke
Bernie Cohen
Brian Doyle
Chris Doyle
Barry Holbert
Calvin Holbert
Phillip Holt
Frank La Rosa
Gordon McKirdy
Col Mulhall
Thomas Schmid
Chris Stephenson
Ric Thorburn
John Veage

• 25 year member ^ 50 year member † deceased



BOARD ATTENDANCE 2020/21

Position	Name	Possible	Attendance	Apology
President	Nathan Spinner	11	11	0
Deputy President	Todd Lester	11	10	1
Senior Vice President	Mark Sargeant	11	11	0
Club Captain	Michael Bonnici	11	11	0
Director of Lifesaving	Mikaela Sutherland	11	9	2
Director of Administration	John C. De Cean OAM	11	9	2
Director of Finance	Anne Caterson	11	10	1
Director of Education	Gerard Cafe	11	10	1
Director of Surf Sports	Greg Pierce	11	11	0
Director of Facilities	Colin Jones	11	10	1
Director of Junior Activities Group	Fiona Sutton	11	11	0
Director of Youth	Gary McNamara	11	9	2
Director of Member Services	Natalie Buckley	11	11	0



2020-21 SPONSORS

CLUB SPONSORS

LIFESAVING

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The Holt Estate 1861

Cronulla RSL

Peter Kerr of Thomson Geer

Auxiliary Committee

SURF SPORTS

Gerard Malouf & Partners – Solicitors & Barristers

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Tradies

Southside Animal Hospital

TFH Hire Services

Inten Constructions

MSS Group

The Maker Family

TCF International

Ngaoara

Feast Caterers

The Tool Store

Ken Davidson

Hales Redden Chartered Accountants

Jock Athletic

EVENTS

CARNIVALS

Tradies

Brooks

2020 VIRTUAL SUTHERLAND 2 SURF

Tradies

Brooks

Veolia

Ampol

McDonald's Sutherland Shire Restaurants

Southside Animal Hospital

The Athlete's Foot

WANDA NIPPERS

Planning Ingenuity

Infront Surfcraft

Cronulla Beach Swim School

Men's Republic Barbers

Vision Personal Training Caringbah

Dale Caterson Electrical

Highland Property Agents

Domino's Pizza Cronulla & Caringbah

The Meat Store Caringbah

Bronxx

Voodoo Dri

Masterton Homes

The Cheesecake Shop Caringbah

Kim Mason - Personal Travel Manager

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PATRON'S MESSAGE



The 2020-2021 season will go down in the annuals as a season we did not wish to have. In saying this, I mean with the Coronavirus throughout the world. Luckily, Sydney and its surrounding suburbs seemed to stay clear of it. Although we had to close down our Patrols for part of the season until things were declared safe, we were still advised to stay 1.5 metres from each other.

Our records show the number of rescues we had were a credit to the hours we put into patrolling. I wish to thank our Patrolling Members for the time spent in this regard.

On the other side of the coin, that is the Competition Section, our Club maintained its high ranking as can be seen elsewhere in this Report. We were ranked 5th top club in Australia. Thanks go to all sectional leaders for helping our Club to maintain this high level of achievement, and I am looking forward to Wanda continuing this top level next season.

To the Office Bearers of our Club, congratulations and I hope we can continue at least to maintain this level, if not better next season.

Ernest B (Solly) Stephens OAM

PROUD PATRON OF WANDA SLSC.



PRESIDENT'S REPORT

In my first season as President it is my privilege to present to the Wanda SLSC members your 75th Annual Report.

Our club experiences this year have included challenges that no one could ever have predicted. However, I'm happy to report that we have experienced some wonderful highs. At the onset I would like to point out that all the names of members to be recognised for the many and varied contributions they have made to Wanda this season will not appear in my report – this is the privilege of the individual section reports which I encourage all members to read.

At the end of last season our Surf Lifesaving Season was brought to an abrupt end with COVID-19 stopping us from completing our final surf sports event – the Australian Championships, and with government enforced lockdowns in place in Sydney we were also cut off from finalising the Patrol Season. Whilst this was disappointing it is important that we view our circumstances with perspective, the world has changed as a result of the Pandemic, and if we consider the situation overseas it really hits home how lucky we are to be here in Australia. I sincerely hope that all members have navigated their way through this period in their personal, educational and professional lives.

We can proudly report another season of 'no lives lost' which is a credit to our patrolling effectiveness. This season our members patrol attendance and adherence to rosters was at an all-time high. Our Patrolling Members also achieved a 100% compliance record on



Photo: Malcolm Trees

ALL patrol inspections and audits. Patrolling memberships increased by 13% instigating an additional Patrol which took our total Patrol Teams to 13. On Christmas Day, which was a 'self-rostered' patrol we had over 50 members signing on for the day making this new initiative a great success to be repeated in future seasons. A big thank you to Nat Buckley for organising the catering – it made the day!

Normally, the Carnival Program is locked in, however this season changes needed to be made, which meant unexpected adjustments to the Patrol Roster. We had fantastic engagement and I would like to acknowledge all members for their willingness and flexibility across the season and at all times – answering the call when patrol rosters were modified.

Further to this acknowledgement is our Patrolling Members on Wanda's Emergency Callout Team who assisted emergency services with the NSW Floods, and to those members who received Rescue of the Month Awards, performed off duty rescues and after-hours deployments, as well as the many rescues performed this season on patrol – all proudly mentioned later in this Report.

This season has also been one of the most challenging the Council Lifeguards has encountered with the impacts on social distancing and management of open spaces on the Bate Bay beaches. I wish to take this opportunity to thank Brett Richardson, Bede Elphick and the Sutherland Shire Council Ocean Safety and Lifeguard Team for their tremendous support. We value the

PRESIDENT'S REPORT (CONTINUED)

collaboration, communication, help and guidance we receive patrolling Wanda beach and with Carnivals.

The Club not only increased in Patrolling Member numbers, we also experienced growth in our Junior Activities Group which meant across the board membership growth in the face of a downward trend for all other Sydney Clubs. It is timely to congratulate Denny Rowlands and his team with running the Red Fins Program. The Program is rapidly growing in numbers, and a small team took part at both Branch and State 'inclusive' Championships returning with medals that we can all be extremely proud of.

Wanda was selected to host the Surf Lifesaving New South Wales UAV (Drone) Program (supported by the Department of Primary Industry), coordinated by our Lifesaving Deputy Director, Harry Stivactas. The Program began with the operation of two drones used to provide surveillance to DPI on marine life as well as improving beach safety. There are future plans to have Drone surveillance running alongside our normal Patrols. The benefits of this developing technology assisting with patrolling on the beach speak for itself and is a fantastic initiative within the Surf Lifesaving Movement.

Our lifesaving operations have come a long way in the last few years through the leadership of Michael Bonnici Club Captain, Mikaela Sutherland Director of Lifesaving and Nat Buckley Director Member Services. This area is key to our relevance as an emergency service, and I look forward to Wanda developing more programs that will improve beach safety and continue to engage our membership.

Our Education Section has also enjoyed significant progress with a 36% increase in member training with Wanda leading the SLS Education Awards across Sydney Branch for much of the season and finishing the season with the highest total awards in the Cronulla/Sutherland District. This season we have seen a positive pattern of members completing their Surf Rescue Certificate and Bronze Medallion and then immediately enrolling in additional courses or higher awards. We have also had record numbers of Nipper parents undertaking training to help out with Water Safety during Sunday's Nipper Program and with carnivals. Additional trainers were called for at the end of last season and congratulations to Denny Rowlands, Mick Conroy and Glen Watson on being endorsed this season. I would like to thank Gerard Cafe for leading our education pathways and I refer you to the Member's Education Awards List in this Report. Congratulations to all those listed on your achievements.

Congratulations also to those members who took up extra-curricular Lifesaving and Leadership development, namely the Surf Life Saving Sydney run Young Leaders Program and the U11 and U13 Branch Development Camp.

Wanda being committed to community education and involvement trained over 200 people through our Education Surf Safety Program at local schools and at the Club for 'CALD' (Culturally and Linguistically Diverse) groups from overseas on being safe in the surf. The positive feedback has been overwhelming and further acknowledged at the Branch Awards of Excellence with the Program winning the 'Community

Education Program of the Year' Award. We look forward to continuing our community focus in this space next season.

It has been a season of unknowns – we experienced enforced closure of member's facilities, lockdowns and cancellations of carnivals. We saw the introduction of QR Codes, COVID Safety Plans, age group zones for Nippers and carnivals, appointment of COVID Marshalls both on the beach and at carnivals, as well as in the Club's Gym. Special mention to Gary McNamara who volunteered to be Wanda's COVID Safety Coordinator and to those members who helped as Marshalls. Gary, a great job ensuring we followed Safety Plan Guidelines and for contributing to the safety of our members and visitors to the Club.

Early in the year we made the difficult decision to cancel our traditional Sutherland 2 Surf due to public gathering restrictions. What we did instead was to reinvent the Race and held a successful "Virtual" S2S. The event was supported by many members, returning entrants and the running community more generally. Whilst the cancellation of the event affected our major fundraising ability, we thankfully made up some ground on club revenue by holding the virtual event with the support of our sponsors. I would like to thank Karen Byron and the Organising Committee for their agility to bring this event to life and to our major sponsor Tradies as well as Veolia, Caltex, Southside Animal Hospital, McDonald's, Brooks and The Athletes Foot. Special mention must go to Sharon Collier and Mel Campbell for their contribution to organising this innovative event.

Wanda's previous years of strong



financial performance have positioned us well to meet the challenges that were thrown at us last season. The cancellation of the traditional S2S, pressure on sponsor's capacity and the need to assist out tenants with rent relief, as they were forced to shut down during the season, all impacted on our ability to fund club activities. To buffer against the loss in revenue we have been fortunate to apply for and receive Grants for Federal Government assistance through the Jobkeeper Scheme, a NSW Government Grant to assist with paying utilities such as insurance, water and electricity and a Surf Lifesaving NSW Grant issued to all clubs to assist them to continue to deliver services to members.

The Club has had continual maintenance problems with the roof and solar system at the southern end of the Clubhouse, and due to the projected cost to fix the issues the Club applied for the State Government Office of Sport's 'Surf Club Facility Program' Grant. I am delighted to advise that Wanda along with Elouera SLSC and North Cronulla SLSC have just been notified that we were all successful with our applications. Wanda has been awarded \$236,466 towards the replacement of the Clubhouse roof (southern end), solar panel system and mechanical components on the roof with works commencing this year.

I would like to commend Anne Caterson and the Finance and Compliance team Todd Lester, Mark Sargeant and Colin Jones along with the support of Annabelle Thomas for ensuring we maximised these opportunities for funds.

We continued to pay down our building

debt whilst continuing to fund our core operations. Our objective this season was to limit the impact on member experience, and if it was safe to do so, conduct activities as close to normal as possible. Proudly, and as always Wanda maintained being ahead in terms of the commencement of lifesaving activities. The major contributing factor to this achievement is the willingness of the club's leadership representatives and committees to develop, draft and implement operating plans (in particular, COVID Safety Plans).

Wanda has been in negotiations with Sutherland Shire Council to renew our Lease and redraft our Plan of Management (a document that details the use of the land and building). Without a Council Lease on the property we are unable to enter into Sub-Leases with commercial tenants and it is therefore important that we move forward to finalise our Lease with Council as soon as practical. The club will then enter into Sub-Lease negotiations with an overarching focus to sustaining externally and improving internally our Clubhouse facility, as well as funding the delivery of our lifesaving and educational operations and member's experience.

I would like to acknowledge the collaboration of our neighbouring surf clubs Cronulla, North Cronulla and Elouera during this process and in particular David Kowald – Elouera President. From our own team thank you Anne Caterson, Mark (Sarge) Sargeant, Todd Lester and Michael Wirth for assisting with the negotiation process. For more details, please see Sarge's Senior Vice President Report.

We saw a number of initiatives from our 2027 Strategic Plan continue to roll out and our Strategic Committee has embarked on a revitalised Terms of Reference that will help the members map a path aimed at preserving our 75 year history while planning for future growth. One key project that was realised this season was the Club History Digitisation search platform lead by Mal Dickey.

Along with the individual mentions made in my report and throughout the Annual Report I would like to thank the Executive Team and Board of Management for being open to accept the challenges that the club had throughout the year. Specifically, I would like to thank them for allowing me the time to challenge some conventional surf club thinking, and for being patient while we considered all points of view to arrive at better outcomes for our members. I will continue to challenge our leaders to critic what is considered conventional and look for new ways of achieving an exceptional member experience and operational excellence.

Our affiliation to District, Branch, State and SLS Australia can sometimes get lost in the day to day operations of the club. We are a cog in a large wheel that can only turn through the work and commitment of some 181,603 surf lifesaving volunteer members. This season our District welcomed 3 new Club Presidents. The District is currently reviewing opportunities for collaboration between the 4 clubs. We are looking forward to engaging more proactively with Council Lifeguard Services and support operations to improve the scope of lifesaving across the Bate Bay. We also welcomed a new Chair with Martin Dillon taking over from Martin Fulton who stood down for health reasons. On behalf of the Wanda membership, I would like to wish Martin Fulton all the best for a full recovery.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT (CONTINUED)

During the 2019/2020 season SLS Sydney also welcomed Peter Agnew ESM into the role of President. This season Peter's coordination and leadership of the Branch Council is to be commended. I really enjoyed the structure of the Council meeting discussions and opportunity for group learning.

Congratulations to our Sydney Branch Awards of Excellence nominees and award winners. Wanda dominated the Awards evening winning a total of 11 Awards. Our full Award List can be found on page 32 Being awarded the 'Club of the Year' is a reflection of the success Wanda has experienced this season and a wonderful recognition for the Members of Wanda after a huge season on and off the beach. Criteria for this prestigious award takes into account all aspects of the club and includes an interview process. It was easy to talk to the panel about the great work our members are doing to embrace our 'One Club Culture' and continue to strive for improvements in all aspects of Surf Lifesaving. I would like to thank Michael Bonnici for the preparation of the nomination and also his input during the interview process.

This season we celebrated the hard work of so many athletes and the energy of our club on the beach was the envy of many around Australia. We were placed 3rd JAG State, 2nd Senior State, 5th Senior Australian Championships and 1st at Sydney Branch Carnival, Wanda Tradies One Club Carnival and the Interclub Carnival. We welcomed 9 Australian Champions on the Sunshine Coast this season and if the members allow me to indulge – a New South Wales Representative Surf Boat Crew in the U23 Male Division winning the Australian Interstate

Championships in Mollymook. We also saw members representing Wanda in the elite Nutri-Grain Iron and NextGen series. I am so proud that our club has realised high performance pathways whilst driving improvements in all other aspects of surf lifesaving. Congratulations to Greg Pierce, Director of Surf Sports and Head Coach and his team of Coaches on their success this season and to Brooke Thatcher (JAG Team Manager), Fiona Sutton (Director JAG), Age Managers and Coaches for their results at the Junior State titles.

Also extremely exciting was Wanda having competitors in the Lifesaving Events at Branch, State and Aussies after many years. I would like to draw your attention to the Competition Lifesaving Section Report by Mark Sargeant detailing some unbelievable member achievements this season. Be sure to read it!

As for our local carnivals, Wanda held the inaugural Bate Bay Gold (even with COVID restrictions) and the Wanda Tradies One Club Carnival was the only 'Club Carnival' held in Sydney Branch this season.

A major highlight this season for me was holding our Special General Meeting and welcoming 3 new Life Members; Tait Brannock, Colin Jones and Scott Allen and 4 new Distinguished Service Members; Anne Caterson, Gary Bradshaw, Chris Fox and John Douglas. Congratulation for being acknowledged by your peers for exemplary and sustained contribution to Wanda.

Congratulations to Fiona Sutton for being awarded the C.V. Forshaw Trophy. This Trophy is our most prestigious Award and is awarded to Wanda's 'Most Consistent Member'.

Fiona has been a driving force in our Junior Activities Group, and I believe this acknowledgment is a sign of how far Wanda has come bringing our club together and living by our One Club ethos. The Board of Management and Club Members thank you Fiona for your contribution.

I thank all supporters and sponsors for continuing to be part of our surf club life and I encourage everyone to go to pages 6-7 and show your support through buying their products or using their services. They are the business partners that support us.

Congratulations to all those who have experienced significant milestones such as a birth, engagement or marriage during the season. And for those that have experienced the loss of a loved one – my sincere condolences.

Before next season we hope members and their families join in two of the Club's milestone events. The first is Wanda's 50th Anniversary of the Sutherland to Surf Fun Run and Walk in July followed by the Club celebrating seventy five years in Surf Lifesaving (1946-2021) in September at the 75th Reunion Gala Dinner in The Founders Room at the Club.

Finally, I would like to thank my loving supporters, Katie, Grace, Liesl and Nat for allowing me the space to fulfil my role as Wanda President and especially Katie for being a sympathetic sounding board over the past year.

I look forward to seeing you on the beach in our 75th season!

Nathan Spinner

PRESIDENT

SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT



Another difficult year with COVID-19 restrictions and lots of new procedures and protocols, cancellation of events and carnivals, loss of rent and revenue etc. However, due to the hard work and commitment of the Executive, the Board of Directors and Sub-Committees, Wanda not only survived, it flourished even in these difficult times.

My role as Senior Vice President includes looking after the leases of our tenants and involvement in the Head Lease with Sutherland Shire Council. As I write this Report, we are very close to agreement and signing of the new Head Lease with Sutherland Shire Council for the next twenty (20) years. Congratulations to our President, Nathan Spinner, who has really been driving this important document which will shape the future of Wanda.

It is important for ALL members to be aware that the proposed new Head Lease with SSC is very different to the current one which has shared responsibility for community space maintenance between Wanda and the Council. The changes in the new lease are due to the key objective of the Council to strive for cost neutrality of community assets.

The key changes for Members to be aware of include:

- Wanda will now be 100% responsible for repairs and maintenance to all commercial areas of our Clubhouse including fire safety maintenance and compliance.
- Wanda and Council will share 50:50 roof repairs, maintenance and replacement.
- Wanda will now have to pay for pest control, garbage and increased rent.
- Wanda will now have to pay to Council an annual insurance contribution – approximately \$10,000 per annum.

Wanda SLSC turns 75 this year, let's all celebrate together in The Founders Room on 11 September 2021.



- Wanda and Council will now have to each make an annual asset renewal contribution of approximately \$39,000.00 per year.
- However, after 10 years Council may decide to cease making the above financial contribution towards the works and if so, all obligations under replacement, repairs and maintenance annexures become Wanda's sole financial responsibility.

The Wanda Board of Directors encourages all Members to understand our long-term lease obligations and if they have any feedback to please seek out one of the Club Executives or follow the Council notification instructions.

Further to this, and for member's information all our current Tenant Leases expire at the end of 2021. Once the Head Lease is agreed upon, we will move onto negotiating the new Sub Leases.

The other role of the Senior Vice President is to be the 'old guy' on the Board to help our directors and/or members where required. I thank all the Directors, Committees and Members for their support and hard work in an extremely difficult year.

Thank you.

Mark Sargeant

SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT



CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT



With a number of drownings taking place in the wider Bate Bay area in places such as Potter Point, Kurnell the Wanda Patrols were on high alert this season. Nonetheless, we are proud to again maintain our record of 'No Lives Lost' at our patrolled location this season.

Season 2020/21 was one of growth, hope and professionalism during a time with so much uncertainty, yet a great sign of resilience by our members. Fulfilling our Patrol Service to a high standard, as well as going above and beyond with out of hours call outs and deployments through our Emergency Service profile were some key highlights and something that all members should be proud to be associated with. Nonetheless, Wanda Beach surged with levels of patronage, yet met the task with an 13% overall increase in Patrolling Members. 10,484 patrolling hours were performed, 125 rescues, 529 preventive actions and 133 first aids all of which were an increase on the previous season. Travel restrictions and financial difficulties associated with COVID-19 were associated with these trends, for which the leadership is extremely proud of the enhanced efforts and service to meet the increased community need for surveillance and public safety.

Special thanks must go to all committee members on the Lifesaving and Education Committee for their hard work throughout the season. These members go above and beyond to not only maintain their own service to Patrols, Education and Water Safety but also do after hours admin or physical work to ensure gear is prepared and maintained, courses are delivered, paperwork completed, rostering and challenges are met throughout

the season. Namely, Mikaela Sutherland, Gerard Cafe, Mark Lloyd, Stephen Trembath, Natalie Buckley, Harry Stivactas and Matt Waugh assisted greatly in this regard.

Wanda members performed above and beyond their normal Patrolling requirements this season with a number of afterhours call outs and deployments taking place. Wanda responded to two missing persons off Boat Harbour on the 16th of August 2020 with IRBs deployed for the search to assist other Surf Life Saving, Police and Council assets. We also assisted on Gear Inspection day, late in the afternoon with an IRB deployed with reports of a boat sinking off Shark Island. The most notable response was our two-day deployment during the floods to Western Sydney in places like Richmond, Windsor and Sackville on the upper Colo, Nepean and Hawksberry Rivers. Members John Wilde, Stephen Trembath, Adam Buckley, Ryan Bevitt and Mark Lake assisted in devastating conditions, never done before by any Wanda SLSC member. This was one of my proudest moments in all my time in SLS. Seeing these individuals navigate IRBs in over 20m flood waters, alongside Marine Rescue, the SES, Police and the RFS in what was a life-threatening scenario was nothing short of heroic. These members performed rescues, provided resources, and assisted other Emergency Services.

This season saw the introduction of two new drones, funded by the

Department of Primary Industries through the Governments Shark Prevention Strategy. The drone was extremely beneficial, having paid operators through the school periods increased our service as we worked side by side. This is a great initiative and developing technology that we hope to improve and train more volunteer operators to eventually maintain a Drone Patrol at all times with normal patrols.

Congratulations must go to Adam Buckley, Natalie Buckley, Mark Lloyd, Brett Porteous and Lachlan Crawford who were recognised with Surf Life Saving Sydney and NSW Rescue of the month honours. Special recognition must go to Lachlan Crawford, for his efforts in preventing what would have been a definite drowning whilst off-duty in December. This is not only a display of the names mentioned above, but of the overall positive culture towards Lifesaving and Service that we are building at Wanda.

Special thanks must also go to all the Patrolling members who volunteered their time to help out fellow Club, Garie SLSC and Fairy Meadow SLSC (Illawarra) with a weekend of Patrolling. The Patrols at Garie have been extremely successful and are a great way for our members to learn new skills in a new beach environment, as well as socialise and celebrate the weekend as they stayed overnight in the Royal National Park. The addition of the Fairy Meadow Patrol this season was a great opportunity

for members to Patrol at a completely new beach, out of area and help a struggling Club.

The season saw, yet again, a number of members partake in 'extra-curricular' Lifesaving based activities. Well done to Mikaela Sutherland and Thomas Foote – Surf Life Saving Sydney, Young Leaders Program and Riley Porteous / Mark Lake / Brett Porteous – U/11's and U/13's Branch Development Camp SLSS. Congratulations to everyone at Wanda who has participated in these external programs which offer a number of leadership and networking-based opportunities.

This season saw the continuation of our Education Surf Safety Programs being run in local primary schools as well as programs at the Surf Club for 'CALD' communities and groups. Wanda collectively educated over 200 persons across the season. Wanda also had member participation in SLSNSW Beach to Bush, hosting Sutherland Shire 'Relay for Life', Fire / Rescue NSW functions / training events free of charge. Special congratulations to John Douglas who was named, Sydney Southern region, 'Volunteer of the Year' and Natalie Buckley who was awarded the 'Cook Community Award'. We are extremely proud of our external community programs which align with Wanda's 5 Year Strategic Plan objectives.

The Education Section recorded a record year with a 36% increase in overall Educational Awards delivered (236 awards). Led by Director of Education, Gerard Cafe, three Bronze Courses were delivered, two SRC, as well as a number of IRB Crew, IRB Driver and ART Courses. In addition, a number of higher awards were delivered which was extremely pleasing to see many of our members upskill as we continue to build Patrol depth with higher qualified Patrolling members.



CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT (CONTINUED)



One of the most successful aspects to come out of the Education Section this season was the significant increase in qualified trainers. For years, Wanda has struggled or relied on one or two trainers to deliver all courses. This issue has slowly been resolved and will be extremely beneficial moving forward, significantly reducing burnout.

I would like to acknowledge our sponsors and supporters, primarily Lloyds SUPA IGA Cronulla for their continued support of our Patrols in what was a financially challenging season.

I would like to take this opportunity to specially thank all other Directors and Committee Members of the Club, for which, most actively Patrol on top of their officer bearer duties. Special thanks to Greg Pierce for his assistance with the Lifesaving

Section, helping with rostering / scheduling requirements to ensure that we allow members the best possible opportunity to reduce 'no-shows' and Patrol with their core friendship groups. I would like to specially acknowledge Nat Buckley who has an unparalleled commitment to Patrols as well as her Directorship. Mikaela Sutherland, Gerard Cafe, Fiona Sutton and Gary McNamara all actively Patrol, all whilst balancing the high time commitments associated with their Club Officer duties. I would also like to thank all our amazing Support Operations members, inclusive of RWC Riders, Drone Operators, Surf Rescue (30 members) and Duty Officers for their commitment whilst balancing Patrols and Support Operations Patrols.

Overall, the 2020/21 Season was one to be proud of. A lot of new friendships made, challenges met and resolved, life skills learnt and most importantly 'No Lives Lost' on our Beach. I am extremely proud of the way that we continue to innovate our Lifesaving Emergency Service to ensure we continually prevent coastal drownings. I would also like to thank the Sutherland Shire Council Ocean Safety and Lifeguard Team for the service they provide in assisting our operation. We have a special partnership here in the Bate Bay area and we need to ensure that it continues moving forward into the future.

I am extremely grateful to all Members of Wanda SLSC, for your service, professionalism and most importantly friendship. I extend my thanks to all friends and families that have supported me to perform my duty. I really enjoy the job I do here at Wanda but wouldn't be able to do it without the amazing team that works around me and my support network.

Michael Bonnici

CLUB CAPTAIN

LIFESAVING DIRECTOR'S REPORT



Time flies, and before we know it we're celebrating yet another successful year at Wanda. What has been a challenging year by external factors – most notably COVID-19 – has also inadvertently seen us as a community really come together to assist each other.

I'd like to welcome all our new members to our Club that have found a home in the Lifesaving Section and take this opportunity to thank the Lifesaving and Education Committee (Michael Bonnici, Gerard Cafe, Harry Stivactas, Natalie Buckley and Matt Waugh) on their constant support and collaboration throughout the season as we worked month to month via Zoom calls.

I would also like to extend a huge thanks to our Patrol Captains: Denny Rowlands, Brad Querzoli, Connor McGrath, Jon Dimitriou, Michael Bonnici, Gerard Cafe, Ben Harris, Natalie Buckley, Harry Stivactas, Elyssa Pierce, Mick Conroy, Anita Pryke, Yvonne Holland, Ken Smith and Troy Weston. The teamwork and communication this season with these Captains, who are the pillars of our Lifesaving Section, was truly excellent. The culture and expectations on the beach extend from this team, and I couldn't be more thankful for their support. I'd also like to acknowledge the fact that several of these members had their first season as a Captain and did a tremendous job.

This season we continued to grow and build on our previous successes, and as always, we rose to the challenge well. The constant feeling of there being always something better that we can do or change just fuels our Wanda members more, and I'd like to acknowledge the huge number of members we had come forward with new ideas or solutions to problems.

Significant goals we achieved both on and off the beach were things that a few years ago we never would have seen possible. These include, but are not limited to, growing our patrols from 12 to 13 teams this year, having the capacity and skills to do so for the first time in many years. We also had a huge number of new SRC, Bronze, and higher level awards put through this season – one of the best results across the Sydney Branch. We saw the introduction of the UAV Program at Wanda, one that has been coordinated well by Harry Stivactas, and has seen the onboarding of several new members in this space. We look forward to seeing this continue to grow in the future and our role as a Surf Club become even more prominent in the

Bate Bay area.

Congratulations also to our Patrol Members of the Month – they have been outstanding for various reasons and well deserving of their recognition.

We faced some challenges, in particular when carnivals were brought back on the cards as restrictions eased. We found the Patrol Teams occasionally had to coordinate roster swaps, and a large chunk of the time last minute fill-ins, both of which I think were handled professionally and to the best of our abilities. I thank all the members for their willingness to step up, particularly in the last half of the season, to support this as we manoeuvred through it.

Another incredible area in which Wanda has really stepped up is in our Emergency Call Out Team. Made up of members with the relevant awards and location proximity to the Club, the team has been exceptional this season in being ready to respond to anything that comes their way. The NSW Floods are a prime example of this – well done to all members involved, and to Michael Bonnici for leading the Section of the Club so professionally.



CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT (CONTINUED)



Lastly, I'd like to acknowledge our significant number of rescue actions this year. This is why we exist on the beach and is core to our Club Mission. Wanda completed 125 rescues this season, a huge uptick on previous seasons, highlighting our importance as a community asset more than ever before. On top of this, I'd like to commemorate two significant rescues and an incredible first aid performed by our members.

Lachlan Crawford performed an off-duty rescue in December for two individuals who almost certainly would have drowned without his assistance in between Elouera and Wanda. This rescue was acknowledged across a number of local media channels and within SLS. His proactive and heroic efforts saw Lachlan receive the SLSNSW Rescue of the Month Award for December.

In February, Mark Lloyd and Brett Porteous performed a rescue at dusk, again off-duty, whilst setting up for the Wanda One Club Carnival. With Council Lifeguards also stood down for the day, the pair assisted 5 young boys getting swept out in a heavy rip, with 2 of them needing significant help in getting back to shore. This rescue saw them winning the Sydney Branch Rescue of the Month Award for February.

Our significant First Aid effort occurred in January, where one of our own Nipper members sustained a serious spinal injury whilst on the beach. Age Manager and Patrolling member Kaylene Walker immediately came to assistance, and it has been widely noted by paramedics that the swift action of her and other patrol members almost certainly prevented any long term spinal injuries.

We as a Club are so proud of all our members, and I am in admiration of how our Patrolling Members have stepped up this season. I cannot wait to see what we have in store for next season and look forward to welcoming all Wanda members back – all of you are the heart and soul of our Club.

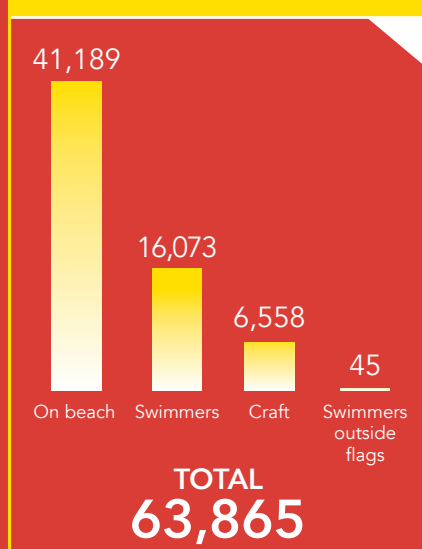
Mikaela Sutherland

DIRECTOR OF LIFESAVING

PATROL ATTENDANCE

Lachlan Black Michael Bonnici Michael Conroy Ben Harris Mark McGuinness Anita Pryke Benjamin Sutton Glen Watson	100%
Gerard Cafe Stephen Trembath Nicole Watson Graeme Waugh	200%
Britney Pierce Elyssa Pierce	300%
Denny Rowlands	500%
Jon Dimitriou	21 years at 100%

BEACH ATTENDANCE



STATISTICS

125

RESCUES COMPLETED
ON PATROL

63,865

TOTAL BEACH ATTENDANCE

133

TOTAL FIRST AID

483

PREVENTIONS

5

SEARCHES

1

SHARK ALARMS

19

SWIMMERS ADVISED/
WARNED

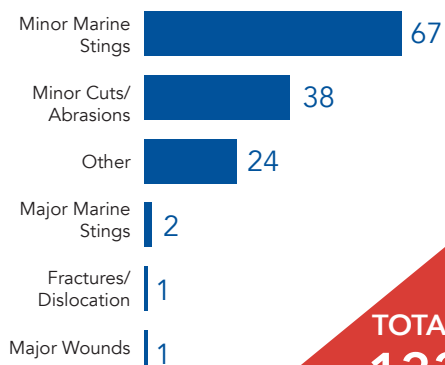
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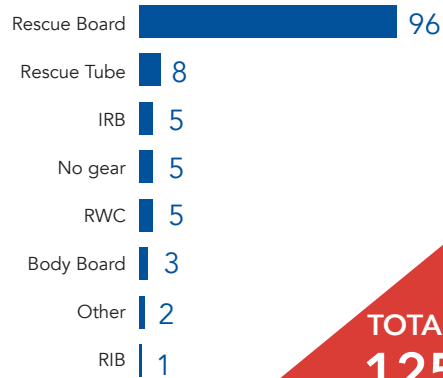
PATROLS 2020/21

PATROL	CAPTAIN	VICE CAPTAIN	IRB DRIVER	IRB CREW
1	Denny Rowlands	Emily Eaves, Chloe Rowan	Denny Rowlands	Morgan Lloyd, Taylor Richardson, Josh Tattum
2	Mikaela Sutherland	Matt Pearce, Luis Rudenas, George Sarlas	John Brown, George Sarlas, Mikaela Sutherland	Ben Brown, Charles Nowacki, Riley Porteous
3	Conor McGrath, Brad Querzoli	-	Matthew P.	Aaron Lake, Harry McNamara, Matthew Pescud
4	Jon Dimitriou	Graeme Waugh, David Jones	Jon Dimitriou	David Jones, Graeme Waugh, Harriet Smith
5	Michael Bonnici	Emily Caterson, Joanna Stavrou	Michael Bonnici, Ryan Bevitt, Adam New	Ryan Bevitt, Simon Edwards, Adam New, Myfanwy Rees
6	Gerard Cafe	Blake Paton, Joel Paton	Gerard Cafe, Blake Paton, Joel Paton	Jack Watson, Blake Paton, Joel Paton
7	Ben Harris	Peter Axiotis, Clayton Beranek, Jamee Smith	Sam Axiotis, Graeme Wright	Clayton Beranek, Lara Djapouras, James Karagiannis
8	Natalie Buckley, Harry Stivactas	Jed Buckley, Tyler Nott, Jack Porter, Kurt Stavrou	Todd Lester, Adam Smith, Harry Stivactas	Jed Buckley, Callum Redrup, Adam Smith
9	Elyssa Pierce	Britney Pierce, Kiera Warn	Patrick Warn, Jason Murray	Jaycob Duggan, Courtney Warn
10	Michael Conroy	Isabelle Conroy, Joshua Crowther, Danial Smith, Stephen Trembath	Stephen Trembath, Michael Conroy, Joshua Crowther	Joshua Crowther, Danial Smith, Stephen Trembath
11	Yvonne Holland, Anita Pryke	Gary McNamara, Stephanie Kentwell	Thomas Young	Sorrell Handforth, Anita Pryke
12	Ken Smith	Steve Stavrou	Mark Lloyd, Cromwell Ollivier, Brett Porteous, Ken Smith, Steve Stavrou	Karen Ross
13	Troy Weston	Pippa Jokhan, Ray Jokhan	Adam Buckley	Troy Weston, Natalie Buckley

TYPES OF FIRST AID



TYPES OF RESCUES PERFORMED



BEST LIFESAVERS ON PATROL 2020/21

Patrol 1

Ben Sutton/Lachlan Cole

Patrol 2

Riley Porteous

Patrol 3

Matthew P.

Patrol 4

Glen Watson

Patrol 5

Mark McGuinness/Adam New

Patrol 6

Joel Paton

Patrol 7

Clayton Beranek

Patrol 8

Adam Smith

Patrol 9

Pat Warn/Kiera Warn

Patrol 10

Lachlan Black

Patrol 11

Kai Thatcher

Patrol 12

Amelia Parry

Patrol 13

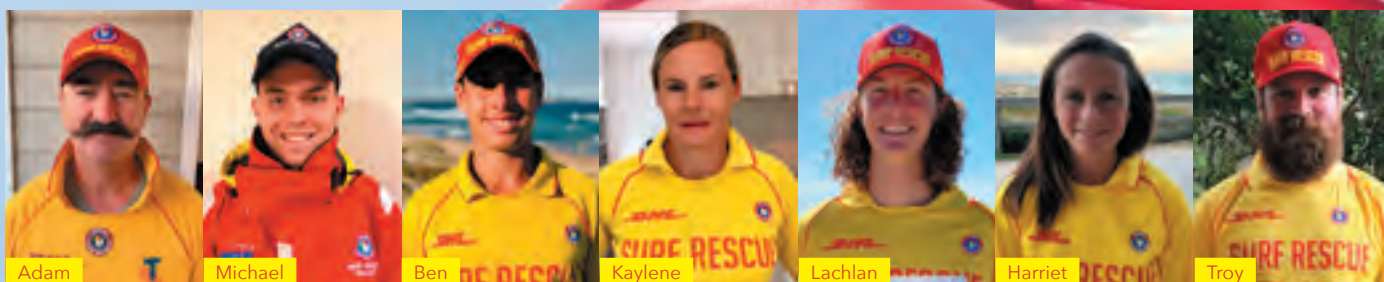
Ray Jokhan

2020/21

PATROL MEMBER OF THE MONTH

During the 2020/2021 Patrol Season, Director of Lifesaving, Mikaela Sutherland selected one and sometimes two patrol members each month who deserved a bit of extra recognition for their extraordinary efforts whilst on patrol and they were rewarded with a \$50 Visa Card.

Congratulations and thank you to all our Patrol Members of the Month winners for the 2020/21 season.



04/21

ADAM NEW

Adam has been an exemplary member in the shoulder period of the patrol season, assisting and logging hours several times when we were light-on with members having competition commitments. Adam also stepped up by helping out with IRB training and assisting a large group of IRB crews attain their awards.

03/21

MICHAEL BONNICI

Michael consistently outperforms as Wanda's fearless leader in his role as Club Captain. His seamless coordination and leadership of our response to the NSW flooding in March 2021 made him a worthy recipient of Patrol Member of the Month.

02/21

BEN SUTTON

Ben has displayed maturity and professionalism beyond his years. Not only is he the youngest member of Wanda's callout team, he attributed 54 patrol hours (end of February 2021) - an incredible effort for any member.

01/21

KAYLENE WALKER

Kaylene is a deserving recipient of the Patrol Member of the Month award thanks to her quick thinking in a critical incident occurring with one of our own members. With them sustaining a suspected spinal injury, Kaylene was quick to act in managing the situation and injury until paramedics arrived on scene. Kaylene's actions were noted as significant in preventing long term spinal injuries to our own Wanda member. An exceptional effort by Kaylene.

12/20

LACHLAN CRAWFORD AND HARRIET SMITH

Lachlan received the Patrol Member of the Month award for his significant rescue on 27 December 2020. Lachlan successfully rescued 2 near drowning swimmers off track 15 at Wanda Beach. Lachlan was not on patrol at the time but was going for a body surf when he spotted the 2 POIs in trouble. Lachlan's efforts to respond immediately to rescue these people certainly proved a positive outcome. Assistance was also aided by members of Elouera SLSC roving patrol, RWC operator Kane Hughes and Cameron Pyett and Jon Hayman - Sutherland Shire Lifeguards. A great effort by all involved.

Harriet was awarded Patrol Member of the Month for her dedication to patrols, offering to fill in and sub for people whenever necessary, and volunteering to assist Denny Rowlands and the

team on the recent ART course. Harriet engaged so well with the members and provided a valuable and realistic perspective on the course.

11/20

MATTHEW P.

Matt has been incredibly helpful upon his return to Wanda, jumping on patrols where needed, providing ideas for improvements, and assisting the education section on recent IRB courses. The club is very thankful for his assistance.

10/20

TROY WESTON

Troy has done an exceptional job not only stepping up as a Patrol Captain, but also filling in for other captains. On a substitute patrol, Troy achieved 300/300 on a surprise patrol audit. He is a great role model and set a positive example early on into the season.



ADMINISTRATION DIRECTOR'S REPORT



It gives me great pleasure to present to you for consideration the 75th Annual Report of the Wanda Surf Life Saving Club Incorporated, and in doing so I encourage all members to take the time to read the Report, which showcases the highlights and achievements of the Club and its members for the 2020/21 season.

At the Annual General Meeting which was restricted in numbers due to the COVID-19 Pandemic and with members being able to log in by Zoom, we saw only a few changes in our Directorships. Firstly, we welcomed Nathan Spinner to the position of President, Todd Lester was elected as Deputy President and Mark Sargeant took on the new role of Senior Vice President and then all other members of the Board were re-elected for a further twelve month term. This season we only elected the Board Members and called for expression of interests for the other Positions that were appointed at the first Board of Management Meeting.

A Special General Meeting was conducted in August for the purpose of electing new Life Members and Distinguished Service Members. Distinguished Service is a new Award which recognises members who have made an outstanding contribution to the Club, but do not hold a Bronze Medallion Award. At the meeting the following members were elevated to Life Membership of the Club and congratulations go to Scott Allen, Tait Brannock and Colin Jones, and to our new Distinguished Service Members Gary Bradshaw, Anne Caterson, John Douglas and Chris Fox. On behalf of the members of Wanda Surf Life Saving Club a 'Big Congratulations' to you all and thank you for the amount of time and effort you have contributed to the Club in the many roles you have held.

This current season was a very difficult one for everyone due to COVID-19 and

many hard decisions had to be made by the Board for the safety of all members. Regulations were changing daily by the NSW Health effecting how the Club was to operate, which involved holding many meetings during the season. Fortunately, with the help of many people we were able to come through this on the other side and I must acknowledge the amount of time that Gary McNamara put into the role as our COVID-19 Safety Coordinator.

The annual Sutherland 2 Surf event could not be held in the traditional format due to COVID-19 restrictions on numbers at gatherings, however we did manage to run a 'Virtual' version. It went very well for our first 'online' event, getting support from our sponsors, members and the public which raised some much needed funds for the Club.

The annual Wanda SLSC Tradies One Club Surf Carnival was eventually held after not being able to conduct the event on our original date. This also meant that we could not have the Summer of Surf component as part of the Carnival. However, we were determined to run the One Club Carnival to allow our Competitors the option of having some competition before the State Championships. It was certainly a whole club event, and due to everyone's effort the Carnival was a huge success as confirmed by some great feedback from Clubs and Competitors that attended. It is with much gratitude that we acknowledge our Major Sponsor, Tradies for their continued support towards this event.

The core business of our Club is Lifesaving, and it's fantastic to see the improvements in this area as well as the Education Section. Witnessing more members attending their rostered Patrols, completing courses and continuing on to gain higher awards consecutively in the same season is an indication that we are committed to these very important and key essentials of the Club.

It is very pleasing to see the retention of our Nippers moving up into the Seniors part of the Club doing patrols, gaining awards and competing. A further highlight is seeing that the numbers are also increasing each season and they are staying longer.

To our Administration Staff that work in our office I would like to thank Sharon Collier, Annabelle Thomas and Lisa Allan, (who we welcomed just after Christmas) for all your support towards the Board Members and Club Members, and for making my job much easier and ensuring that we all have things done on time. Some of the Office team's responsibilities are the publication of the Wanda Newsletter each month and the Annual Report, payment and processing of membership fees and issuing of Club access tags, Sutherland 2 Surf entries, Course registrations, Proficiency and Award processing through Sydney Branch, confirming weekly Patrols and submitting patrol hours in Surfguard, assisting with the organisation of carnivals and events, Annual General Meetings, Special General Meetings and Presentation Night.

To my fellow members of the Board a big thank you for all your time and effort that you put into making the Club so successful, and special thanks to our President, Nathan Spinner for your leadership and support, as well as encouraging all Board Members to think of new ways to improve the many areas of the Club.

Finally, to all our Members a big THANK YOU for your continued support, understanding and efforts to make this another great season for the Wanda.

John C De Cean OAM

DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION



Administrator of the Year

Anne Caterson

FINANCE DIRECTOR'S REPORT



We started the year just a month into the COVID-19 Pandemic and with it came a significant impact on the operation and finances of the Club. The Board of Directors along with the Finance and Compliance Committee have worked extremely hard and were prepared to make necessary and sometimes difficult decisions to secure the Club's financial position to ensure that our members would get the best possible experience and no additional debt.

I am very pleased to report that the Club has no additional debt and is in a strong financial position moving into the new financial year.

The Finance and Compliance Committee met weekly to work through the Government Regulations on Tenancies as well as grants to assist businesses and Not for Profit organisations.

The Club applied for and were approved for Federal Government assistance through the Jobkeeper Scheme for the period April 2020 to March 2021. We also received a NSW Government Grant to assist with paying utilities such as insurance, water and electricity.

NSW Surf Lifesaving also provided support by issuing a grant to all clubs to assist them to continue to deliver services to members.

All our tenants were on the National Code of Conduct for Commercial Tenancies for varying periods of four to six months and all 'deferred rent' will be paid by November 2021.

Initially, it was extremely disappointing not to be able to hold the traditional Sutherland to Surf (S2S). However, our sponsors Tradies, Veolia, Caltex, Southside Animal Hospital, Macca's, Brooks and The Athletes Foot 'came to the rescue'. With their generous backing it was possible to launch our first 2020 Tradies 'Virtual' Sutherland to Surf. It was a great experience and a most successful event. A very big thank you goes to our sponsors as the S2S is the Club's major fundraiser.

We are certainly looking forward to holding the 2021 Tradies Sutherland to Surf and hosting festivities to celebrate the event's 50 Year Anniversary.

The Club is extremely grateful to have ALL our Club Sponsors that are listed and recognised in this Annual Report, both existing and new, who have supported us throughout the year. As a Club we always encourage our members to support our sponsors and I would ask that we continue to do this wherever you can, it is an opportunity to give back to those that have supported us. I will take this opportunity to thank the staff at The Collective Co, our Sponsorship Managers, in particular Julia Singleton who has worked tirelessly to secure new sponsors and maintain a great relationship with our existing sponsors.

We have continued to maintain our Clubhouse with ongoing maintenance and repairs. The Board is very conscious of the harsh environment that our building is in and the continued repairs and maintenance ensures our Clubhouse remains in good condition.

We currently have three Grant Applications lodged to assist with replacement of the southern roof of the Clubhouse, upgrade of the lift, as well as an energy audit and LED light replacement. The Sinking Fund Account will be used to assist with these projects.

Under the Draft Head Lease with Sutherland Shire Council there will be additional costs that the Club will be responsible for such as a

general maintenance, insurance costs and building maintenance with provisions to be allocated in a dedicated Club Maintenance Fund. An extensive Budget Plan is well underway with the assistance from Sean O'Donoghue. This Plan will help develop a long term working document for all Sections of the Club including building maintenance and equipment replacement.

I thank all the Directors for their support throughout the last year and for working within their budgets. I would like to make special mention of the members of the Finance and Compliance Committee who have worked throughout the season planning financial security for the Club.

I am pleased to announce that our ANZ Bank Loan for the Building Works has reduced to a balance of \$82,232.19 as at the 30 April 2021.

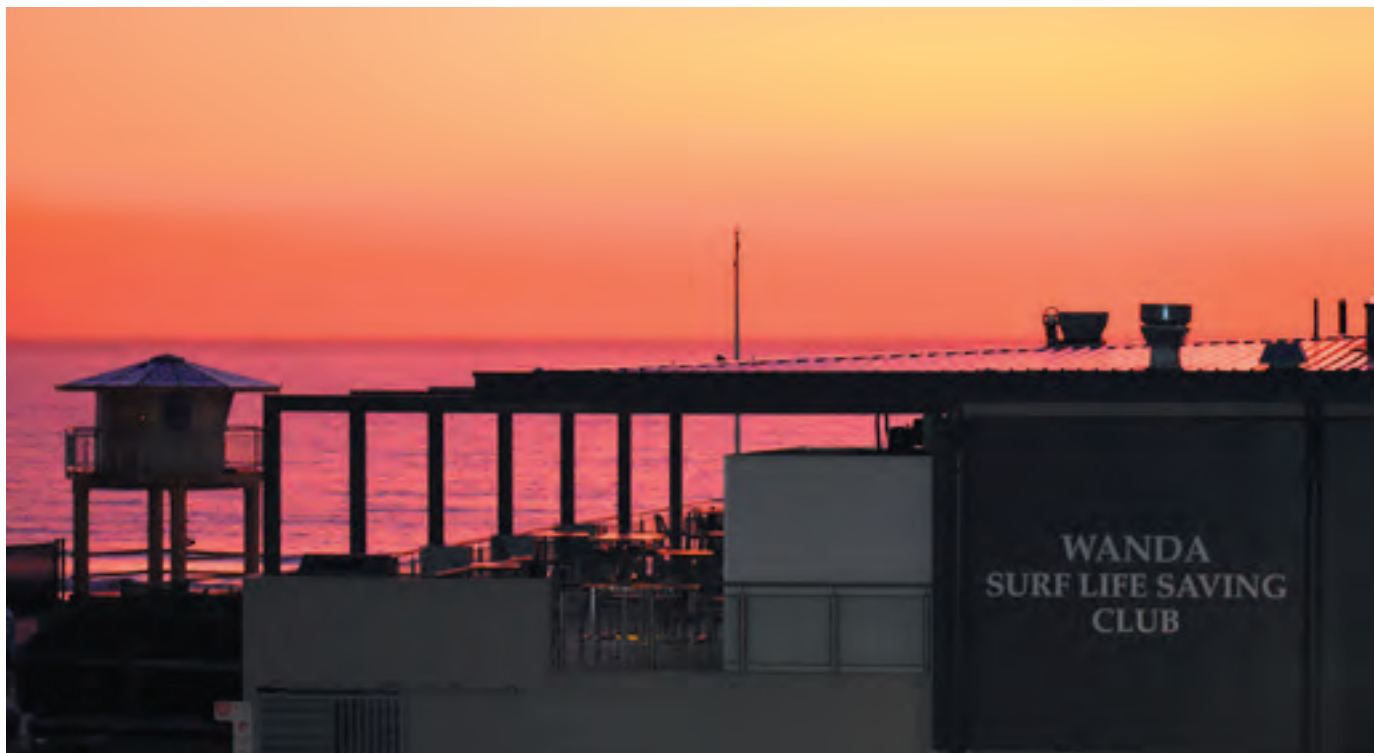
I would like to thank our office staff, Sharon Collier, Annabelle Thomas and Lisa Allan, who do an amazing job running our office and are always willing to assist wherever possible.

In closing, I wish to thank my family, Dale, Emily and James for their encouragement and for being so excited and proud, as I was, to be awarded Distinguished Service Membership this year and more recently Administrator of the Year Award at the SLSS Awards of Excellence evening.

Anne Caterson

DIRECTOR OF FINANCE

FACILITIES DIRECTOR'S REPORT



Another year passed and the Pandemic finally appears to be at a stage where some normality is returning to society and the Surf Club. During this time, it was one of the busiest for myself and my wife Karin, which eventuated in my dedication to the Club being tested. Thankfully, Todd Lester was ever supportive and assisted where needed.

We have worked well with Sutherland Shire Council representatives over the past year to see some long-term maintenance issues addressed and others identified and scheduled for future years. Meeting regularly with Council over this season and last has been positive and we need to continue to hold regular meetings with Council on site to run through maintenance of the Club.

With the assistance of Mark Sargeant, Todd Lester, Annabelle Thomas and the Board a number of Grant Applications have been submitted pending an outcome, in relation to upgrades to the lift, roof replacement (southern end of the Clubhouse)

and energy audit and LED Light replacement. Numerous structural and maintenance issues have also been raised with Council and scheduled for works in the coming season.

Thanks especially to Michael Conroy for his continual work around the Club. I would also like to thank our exiting Caretaker, Steve Winner and his family, Jamie and Reef for their assistance over numerous years and wish them well in the future. This saw a review of the Caretaker's Position and a decision to continue with this valuable role. We had a good response to fill the role and Izaak Smith, Wanda member was successful in filling the position.

With ongoing negotiations for renewal of the Head Lease of the Wanda Surf Life Saving Club with Sutherland Shire Council to be finalised any long term works and decisions, as well as Stage 3 – Building Works have been put on hold.

I would like to thank the support from the Club's Board and Sutherland Shire Council for funding maintenance of the Clubhouse.

Colin Jones

DIRECTOR OF FACILITIES

EDUCATION DIRECTOR'S REPORT



This season proved to be one of the most successful in recent years at Wanda in terms of Education as evident by the Club's Education Awards listed on the following pages.

Once the restrictions were eased there was no time wasted in resuming a Silver Medallion IRB Driver's group that had begun training last season. This group became the first of many awards that would be earned at Wanda.

Changes in Course Content and Award Structure were introduced into the Bronze Medallion (BM) and Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC) Courses this season. Thanks to the Trainers who attended extra sessions to upskill for the new format. Karen Ross, David Phillpot and I took the SRC Course. We had very good numbers who attended this new Course with Denny Rowlands and Matt Waugh as Probationary Trainers. The presentation of Patrol uniforms to these candidates brought some heart-warming moments when Life Members, Robyn Lester and Sue Brannock awarded the uniforms to their granddaughters, proud that three generations of lifesavers were now represented at the Club.

A big thank you is in order for Gary McNamara as the Club's COVID-19 Safety Coordinator who kept us up to date with the latest regulations regarding numbers and other restrictions. As it happened this season, we could cater for training numbers mainly due to the Club being fortunate to have our large, open-planned Education area on the ground floor of the Club. Many other clubs struggled in this respect, and we ended up at the top of the Award Summary in Sydney Branch early in the season because of this.

Our first Bronze Course was taken by Brett Richardson. I assisted with Denny Rowlands and Harriet

Smith as Probationary Trainers. The group would ultimately be assessed and comprised mostly of Junior members in their first Bronze Course. A few new members in this group gave some wonderful feedback regarding the experience they had as first-timers in a surf club. Thanks also to Greg Pierce for attending a few early sessions to offer some sound advice to the competitors regarding teamwork applicable to the training.

Ken Smith ran our second Bronze Course, with Mick Conroy and Glen Watson this time joining Denny Rowlands as the Probationary Trainers, and myself helping on occasions. Thanks to Ken for his guidance which I'm sure has given Mick, Glen and Denny the highest standard of training possible. Ken also assisted on other Bronze Courses when asked and has always made himself available for Education at Wanda, as well as conducting Assessments for other Bate Bay Surf Lifesaving Clubs for the Bronze and ART Awards.

As usual, we followed up the first Bronze Course with an Advanced Resuscitation Techniques (ART) Course and an IRB Crew Course. Thanks to Denny Rowlands again and Michael Bonnici for taking the first ART Course, and Matt P. and Adam New for assisting in the Crew Course. Some members went straight from the Bronze into both of these courses, attaining three awards in quick succession. As the Director it is especially rewarding to see our Youth members at the Club achieve this, and the increased numbers attending these courses indicates that there is plenty of interest in Education at Wanda.

Denny then ran the second ART Course which followed Ken's Bronze Course, showing great commitment and dedication to the Club. Karen Byron attended as a Probationary Trainer.

An intensive Silver Medallion IRB Driver Course was run in conjunction with Elouera SLSC in December 2020, which John Wilde stepped in to run. This would ultimately result in two Drivers from Elouera being passed and two from Wanda.

Thanks also to Matt Waugh for covering the Bronze Proficiencies. Now that an online component is required, it added an extra level of complexity to the process which he handled well.

For the first time, an SRC Course for Nipper parents wanting to help with the Club's Water Safety responsibilities was then scheduled to start in January 2021. To cater for the varying skill levels and requests we decided to offer two levels of training – both SRC and Bronze Medallion. Denny Rowlands once again stepped up and offered to run this Course for an extra 3 weeks to make it a full Bronze Medallion Award. An amazing effort for someone who had just been endorsed as a Bronze Trainer. Denny handled this well and was presented with a gift from the group at the conclusion of the Course. Obviously, he is a popular figure with the trainees and extremely well deserved.

To run three Bronze Courses in one season is something we have tried to achieve in the past, and Denny was largely responsible for this being possible in the 20/21



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season. This also allowed Mick Conroy and Glen Watson to cover their second course as Probationary Trainers and so they have also been endorsed by SLS, taking the total to three new trainers this season.

The final IRB Crew Course was run with all members passing. Once again, the timing proved critical as many of these had just completed the Bronze Course.

As for the higher awards, another pleasing result with increased numbers of Silver Medallion Beach Management Awards issued, and plenty of interest in the Aquatic Rescue Course which we hope will be run before the start of the next season.

There were also many SSV (ATV) Awards processed. Thanks to those who have run these, as well as those who has assisted with the Education Section. I won't mention specific names as I don't want to forget anyone, just know that your help is very much appreciated.

As I see it, the areas of greatest need in the Education Section is to have an IRB Assessor and more Bronze Trainers at the Club. We hope some members will step up to these roles next season.

Above all, I am immensely pleased with the fact that the Education Schedule at Wanda was not affected by the restrictions. In fact, our numbers increased in most awards. This being the case, please keep the trend going and consider doing some more training at Wanda.

Gerard Cafe

DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

38 SURF RESCUE CERTIFICATES (SRC)

Giselle Abrahams
Hollie Adams
Sienna Alderson
Matilda Berry
Emilio Biordi
Cameron Bonar
Ella Buckley
Mark Burns
Edwin Carrera
Harper Constantoulas
Amelia Dann
Eden Djaouras
Jack Fisher
Kiara Gilbert
Sharon Gilbert
Alexandra Hyasatt
Joshua Kay
Isla Lawson
Zoey Lester
Oliver Lloyd
Waverly Martinus
Jackson Middleton
Jayden Morton
Robert Ollivier
Sam Park
Dylan Porteous
Isobel Poulos-Burns
Elyssa Redrup
Natasha Reneker
Cooper Rowlands
Matias Soca
Sienna Spaul
Grace Spinner
Will Steiner
Kai Thatcher
Keira Vincent
Hayden Watts
Jayda Zammit-Mayer

61 BRONZE MEDALLION

Taylor Allan
Domonic Ambriano
Liam Athanassiou
Zach Baratta
Matthew Beard
Brooklyn Berry
Guy Bland
Tony Bryant
Lisa Burns
Charlie Cash
Lachlan Cole
Tyler Coles
Hanah Dalgleish

Maya Dixon
Noah Doran
Joseph Edwards
Chris Fleming
Talia Goffet
Andrew Gooley
Alasdair Gordon
David Gumley
Brody Hannan
Timothy Hassiotis
Gary Henderson
Rodney Hollingworth
Sam Hulbert
Toby Hummerston
Stephen Ineson
Lisa Johnson
Christie
Kannengiesser
Zara Lammers
Rebecca Ledwell
Michael Lock
Chris MacNamara
Craig Maskiell
Lucy McGrath
Peter McShane
Lane Miller
Kylie Morton
Anton Park
Caitlin Parkinson
Flynn Payne
Buster Picken
David Pursehouse
Troy Reneker
Alexander Romanos-Regas

Chelsea Ryan
Ruby Shaw
Gretchen Slater
Carolyn Speer
Justine Spencer
Lachlan Spencer
Konrad Stempniak
Benjamin Sutton
Claudine Talbot
Jade Tattam
Charlie Trewin
Phillip Vial
Fletcher Warn
Taj Wicks
Andrew Woodley

3 TRAINING OFFICER BM

Michael Conroy
Denny Rowlands
Glen Watson

5 SILVER MEDALLION IRB DRIVER

Ryan Bevitt
Adam New
Timothy Reece
Adam Smith
Haralumboss (Harry)
Stivactas

15 SILVER MEDALLION BEACH MANAGEMENT (SMBM)

Adam New
Harry McNamara
Callum Redrup
Troy Weston
Haralumboss (Harry)
Stivactas
Morgan Lloyd
Joshua Tattam
David Jones
Lachlan Black
Andrew Gooley
Pippa Jokhan
David Gumley
Ray Jokhan
Brody Hannan
Thomas Young

27 IRB CREW CERTIFICATE

Matthew Beard
Guy Bland
Lachlan Cole
Zach Coles
Peter-James Daras
Noah Doran
Jaycob Duggan
Simon Edwards
Andrew Gooley
Brody Hannan
Rodney Hollingworth
Sam Hulbert
Trevor Lee
Michael Lock
Chris MacNamara
Mark McGuinness
Brooke Mulley
Rochelle Natoli
Anton Park
David Pursehouse
Alexander Ramanos-Regas
Myfanwy Rees
Troy Reneker

Chelsea Ryan
Konrad Stempniak
Benjamin Sutton
Courtney Warn

27 ADVANCED RESUSCITATION TECHNIQUES (AID)

Gregory Allum AM
Mitchell Allum
Sam Axiotis
Lachlan Black
Tracy Booth
Lachlan Cole
Thomas Foote
Andrew Gooley
Sam Hulbert
Michael Jay
Ian Manley
Gary McNamara
Lane Miller
Amelia Parry
Matthew Peterie
Britney Pierce
Elyssa Pierce
Alexander Romanos-Regas
Margaret Ryall
Danial Smith
Carolyn Speer
Benjamin Sutton
Brooke Thatcher
Fletcher Warn
Kiera Warn
Glen Watson
Therese Yim Lo

6 RESUSCITATION CERTIFICATE (AID)

Michael Conroy
Karen Ross
Denny Rowlands
Harriet Smith
Kenneth Smith
Matthew Waugh

1 TRAINERS UNIT (ETSS)

Matthew Waugh

1 UAV (DRONE OPERATOR)

Thomas Young

50 SSV OPERATOR INDUCTION

Lachlan Black
Aedan Bonar
Benjamin Brown
John Brown
Tony Bryant
Zach Coles
Boden Dredge
Jaycob Duggan
Emily Eaves
Simon Edwards
Kaimana Fittock
Logan Galea
Thomas Gentle
Sohan Geronimo
Andrew Gooley
Brayden Gossling
David Gumley
Yvonne Holland
Isabella Kotis
Morgan Lloyd
Michael Lock
Colin Martin
Gary McNamara
Gary McNamara
Nicholas Middleton
Brooke Mulley
Matthew P.
Matthew Pescud
Britney Pierce
Anita Pryke
Callum Redrup
Natasha Reneker
Taylor Richardson
Tahlia Roja
Mia Ross
Chloe Rowan
Hayley Rowlands
Chelsea Ryan
Georgia Sinclair
Adam Smith
Gabriel Soca
Rachel Sothorn
Nathan Spinner
Noel Steiner
Fiona Sutton
Marnie Vimpany
Kiera Warn
Courtney Warn
Glen Watson
Thomas Young

SURF SPORTS DIRECTOR & HEAD COACH'S REPORT



I am pleased to report that the 2020/2021 was another successful one for the Competition Section at Wanda SLSC.



AS A CLUB WE:

- Won 4 of the 5 Shields at the Bate Bay Interclub and consequently retained the Bill Marshall Trophy.
- Won the Sydney Branch Championship.
- Finished 2nd at the State Championships, topping 400 points for the 1st time in Wanda's history.
- Finished 5th at Aussies.

These outstanding results are due to a lot of hard work from a lot of people, especially our Competitors.

The season started back in October when Wanda hosted the inaugural Coolangatta Gold in Bate Bay Carnival. This event was a great success and we received nothing but positive feedback from Clubs, Coaches and Competitors. Wanda had a record 78 Competitors on the day with 61 competing in the Gold and 17 racing in the 5Km Beach

Run. Let's hope this event is back bigger and better later in the year.

In February, Wanda also hosted our annual Tradies One Club Surf Carnival and we again had over 900 athletes competing in good conditions. Everyone thought the Carnival was fantastic and the success of this day was largely due to John De Cean and his organising team. Thanks to everyone who assisted putting on both these events.

HIGHLIGHTS

There were lots of highlights throughout the Season some of which were:

- Carla Papac qualifying for the Nutri-Grain Ironwoman Series.
- Our March Past Team winning the Branch Championship and finishing 6th at Aussies.
- The Wanda Weapons being selected to represent NSW at the Interstate Boat Championships.

- The emergence of our Under 15 R&R Team and the consistently good results of our senior teams in every carnival.
- Our Beach Team being the dominant Club at the State and Australian Championships.
- Winning the Open Beach Relay at Aussies for the 1st time. This was the culmination of 11 years of hard work from Wayne Owen and the Team. They also won the State Title for the 4th time in a row.
- The establishment and success of our Lifesaving Section (thanks to Mark Sargeant). This now provides another area for Wanda's members to compete in.
- Wanda having a record number of Competitors selected in the NSW Super Teams Series.

Whilst I will not go through all the individual results we achieved during the year, as these are listed throughout the Annual Report, I would like to congratulate our Australian Champions.

Under 14 Female Beach Sprint
Keira Vincent

Under 15 Ironman
Fletcher Warn

Under 17 Male Champion Lifesaver
Ben Sutton

Under 19 Female 2Km Run
Jessie Phelps

Under 19 Male 2 x 1Km Run
Nathan Jay, Kai Hammond

Under 19 Male Swim Team
**Riley Dixon, Nathan Jay,
Nicholas Middleton & Noah Steiner**

Open Male Beach Relay
**Clayton Beranek, James Karagiannas,
Matt Lewis & Jamee Smith**

Open Female 2Km Run
Chloe Gentle

Open Male 2Km Run
Ali Najem

Unfortunately, a lot of the representative carnivals were cancelled this season due to COVID-19 restrictions, however the Nutri-Grain Series and the Interstate Boat Carnival did go ahead. In the Boats our Wanda Weapons were selected to represent NSW in the Under 23 Division. This selection was well deserved as this Crew's results have improved every year and we can now look forward to them racing in the Open Division.

At the Nutri-Grain, Carla Papac powered through the trails to qualify for the Series for the first time which is a fantastic achievement in itself. She then took on the best Ironwomen in Australia over 6 Rounds and performed incredibly well. I'm sure she will be back stronger and fitter next season. It was also great to see Kaimana Fittock, Nathan Jay and Noah Steiner taking on the best Under 19's in the Next Gen Series.



SURF SPORTS DIRECTOR & HEAD COACH'S REPORT (CONTINUED)



On behalf of our Competitors, I would like to thank all the Coaches who have helped us this season.

Beach

Jock Campbell, Wayne Owen, Zane Campbell & Larry Leabeater

Lifesaving

Ian Manley & Lara Hughes

Boats

Les Townsend, Nathan Spinner, Brendan MacAlpine, Jason Ardler & Rod Holdsworth

March Past

Tony Holland & Brian Cowan

Pool Lifesaving

Blake McCrindle

R&R

Gordon McKirdy and John Douglas

Water

Nathan Smith, Charlie Brown, Ian Wallace, Mark Lake, Luke Turner, Michael Georgaris, Hayden Allum & Nathan Steiner.

We are extremely lucky to have this group of people mentoring and improving our Competitors.

Thanks to Mark Sargeant and Ian Wallace for managing our Team, and also to Rick Smith, Ron Smith, Larry Leabeater, Don Hammond,

Rachel Eaves, Julie Anne Warn, Sue Jay, Sue Roja, Cherie Carrera, Nicole Lloyd, Bel Falzon, Tracey Christensen, Katie Spinner and Chris Dann who assisted organising our Competitors at the major carnivals. We also had Bruce Sinclair, Mark Lloyd, Adam Buckley, Nathan Steiner, Les Townsend, Dave McGrath, Rick & Ron Smith, Pat Warn, Mark Lake and Brett Thatcher towing & repairing trailers and repairing boats, boards and skis which is greatly appreciated as is all the work done by Sharon Collier, Lisa Allan and Annabelle Thomas in the office.

To our Carnival Entries Team of Tracey Green, Amber Hulbert, Cherie Carrera and Tracey Christensen thanks for all your hard work, and to Nat Buckley thanks for everything you do from making breakfast and lunches to looking after the radios and everything in between. I would also especially like to thank Shannon Dixon for sourcing our accommodation, taking all the photos (along with Dicko!) and generally assisting everywhere you can and Kelly Dalgleish who has done a terrific job organising our Sunday Raffles.

Thanks to all those parents who have helped throughout the season setting up tents, distributing the uniforms, sorting out the craft and helping me with all the various tasks whenever I ask. There are too many

of you to mention, as I don't want to forget anyone, but I'm sure you know who you are.

A huge thank you to those groups of people without whom our athletes would not be able to compete. These include all our Officials and Mark Lloyd and his IRB Team who do an incredible job setting up and running carnivals. Also, thanks to all those Patrolling Members who keep our beach safe on those days when the carnivals are on.

To our sponsors Tradies, Masterton Homes, Ace Gutters, Inten, TFH, Ngaora, Gerard Malouf & Partners, MSS Group, Ken Davidson, Hales Redden, Lloyds SUPA IGA Cronulla, Jock Athletic & TCF International we are extremely grateful for your continued support. We could not have had the structure, facilities and success that we have had this year without you.

Finally, thanks to the Surf Sports Committee and Nathan Spinner and the Board of Directors for all the support you have given the Competition Section. It is fantastic to have the whole Club united and working together to achieve the best for Wanda.

Greg Pierce

DIRECTOR OF SURF SPORTS
AND HEAD COACH

MEMBER SERVICES DIRECTOR'S REPORT



It was another year where unfortunately COVID-19 played a big part in trying to disrupt us, but for the most part I think we had a great year.

This season we showed what a resilient bunch our Wanda family is. The efforts put in by so many members to enable all Competitors to compete, our Lifesavers to patrol and even get some social events in was no small feat. We should all be very proud of our section heads and their teams for their sensational efforts. A lot of additional work was involved behind the scenes to pull off a great year. From COVID-19 plans being written, maintaining some social distancing and even the general cleaning duties so many members chipped in to make it all possible.

There have been many times this year that I have felt especially proud of our Wanda members. Following are some of the highlights.

Our Wanda Tradies One Club Surf Carnival came with additional challenges, all of which were met by a group of motivated members to make sure it went ahead. Even during set up for the Carnival after Council had left for the day, I witnessed an ATV go flying down the beach, closely followed by an IRB which was being set up on the beach, speed down to Greenhills to rescue a couple of kids who had

been swept out in a rip. Our IRB boys saved them, delivered them back to the beach and then went back to setting up for the Carnival. In the end the Carnival was a huge success and seemed to mark the start of "getting back into it" for our Competitors.

Witnessing our rapidly growing Red Fins Program this year was especially heartwarming. Watching the kids being assisted by some retired patrol members, and having helped out myself, it is something I would love to encourage members to become involved with. Come down on a Sunday morning, we will give you an orange shirt and hang out and help them get wet. I promise you, you will not regret it. These kids are amazing and just want to be able to experience some of the activities that most others take for granted. You will find the morning will leave you feeling happy and inspired by the joy these kids get out of just being in the water and hanging out with you.

Our Emergency Call Out Team were again active this year and are getting themselves and our Club, a great wrap for being such an outstanding team.

Their work in the Flood Zone this year was amazing and something we are all so proud of. This Section of our Club is especially inspiring to young members and means that our senior members, who are so skilled and have so much experience, are getting the chance to pass on this knowledge to our younger members.

Cooper Sutton came on this year as our first official Club Water Boy. Every week he would go down and fill up the fridge and freezer with water bottles for our patrols, so they were always cold and ready for the weekends. He did a great job, and we are really proud of his efforts.

I would like to thank all those members that contributed to making this year the success it has been. More and more the Club Members are pulling together as "One Club" to assist each other through all Sections. I know this has been a goal of the Board for some time and I think this year we have taken big steps towards achieving it.

Natalie Buckley

DIRECTOR OF MEMBER SERVICES



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AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

2020/21 MAJOR AWARD WINNERS

Most Consistent Member

'C. V. Forshaw Trophy'

Fiona Sutton

Trophy Donor

The Forshaw Family

Open Lifesavers of the Year

Lachlan Black & Matthew P.

'R J Mickelson Memorial Trophy'

Junior Lifesaver of the Year

Riley Porteous

Trophy Donor

Anita & Mitchell Pryke

Most Outstanding IRB Operator

Adam Buckley

Trophy Donor

Michael De Luca

Most Outstanding Instructor

Denny Rowlands

'Peter Brady Memorial Trophy'

Open Ski Paddler of the Year

Georgia Sinclair

'Scott Bickley Memorial Trophy'

Trophy Donor

Ron & Joy Bickley

Swimmer of the Year

Fletcher Warn

Trophy Donor

Michael Kay

Open Board Paddler of the Year

Britney Pierce

Trophy Donor

The Sargeant Family

Beach Athlete of the Year

Ali Najem

Trophy Donor

Jock Athletic

New Award

Master Beach Athlete of the Year

Greer Calabro

Trophy Donor

Jock Athletic

New Award

Master Water Athlete of the Year

Ben Harris

New Award

Beach Captain's Award

Open Male Beach Relay

Jamee Smith

Matthew Lewis

James Karagiannis

Clayton Beranek

'Marc Leabeater Memorial Trophy'

Trophy Donor

The Leabeater Family

Boat Captain's Award

Amy Grice

Trophy Donor

Trevor Elliott

Most Improved Junior

Boat Rower

Harry McNamara

Trophy Donor

Mick Brannock

Boat Crew of the Year

Wanda Weapons

Brad Querzoli

Matt Pescud

Jack Kenning

Jack Spooner

Nathan Spinner (Sweep)

Trophy Donor

Gary & Margaret Bradshaw

R & R Competitor of the Year

Kurt Melville

'Ross Hunter and Natalie Windeyer (nee Hunter) Memorial Trophy'

Trophy Donor

Judy Hunter

Most Consistent and Improved R & R Team

Under 15 - 2 Person Team

Harper Constantoulas

Amelia Dann

'Ron Sandstrom Memorial Trophy'

Trophy Donor

Wendy Sandstrom

Under 15 Most Improved Male

Taj Wicks

'Jamie Walker Memorial Trophy'

Trophy Donor

Beverly Walker

Under 15 Most Outstanding Female

India Hulbert

'Jamie Walker Memorial Trophy'

Trophy Donor

Beverly Walker

Under 15 Most Outstanding Male

Fletcher Warn

Trophy Donor

Ernest 'Solly' Stephens, OAM

Under 15 Most Outstanding Female

Violet Keelan

Trophy Donor

Ernest 'Solly' Stephens, OAM

Under 17 Most Improved Male

Henri Carrera

'Bill Maker Memorial Trophy'

Trophy Donor

Brad Maker

Under 17 Most Consistent Female

Logan Galea

'Bill Maker Memorial Trophy'

Trophy Donor

Brad Maker

Under 17 Most Outstanding Male

Ben Sutton

'Don Hudson Memorial Trophy'

Under 17 Most Outstanding Female

Zara Lammers

'Don Hudson Memorial Trophy'

Under 19 Most Consistent Male

Nick Middleton

Trophy Donor

Greg Allum, AM and Family

Under 19 Most Consistent Female

Kiamana Fittock

Trophy Donor

Greg Allum, AM and Family

Under 19 Most Outstanding Male

Nathan Jay

Trophy Donor

William Prestage

Under 19 Most Outstanding Female

Jessie Phelps

Trophy Donor

William Prestage

Open Most Outstanding Male

Noah Steiner

New Award

Open Most Outstanding Female

Chloe Gentle

New Award





AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE

CONGRATULATIONS WANDA - WINNERS OF 11 AWARDS

CLUB OF THE YEAR

Wanda SLSC

PRESIDENTS MEDAL

Jeffrey "Charlie" Brown

COMMUNITY EDUCATION PROGRAM OF THE YEAR

Wanda SLSC - Beach Safety Community Talks

ADMINISTRATOR OF THE YEAR

Anne Caterson

MOST AWARDS PER OPERATIONAL AREA

Cronulla/Sutherland - Wanda SLSC

PATROL EFFICIENCY BY OPERATIONAL AREA

Cronulla/Sutherland - Wanda SLSC

ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Ali Najem

U15 ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Fletcher Warn

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

Keira Vincent

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

Zara Zammit-Mayer

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

Jackson Aungle





The Surf Life Saving Sydney Awards of Excellence recognises outstanding achievements and contributions across all aspects of surf life saving. This year's awards celebrate the accomplishments of our Members and Clubs in the 2020/21 Season.

CONGRATULATIONS

TO ALL OUR CLUB'S NOMINEES,
FINALISTS AND WINNERS

Your achievements have been outstanding and we thank you for your contribution and commitment to surf lifesaving.

OTHER NOMINATIONS



SURF LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR

Michael Bonnici

VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

Mark Sargeant

INNOVATION AWARD

Wanda Parent Patrol

RESCUE OF THE YEAR

December 2020 – Wanda SLSC
For rescue conducted 27/12/2020

February 2021 – Wanda SLSC
For rescue conducted 19/02/2021

PATROL OF THE YEAR

Patrol 10

PATROL CAPTAIN OF THE YEAR

Michael Conroy

U15 SURF LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR

Cooper Rowlands

YOUTH VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

Ben Sutton

SERVICES TEAM OF THE YEAR

Wanda Emergency Callout Team

UAV MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Harry Stivactas

MASTERS ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Nathan Steiner

YOUTH ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Nathan Jay

SURF SPORTS TEAM OF THE YEAR

Open Male Beach Relay Team
Jamee Smith
Matthew Lewis
James Karagiannis
Clayton Beranek

COACH OF THE YEAR

Jock Campbell

SURF SPORTS TONY HUGHES OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR

Donna Brown

WANDA SLSC JAG NOMINEES

JD AGE MANAGER OF THE YEAR

Denny Rowlands

JD TEAM OF THE YEAR

Wanda Red Fins State Team
Cooper Rowlands
Dalton Rowlands
Felix Tran
Mitchell Ting

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

Kyle Mason

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

Kobi Mead

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

Sophia Jokhan

IN RECOGNITION

SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING

We welcomed and congratulated Wanda's newly elected Life Members and Distinguished Service Members at a Special General Meeting on 23 August 2020. We congratulate also our 50 Year and 25 Year Long Service Members.

Life Members

Scott Allen, Tait Brannock, Colin Jones



Scott Allen



Tait Brannock



Colin Jones

Distinguished Service Members

Gary Bradshaw, Anne Caterson, John Douglas, Chris Fox



Gary Bradshaw



Anne Caterson



John Douglas



Chris Fox

50 Year Long Service Award Presentation

Ken Davidson



Ken Davidson

25 Year Long Service Award Presentation

Jock Campbell, John Georgaris



Jock Campbell



John Georgaris

The following Wanda members received their 5 and 10 Year National Patrol Service Award Certificates and Medal.

10 Year National Patrol Service Award

Elyssa Pierce, Harriet Smith

5 Year National Patrol Service Award

Lachlan Crawford, Blake Paton, Matt Pescud, Britney Pierce, Jack Porter, Brad Querzoli, Kiera Warn

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - 2020

Congratulations to Ronald Smith and Michael Gibbs who were presented with their 50 Years Long Service awards at the AGM on 12 July 2020. We thank you for your continued support and contribution to Wanda SLSC and the lifesaving movement.

As we were unable to hold our Club Presentation Night, we presented Director of Member Services Natalie Buckley with her C.V. Forshaw Award and Trophy for the Most Consistent Member category, kindly donated by the Forshaw Family.



Ronald Smith



Michael Gibbs



Natalie Buckley

NATIONAL MEDAL

Congratulations to Mark Sargeant on being awarded the National Medal. The National Medal is Australia's most awarded civilian medal established by the Commonwealth of Australia and recognises long service in organisations that protect life and property at some risk to their members.



Mark Sargeant

40 YEARS OF WOMEN IN SURF LIFESAVING

As part of the season that marks 40 Years of Women in surf lifesaving, we congratulate Wanda's Life Member Anita Pryke who has a rich history within the surf lifesaving movement and being among the first women to complete her Bronze Medallion and recognise her achievements and contributions in shaping what the organisation is today.



Anita Pryke

2020 NSW VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

Congratulations to Wanda's Distinguished Service Member and Life Member JAG - John Douglas "JD", who was named the 2020 NSW Volunteer of the Year for the Southern Sydney Region. JD was also named the Senior Volunteer of the Year.

JD is one of 2.1 million NSW citizens who selflessly volunteer their time to help others. He has trained hundreds of nippers and been the coach of the Rescue and Resuscitation operations. JD has also volunteered as a coach with Joeys JRLFC and basketball teams and with the local RFS.



John Douglas

COOK COMMUNITY AWARDS 2020

Congratulations to Wanda's Director of Member Services Natalie Buckley for receiving a Cook Community Award from the Prime Minister of Australia, the Hon Scott Morrison. Natalie has volunteered her time as a member of Wanda Surf Life Saving Club since 2008, as a nipper parent, director, community event organiser, patrolling lifesaver, and general volunteer around the club. Natalie is a great role model member across all aspects of surf lifesaving and community engagement at Wanda. Her tireless work has touched all members in some way or another. A well deserved award.



Natalie Buckley and the Hon Scott Morrison



U14's

U14 TRIP AWAY

With COVID-19 restricting interstate travel, the U14 trip took on a different look this season - this year travelling to Penrith. It was an action-packed few days with lots of fun had by all and a great way to end the Pink Caps nipper journey.

SYDNEY BRANCH AND SLS NSW RESCUE Of the Month WINNER

Congratulations to Lachlan Crawford, recognised as the SLS NSW Rescue of the Month. The Club is extremely proud of your efforts and to all involved. Lachlan successfully rescued 2 near-drowning swimmers off track 15 at Wanda Beach on 27 December 2020 at approximately 3.43 pm. Lachlan was not on patrol at the time but was going for a body surf when he spotted the 2 POIs in trouble.

Lachlan's efforts to respond immediately to rescue these people certainly proved a positive outcome. Assistance was also aided by members of Elouera SLSC roving patrol, RWC operator Kane Hughes and Cameron Pyett and Jon Hayman Sutherland Shire Lifeguards. A great effort by all involved.



Lachlan Crawford

NIPPER DEVELOPMENT CAMPS

Several nippers from our U11 and U13 age groups again attended the SLSS Development Camps making new friends and learning more about lifesaving.



JUNIOR LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR

Congratulations to Wanda Nippers Club Captain Cameron Bonar who was our finalist in the SLSS Junior Lifesaver of the Year. Cameron did Wanda proud through this process and was a worthy finalist.



Cameron

IN RECOGNITION (CONTINUED)



NSW SUPER TEAM REPRESENTATIVES

Congratulations to Wanda's athletes who were selected to compete in the inaugural Envirobank NSW Super Team Series October to December 2020 at Umina. The series is a new event concept that featured six teams competing across Swim, Ski, Board, Sprint, Flags, 2km Run and Relay racing over three rounds, similar to the SSTL and Interstate formats. Team Red (Collins) claimed the inaugural trophy.

Team Yellow - Welborn

Elyssa Pierce, Nicholas Middleton, Harriet Smith.

Team Green - Smith

Jesse Thus, Clayton Beranek.

Team Blue - Pierce

Britney Pierce, Tahlia Roja, Logan Galea, Noah Steiner, Georgia Sinclair, Riley Dixon, Taylar Puskaric, Kai Hammond, Chloe Gentle.

Team Black - Borg

Nathan Jay, Ali Najem, Jessie Phelps, Jamee Smith.

Team White - Furniss

Carla Papac, Kaimana Fittock.

Team Red - Collins

Emily Eaves, Zachary Keelan, Zara Lammers.

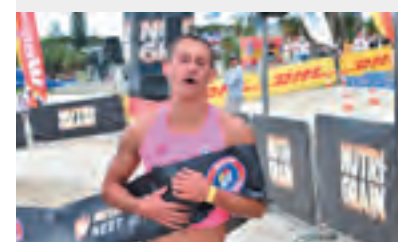


ASRL INTERSTATE SURF BOAT CHALLENGE

Congratulations to our U23 Wanda Weapons who were selected to represent NSW in the prestigious Interstate Surf Boat Challenge.

The Challenge is a one-day-event where selected crews from around Australia go head-to-head with their interstate rivals. Up against the best in Australia, the Weapons won an impressive U23 male event and U19/23 relay event and also rowed a solid leg in the all division relay. This was enough for team NSW to win Gold ahead of QLD and with SA in 3rd place.

U23 Wanda Weapons – Jack Kenning, Bradley Querzoli, Mathew Pescud, Jack Spooner and Nathan Spinner (Sweep)



2020/21 NUTRI-GRAIN IRON SERIES

Congratulations to Wanda's Carla Papac on her selection in the Nutri-Grain Iron Series. Carla's selection was well deserved and she put in some red hot racing throughout the who series. Nathan Jay and Noah Steiner held their places in the top ten in NextGen Series and we saw some exceptional strong racing from Taylar Puskaric and Kaimana Fittock.

NSW HONORARY TEAMS FOR THE 2020/21 REPRESENTATIVE SEASON.

Congratulations to our Wanda members who were selected in the NSW honorary teams for the 2020/21 Representative season. Due to COVID-19 restrictions, the 2020/21 representative events were unable to proceed, however, athletes were selected on a merit basis.

NSW TEAM SELECTION – 2021 MERIT TEAM

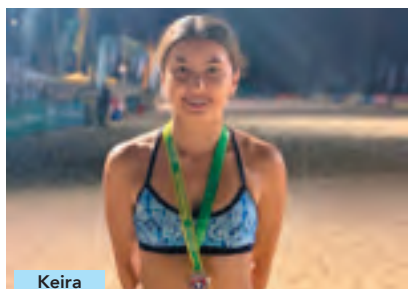
YOUTH: Nathan Jay



NSW YOUTH PATHWAYS TEAM SELECTION – 2021 MERIT TEAM

U14: Keira Vincent

U15: India Hulbert and Fletcher Warn



Keira



India Hulbert and Fletcher Warn

TEAM MEMBER Of the Month

This season we introduced the Team Member of the Month to recognise those who make an impression behind the scenes.

Inten Member of the Month – Shannon Dixon

Photography, social media, publicity, Aussies accommodation

TFH Hire Services Member of the Month – Sam Park

Workforce extraordinaire for the Wanda Tradies One Club Carnival

Gerard Malouf & Partners Member of the Month – Cooper Sutton

Stocking the patrol fridge with icy cold water

Tradies Member of the Month – Stephen Trembath

Always ready for callouts and keeping the IRB's tanks fully fueled.

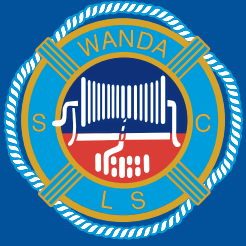
Masterton Homes Member of the Month – Gary McNamara

Keeping the clubhouse COVID-19 safe and clean

ACE Gutters Member of the Month – Matt Pescud

Great role model for his peers and team members





2020-21 SNAPSHOT

WANDA SLSC COMPETES IN

2KM BEACH
BEACH SPRINTS
BOARD
FLAGS
INCLUSIVE PROGRAMS
LIFESAVING
MARCH PAST
POOL RESCUE
R&R
SKI
SURFBOARD RIDING
SURF BOAT ROWING
SWIM

ASSOCIATED SUB COMMITTEES

LIFE SAVING AND
EDUCATION
FINANCE & COMPLIANCE
SURF SPORTS
LIFE, DISTINGUISHED
MEMBERSHIP & HONOURS
MEMBERS SERVICES
JUDICIARY
SUTHERLAND 2 SURF
AUXILIARY
CONSTITUTION
WANDA CARNIVAL
FACILITIES
STRATEGIC
JUNIOR ACTIVITIES GROUP

1946

Wanda SLSC
Founded

74

Years
of Service

1,432

Total
Members



Senior
Members

572

Nipper
Members

574

Nipper
General
Members

286

MAJOR CHARITY EVENT TRADIES VIRTUAL S2S 2020

Number of years
running

49

Entrants

620

COMPETITORS (SENIORS)

204 Number of competitors

113 Male competitors

91 Female competitors

32 Masters competitors

COMPETITIONS

Carnivals Attended

5th	Aussies
2nd	NSW Surf Lifesaving Championships
1st	Sydney Branch
1st	Wanda Carnival
1st	Interclub
	Coolangatta Gold/ Bate Bay Gold
	Manly/Freshwater Boat Carnival
	Interclub
	Maroubra
	NAVY ASRL Open
	Newport
	NSW State Titles
	NSW Super Team
	Nutri-Grain Iron Series
	Ocean Thunder Series
	South Coast Boat Series
	Sydney Branch Championships
	The Australian Championships
	Wanda Tradies One Club Carnival
	Young Guns Surf Boat Carnival

EDUCATION AWARDS

38	SRC
61	Bronze Medallion
15	Silver Medallion Beach Management
27	IRB Crew Certificate
5	Silver Medallion IRB Driver
27	Advanced Resuscitation Techniques (AID)
6	Resuscitation Certificate (AID)
3	Training Officer BM
1	Trainers Unit (ETSS)
1	UAV (Drone Operator)
50	SSV Operator Induction
89	Surf Play 1
108	Surf Play 2
52	Surf Aware 1
57	Surf Aware 2
52	Surf Safe 1
52	Surf Safe 2
46	Surf Smart 1
24	Surf Smart 2

COACHES (SENIORS)

8	BEACH
5	BOATS
2	MARCH PAST
1	POOL RESCUE
2	R&R
10	WATER
1	SURFBOARD RIDING
2	LIFESAVING

LIFESAVING

26/9/20-25/5/21	Patrol Season
288	Patrolling Members
13	Patrols
10,484.12	Patrol hours
63,865	Beach Attendance
125	Patrol Rescues
133	First Aid
483	Preventative Actions
1	Shark Alarms
5	Lost Children
0	Lives Lost

MEDALS

AUSSIIES Placed 5th with 153 points

Opens

7	Gold
7	Silver
5	Bronze

Youth

2	Gold
2	Silver
4	Bronze

Masters

3	Gold
5	Silver
4	Bronze

NSW STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Opens

Placed 2nd with 414 points

23	Gold
16	Silver
22	Bronze

Age

Placed 3rd with 195 points

9	Gold
10	Silver
9	Bronze

Inclusive

3	Gold
4	Silver
2	Bronze

Masters

Placed 18th with 74 points

3	Gold
5	Silver
5	Bronze

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JAG CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

What a unique season! So many challenges just to get the Nipper Program on the beach but in the end, it turned out to be one of our most successful seasons yet!

The offseason saw months of planning. COVID-19 presented so many challenges in how to enable close to 600 nippers to take part in our Sunday program in the face of the cancellation of so many other events worldwide. Nippers was the square peg in the round hole and I believe faced an even bigger mountain than most other community sports. With constantly changing public health orders to abide by, changing regulations and advice and community perceptions to consider, the challenge before our club was immense.

Our overriding aim was to ensure that:

- The Sunday nipper experience for the kids was as close as possible to normal
- we kept the program at our home beach at Wanda
- we retained our Sunday morning timeslot

With those principles in mind, we prepared an operating plan that I believe was one of the most successful in the state. It enabled us to ensure that we could include all age groups and in fact saw our club grow. We saw new terms and concepts – zones, COVID-19 Marshalls, QR check ins – and adaptations to our policies and program.

We thank Sutherland Shire Lifeguards who supported our endeavours to get nippers on the beach despite the challenges and also the collaborative approach of all 4 Bate Bay clubs throughout

many, many meetings. We also thank parents for the adjustments that they had to make across the season to ensure that the operating plan was compliant and successful.

The feeling that I had walking down the hill to the beach on Day 1 was fantastic. After months of planning – we were back!

Sunday mornings saw our nippers developing the skills on the sand and in the water and a more practical approach to our education which was a hit! Our coaches, working in tandem with our age managers and a very structured program, made sure that every Sunday was engaging, educational and most of all, fun. The smiles and the friendships are always the highlight of any Sunday morning at the beach and this season they were in plentiful supply!

On the carnival front, the majority of carnivals were cancelled pre-Christmas – Sydney Water, the 4 Way, Cronulla, Ohana and many others. It was with great delight that January saw the recommencement of carnivals and our nippers were able to compete at the North Cronulla Australia Day Ironperson, our Tradies Wanda One Club Carnival, the Branch Championships (beach program only) and then on to State. And once Wanda hit the beach, we were on fire!

After the last-minute postponement of our home carnival, the Wanda Tradies One Club Carnival, due to the Northern Beaches COVID-19

outbreak, it was with great delight, that we were able to reschedule that for later in February. With large surf, our younger groups moved out to Kurnell but the carnival was a resounding success and a tribute to the fantastic efforts of so many of our volunteers.

We had fabulous results at all carnivals with the culmination being the State Championships where we finished as the top Bate Bay Club and 3rd overall in the state. What a remarkable achievement! So many new state champions, medallists and incredible individual and team results. We actually led the carnival for a substantial time. Congratulations to all our nippers - you all gave 100%, showed great sportsmanship and represented Wanda proudly. Thanks also to all our volunteers for their contribution to a very successful State Champs under very different operating conditions.

More recently a group of our U14s travelled to the Sunshine Coast to compete in their first Aussies. The group achieved incredible results with many making semi-finals and finals. We have a new Australian Champion in our nipper ranks with Keira Vincent winning Gold in the beach sprint and silver in the flags. A simply outstanding achievement Keira! Congratulations also to Kai Thatcher and Sienna Alderson who won bronze medals.

The competition success would not be possible without the incredible guidance of our coaching teams – Nathan, Steve and Cam in the



water, Jock, Zane and Larry on the beach and JD in R&R. We really do have the best in the business!

On the education front we saw our nippers enthusiastically taking part in their education sessions - practicing CPR, learning signals, learning how to spot rips and general beach safety. We again had several nippers attending the Sydney Branch Development Camps – making new friends and learn more about lifesaving. We are proud of all our lifesavers in training.

Our U14s passed their SRC and excitedly joined our patrols with great reports from the patrol captains as

to their skills and enthusiasm. We congratulate Cameron Bonar on being named a finalist in the Sydney Branch Junior Lifesaver of the Year. We thank our Captains – Cameron Bonar, Zoey Lester, Kai Thatcher and Grace Spinner. Whilst there were not many public events this season for them to speak at, they have been great leaders for our younger nippers.

The end of season trip for our U14s took on a different look due to COVID-19. Instead of the regular trip to the Gold Coast, border closures meant they travelled to Penrith instead. A jam packed few days of activities were enjoyed by all and so many memories

were created. The Pink caps and their families have been a wonderful example for our club and we will miss all of you. We sincerely hope that you all (kids and parents!) stay involved in the club.

Our Red Fins program exploded in size this season with around 35 nippers taking part. It was so rewarding to watch the progress of these proud nippers as their confidence grew throughout the season. A small team took part in both the Branch and State Inclusive championships and returned with a swag of medals. Congratulations to Denny Rowlands and his team of committed parent helpers as well as the

WANDA SLSC JAG OFFICE BEARERS

During the season, there were 11 General Committee Meetings.

Name	Possible Meetings	Attended	Apologies
Fiona Sutton	11	11	0
Brad Tattam	11	7	4
Louise Lakomy	11	9	2
Ray Jokhan	11	9	2
Andrew Cole	11	11	0
Tiffany Jessop	11	11	0
Lisa Zammit	11	9	2
Brooke Thatcher	11	10	1
Peta Fisher	11	8	3
Gretchen Slater	11	10	1
Grant Bowmer	11	6	5
Nikki Teasal	11	10	1
Nadine New	11	5	6
Carolyn Cavanough	11	10	1
Tim Mayo	11	8	3
Santie Goffet	11	9	2

JAG OFFICE BEARERS

Chairperson	Fiona Sutton
Surf Sports Manager	Brad Tattam
Member Services Manager	Louise Lakomy
Finance Manager	Ray Jokhan
Administration Manager	Andrew Cole
Administration Coordinator (Secretary)	Tiffany Jessop
Team Manager	Brooke Thatcher
Surf Life Saving Manager	Peta Fisher
Communications Manager	Gretchen Slater
Water Safety Manager	Grant Bowmer
Nipper Program Manager	Nikki Teasal
General Committee	Carolyn Cavanough Tim Mayo Santie Goffet

ADMIN ROLES (NON COMMITTEE)

Uniforms Coordinator	Glen Spaul
Carnivals Manager	Katie Spinner
Registrar	Nikki Teasel
Recording	Nadine New
Gear	Brett Thatcher
Officials Coordinator	Brooke Thatcher
Sponsorship Manager	Lisa Zammit

JAG CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT (CONTINUED)



Patrols, Water Safety (including a great group of our u14s) and other volunteers who helped facilitate this program each Sunday to ensure the safety of the children. It was also fantastic to see that a number of parents of children in the Red Fins program successfully completed their Bronze or SRC awards. A fantastic season for the Red fins group!

There are so many aspects of this season that we should be proud of:

- our nippers are always the best dressed on the beach, proudly wearing their club colours. Thanks to Tammy and Glen Spaul for their tireless efforts in the Voodoo Van
- in such a difficult corporate environment, we were still able to attract and retain our sponsors. A shout out to Lisa Zammit for all her work in this area and a big thank you to all our sponsors whose funds allow us to buy and maintain all our equipment, provide the best coaching and give the best experience to all our kids
- our BBQ fired up midway through the season and, as always, was the best feed in the Bate Bay – a huge thank you to our BBQ guys- Damien, Garth and Jeff who will be stepping down at the end of this season. You've done a fantastic job!
- With many other clubs seeing a decline in registrations, we managed to buck the trend and increased our numbers by over

100 on last season. We finished the season with around 570 nippers which is the highest for a very long time.

- Our volunteer army – with the COVID-19 challenges and operating across 2 zones, we needed more volunteers than ever. We saw a more complex set up, COVID-19 Marshalls, an increase in our Water Safety and IRB needs with such huge numbers and so many new challenges for our age managers. To watch over a hundred parents come together each week with the one aim of making it an enjoyable, safe experience for our kids, is something that we should all be very proud of.
- We had a large number of parents step forward to complete their SRC, Bronze, IRB and advanced courses. What a great example for your kids and we look forward to you joining our Water Safety team
- The fantastic culture within our club – there is no better place to be than amongst our Wanda family on Sunday mornings

A personal thank you to Wanda's Board of Management for their support of the nipper program and my role. In such a challenging season, they supported our endeavours to get the nipper program on the beach and we very much appreciate all they do to assist us in making it a great experience for the kids. The growth in the nipper section is being mirrored right across the whole club.

Wanda is certainly the envy of every club in the state and is achieving success in so many areas.

A big thank you to all members of the JAG committee and those in supporting roles. The amount of work that has been undertaken in this unique season has been quite incredible. As volunteers, the sacrifice that you all make to make this happen for the kids is very much appreciated by all families. A special mention to Brooke Thatcher who is stepping down from the nipper committee. Brooke has filled so many roles – in recent times managing the large dual roles of Team Manager and Program Manager. As my Deputy, she has been an invaluable support through her tireless work. She will greatly missed.

I am so proud of all our achievements this season. We have overcome so many challenges to have one of our best seasons yet. We have already started planning for next season and have set some big goals to achieve. We are hopeful that we won't face the obstacles of this past season.

We wish all our families a safe and relaxing off season. We look forward to seeing all the smiling faces back on our favourite beach soon!

Fiona Sutton

JAG CHAIRPERSON



JAG SPECIAL AWARDS



NIPPER OF THE YEAR AND CHAIRPERSONS AWARDS

BOYS

NIPPER OF THE YEAR

Dane Sutton

CHAIRPERSONS AWARD

Ziggy Lester

NOMINATIONS

Dane Sutton
Otis Jessop
Ziggy Lester
Jayden Goffet

GIRLS

NIPPERETTE OF THE YEAR

Milla Coles

CHAIRPERSONS AWARD

Zoe Cole

NOMINATIONS

Zoe Cole
Matea Saba
Milla Coles
Imogen Porteous
Alice McNamara
Isla Jokhan
Zara Buckley

CLUB PERSONS AWARDS

GIRLS

Zoey Lester

BOYS

Jack Fisher

NOMINATIONS

The winners of this
award were selected
from the U14 age
group

U14 LIFESAVING AWARDS

GIRLS

Zoey Lester

BOYS

Kai Thatcher

GEORGE ROBBINS AWARD - MOST IMPROVED BEACH COMPETITOR

Jackson Aungle

NOMINATIONS

Sophia Jokhan
Jackson Aungle
Zara De Carvalho

Chloe Gallaway
Alannah New
Owen Lovell-Ward
Micah Jokhan

DON HUDSON - MOST IMPROVED WATER COMPETITOR

Chloe McCormack

NOMINATIONS

Andie Smith
Montana Smith
Otis Jessop
Matias Soca
Poppy Hulbert
Reef Lewis
Chloe McCormack
Jarrah Martinus

JOCK ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIP

Jackson Aungle

MICHELLE HOGAN ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD

Hollie Adams

NOMINATIONS

Georgina Young
Anna Corbett

Estelle Sorenson
Sienna Mead
Matea Saba
Hollie Adams

ROD WHITEMAN ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD

Ryan Harris

NOMINATIONS

Flynn Aston
Owen Lovell-Ward
Ryan Harris
Dimitri Young
Jayden Goffet
Jack Fisher

COACHES AWARD

BEACH

Sienna Alderson

WATER

Reef Lewis

COMPETITORS OF THE STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

GIRLS

Zara Zammit-Mayer
& Charlotte Bowmer

BOYS

Kobi Mead

INCLUSIVE COMPETITOR OF STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Felix Tran

JAG VOLUNTEER AWARDS

WATER SAFETY

Gabe Soca & Mark
McGuinness

IRB

Adam New

OFFICIAL

Tim Mayo

AGE MANAGER

Denny Rowlands

CLUB VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

Nikki Teasal



JAG ATTENDANCE AWARDS

U6

BOYS 100%

Flynn Abbott
Levi Ambriano
Otto Atkins
Flynn Bowyer
Jesse Bugeja
Hugo Buzo
Alexander Capilli
Lenny Cavanagh
Ashton Chu
Jude Cross
Sebastian David
Max Deering
Matteo Di Marino
Cruz Donohoe
Luke Douglas
Flynn Foley
Kurt Gallen
Declan Gartside
Anders Gosch
Dean Hol
Kearns Hoy
Connor Hunter
Flynn Koke
Zane Kokineli
Hugo Kordovolos
Harvey Korpar
Luca Leader
Kai Lim-Mcdonald
Alexander Lock
Bodhi Loughlin
Henry Lynch
Brody Manners
Daniel Moran
Bodhi Morrison
Riley Moss
Ryder Muir
Max Myers
Elliot Nagy
Jackson Pearce
Bodhi Price
Sebastian Pursehouse
Ryan Redmond
Jack Sciberras
Elijah Shineberg
Koby Srougi
Oden Steinhauer
Jimmy Stewart
Eilan Wallace
Chace Williams
Zayn Wooldridge
Kingston Zammit-Mayer

GIRLS 100%

Halle Anderson
Hannah Baker
Lily Barnidge
Chloe Bewsher
Audrey Bryant
Georgia Burns
Emilia Carageorge
Ruby Collins
Ivy Cooley-Rice
Amelia Dihen
Isabelle Douglass
Lola Escolme
Kelsey Georgaris
Amy Gordon
Asha Gorrel
Amaya Handosa
Maggie Hind
Charli Hollingworth
Lucy Hughes
Everly Ineson
Grace Jenkyns
Lylah Jennings
Alannah Khnanisho
Alara Kocabay
Priscilla Kuhn
Ruby Linke
Emma Lynch
Pollyanna Maddern
Annie Marshall
Asta Mcilwaine
Tilly Melvin
Indiana Merchant
Mieka Mitchinson
Mia Morony
Indie Olovic
Eva Posthumus
Ellis Ravaioli
Georgina Seabrook
Capri Sinay
Emme Smith
Sunny Spurrier
Fay Towers
Eleni Tselepi
Kylah Turner
Zariah Wallace
Audrey Walshe
Piper Wilson

U7

BOYS 200%

Harrison Abbott
Hunter Banton
Duke Goodman
Beau Green
Ethan Hassiotis
William Hunter
Riley Lau-Li

Nat Spinner
Harrison Taylor
Hugh Teasel
Lucas Ting
James Van Veen
Cooper Waldoock

100%

Adam Adra
Teoman Aktas
Braxton Bagnall
Charlie Barton
Elliot Beament
Jack Belcher
Cooper Bell
Aidan Bigatton
Alex Bishop
Oliver Campbell
Jack Clarke
Tristan Dudley
Spencer Dalton
Carlos Dangoor Gonzalez
Lachlan Dudman
Toby Edwards
Alexandre Egan
Hayden Gibson
Lincoln Gilbert
Liam Gooley
Richie Guli
Roman Guli
Thomas Hegarty
Vendel Hobden
Samuel Hodson
Gabrijel Klinsic
Levi Kotevski
Harrison Leach
Darcy Lynch
Freddie Marshall
Jayden Mathias
Tate Mathias
Ailbe Mccarrick
Max Morera
Zander Ngaika
Liam O Donnell
Kurt Puepke
Huxley Ryan
Grigorii Rybakov
Oliver Sada
Beau Smith
Eli Southwood
Zander Stanley
Lennox Swan
Zacharias Young
Edward Zammit

GIRLS 200%

Lucy Christensen
Summer Dagostino
Adelaide Fleming
Olivia Gordon
Madison Hennessy

Jessica Kirrane
Isabella Leighton
Fleur Lonergan
April Macnamara
Amelia Perryman
Lila Smith
Charlotte Swinson
Chloe Zhang

100%

Abigail Baker
Holly Barnes
Olive Beard
Ava Brandtman
Matilda Bryce
Naia Burns
Oksana Constantine
Piper Crimmins
April Curry
Maebel Cutlack
Annabel Dean
Kitarna Edwards
Grace Harrison
Addison Hawkins
Sarah Hughes
Ava Inglis
Maddison Lakomy
Willow Makatoa
Margaret Odegard
Ella Olovic
Willow Olthof
Indie Patterson
Mia Rimoldi
Molly Russell
Abigayle Salzmann
Olivia Sapsed
Alina Shaiakhmetova
Annabelle Sharratt
Harper Shean
Aria Simpson
Charlotte Slattery
Lily Speer
Eliza Stafford
Teddy Starkey
Harper Stempniak
Isla Tognolini
Siena Tognolini
Boya Xia

U8

BOYS 300%

Kobe Burns
Aidan Gallen
Kye Georgaris
Jacob Harris
Braxton Logan
Lachlan McShane
Cooper Melvin
Thomas Miller
Axel Slater

Daniel Ustjuzanin 200%

Patrick Anglin
Jake Bowmer
Jett Carroll
Robert Castellano
Ryan Cohen
Sebastian Edwards
Joseph Gumley
Zachary Lau-Li
Aiden Nagel
August Thompson

100%

Jakob Austen
Toby Bertschi
Hunter Brantes
Beau Cakovski
Vaughn Casaceli
Tristan De Souza
Taj Donohoe
Dylan Douglas
Lachlan Douglass
Nolan Folck-Lawrence
Toby Gilbert
Dorian Grant
Jameson Gregory -
Gaughan
Szabolcs Hobden
Andy Lynch
Reed Martinus
Ryland Mcilwaine
Rhys Mitchinson
Oliver Nagy
Jeremy Pursehouse
Noah Pyper
Ke'Anau Roch
Quinn Steinhauer
Chase Stempniak
Henry Taylor
Blake Turner

GIRLS 300%

Evelyn Bryant
Kate McGuinness
Kendyll Paipa
Ruby Walker
Lylah West

200%

Annaleigh Kohnenkampf
Diaz
Angela Radovic
Orianthi Stone

100%

Lilly Aouad
Leila Rose Aquino
Riley Bugeja
Lillian Cardno
Zara Cooley-Rice
Layla Corzano

Zayra Denmeade
Annika Edhouse
Priya Gartside
Sofie Haggenmueller
Evie Rose Herring
Macy Hollingworth
Veritta Idam
Mie Jhet
Hunter Lee
Becka-anne le-gay
brereton
Elizabeth Lock
Matilda Maddern
Niamh Mccarthy
Skye O'Neill
Ivy Ravaioli
Tahlia Redmond
Sharlize Roch
Eva Theodorou
Gracie Towle
Olivia Wrighter

U9

BOYS 400%

Lachlan Dann
Dashiell Lonergan
Kirby Murray
Noah Sutton

300%

Cooper Johnson
Billy John Srougi

200%

Knox Goodman
Hunter McLean

100%

Maxwell Ambrose
Demetrius Amromin
Flynn Aston
Bryson Bagnall
Benjamin Bowyer
Isaac Capilli
Kobe Cash
Ethan Chu
Milan Constantine
Jed Cooper
Max Dzarasov
Rory Guli
James Henderson
Tyler Jamieson
Jaxon Kokineli
Kane Mason
Kingston Merchant
Alexandros Salamastrakis
Hunter Saleh
Orlando Tauta
Brooklyn Wardle
Noah Corcoran*
Mitchell Ting*

GIRLS**400%**

Maddelyn Cavanough
Matilda Escolme
Sophia Jokhan
Sienna Lakomy
Jaime Paipa
Frankie Potauaine
Tilly Teasel

300%

Maddison Colman
Evelyn Weston

200%

Charlotte Fleming
Emily Hughes
Emily Sentas

100%

Isabel Aktas
Zara Ambriano
Molly Bertschi
Sybella Carageorge
Natasha Daras
Mia Dunham
Alex Fitzpatrick
Chloe Galloway
Ewelina Janca
Juanita Khnanisho
Alivia Lo
Marli Parker
Isla Redman
Lily Ricketts
ALBA SALOMON
Samara Sharratt
Zayla Southwood
Ivy Speer
Lily Vella
Georgina Wilks
Georgiana Young

U10**BOYS****500%**

Hunter Lentell
Zed Lester
Blake Spaul

400%

Ben Hibbs
Micah Jokhan
Kobi Mead

300%

Harrison Towle

200%

Max Bowmer
James Seidel
Hayden Vella
Ash Wooldridge

100%

Riley Creighton
Scott Curry
Benjamin Hibbs
Toby Lawson
Eddy Liu
Owen Lovell-Ward
Jarrah Martinus
Billy Opai
Noah Perez
Joshua Sapsed
Denis Shayakhmetov
Arlo Snape
Izaak Southwood
Bowen Xia
Ashton Gilbert*
Felix Tran*

GIRLS**500%**

Estelle Slater
Liesl Spinner

300%

Alannah New

200%

Gabriella Edwards
Myrsina Kostopoulos
Lara Miller
Juliet Saba
Andie Smith
Montana Smith

100%

Audrey Allan
Sophie Aungle
Ilva Bigatton
Madigan Burke
Evie Cohen
Anna Corbett
Aryana Edwards
Erin Hanratty
Taylor Hawkins
Florence Jessop
Summer Jones
Leahana Kotevski
Elody Lawson
Sienna Mattiuzzo
Anika Opai
Torah Pyper
Chloe Russell
Billie Trewin
Annabelle Zammit
Etain Cardno
Bonnie Harrison*

U11**BOYS****700%**

Joshua Dann
600%
Max Christensen
Ryan Harris
Harley Morton
Cooper Sutton
Darcy Teasel
Dalton Rowlands*
500%
William Corbett
Felix Lonergan

400%

Parker Cavanough
Justinian Romanos-Regas

300%

Harley Johnson

200%

Sebastian Sentas

100%

Jackson Aungle
Tim Bertschi
Massimo Biordi
Dejan Constantine
Kyeton Daras
Josef Haggenmueller
Liam Lakomy
Reef Lewis
Oscar Lo
Riley Maskiell
Austin Pratt
John-Paul Rahme
Matthew Ricketts
Oisin Smyth
Maxwell Symonds
Curren Taper
Pedro Viana Peres
Jacob Vincent
Harper Wild
Marcus Gadallah*

GIRLS**600%**

Isabel Adams
Soffie Berry
Penelle Constantoulas

500%

Zahri Lester
Zara Zammit-Mayer

300%

Kiani Johnson

200%

Chloe McCormack
Ella McGuinness

100%

Elizabeth Allan
Charlotte Allan
Lindy Ambrose
Elizabeth Amromina
Lucy Bowyer
Kyah Gallen
Maya Hyasatt
Alegra Negro
Olivia Pecotic
Abbey Salter
Estelle Sorensen

U12**BOYS****400%**

Kai Fisher

200%

Cortez Mathews
Harper Evans
Haideen Wooldridge

100%

Noah Barsoum
Quinlan Burke
Beau Griggs
Aidan Hanratty
Jackson Herring
Curtis Kanaar
Jack Layt
Scott Manley
Austin Martinus
Noah Mattiuzzo
Thomas McKirdy
Declan Noonan
Benjamin Pal
Jimmy Potauaine
Zac Redman
Zyon Southwood
George Theodorou
Dimitri Young
Darcy Gilbert*
Billy Harrison*
Kai Remedios*
Seth Woodman*

GIRLS**500%**

Sienna Dunham
Addison Mackinder

400%

Poppy Hulbert
Anastasia Kostopoulos
Sienna Mead

300%

Isla New

200%

Jade Seidel
Charlotte Bowmer
Tia Hale

Charlotte Ollivier
Isla Wallace

100%

Zara De Carvalho
Rhanni Kanaar
Giselle Kotevski
Clarissa Kumcevski
Chiara Levitski
Abby Lovell-Ward
Madeleine McKirdy
Isabella Negro
Kalayah Roch
Emily Tink
Bridget Tink
Audrey Tran
Mia Wardle
Tahli Weigand
Mia Wilson
Makayla Jeffery*

U13**BOYS****800%**

Jayden Goffet
Dane Sutton

500%

Ziggy Lester

300%

Otis Jessop

200%

William Thompson

100%

Daniel Amromin
Kyle Mason
Nathan Ricketts
Anaston Saisanas
Red Fins
Tyson Gilbert

GIRLS**900%**

Zara Buckley
Milla Coles

800%

Zoe Cole
Aurora Ewings
Alice McNamara
Imogen Porteous

500%

Matea Saba

400%

Isla Jokhan
Zoe Rybanic
Leia Rybanic

200%

Adelaide Thompson

100%

Olivia Aungle

Abbey Cameron
Eliza Dalglish
Ellie McGuire
Sophia Rahme

U14**BOYS****900%**

Cameron Bonar
Dylan Porteous

800%

Emilio Biordi
Joshua Kay
Oliver Lloyd
Jayden Morton
Robert Ollivier

700%

Kai Thatcher

400%

Jack Fisher

200%

Matias Soca

100%

Jackson Middleton
Cooper Rowlands
Will Steiner
Hayden Watts

GIRLS**900%**

Harper Constantoulas
Grace Spinner

600%

Hollie Adams
Matilda Berry

500%

Zoey Lester
Jayda Zammit-Mayer

400%

Amelia Dann

200%

Sienna Alderson
Sienna Spaul

100%

Giselle Abrahams
Ella Buckley
Alexandra Hyasatt
Isla Lawson
Waverly Martinus
Isobel Poulos-Burns
Elyssa Redrup
Keira Vincent
Kiara Gilbert*
Abbie Warn*

* Red Fins

JAG AGE GROUP AWARDS



U11

GIRLS

Age Champion
Zara Zammit-Mayer

Runner Up Age Champion
Chloe McCormack

Beach Champion
Kyah Gallen

Water Champion
Zara Zammit-Mayer

Lifesaving Award
Ella McGuinness

Encouragement Award
Estelle Sorenson

BOYS

Age Champion
Joshua Dann

Runner Up Age Champion
Reef Lewis & Cooper Sutton

Beach Champion
Curren Taper

Water Champion
Cooper Sutton

Lifesaving Award
Felix Lonergan

Encouragement Award
Ryan Harris

U12

GIRLS

Age Champion
Jade Seidel

Runner Up Age Champion
Charlotte Bowmer

Beach Champion
Jade Seidel & Zara De Carvalho

Water Champion
Charlotte Bowmer

Lifesaving Award
Rhanni Kanaar

Encouragement Award
Sienna Mead

BOYS

Age Champion
Beau Griggs

Runner Up Age Champion
Austin Martinus

Beach Champion
Zac Redman

Water Champion
Beau Griggs

Lifesaving Award
Haidden Woolridge

Encouragement Award
Dimitri Young

U13

GIRLS

Age Champion
Eliza Dalglish

Runner Up Age Champion
Alice McNamara

Beach Champion
Milla Coles

Water Champion
Eliza Dalglish

Lifesaving Award
Alice McNamara

Encouragement Award
Matea Saba

BOYS

Age Champion
Ziggy Lester

Runner Up Age Champion
Dane Sutton

Beach Champion
Ziggy Lester & Nathan Ricketts

Water Champion
Ziggy Lester & Dane Sutton

Lifesaving award
Nathan Ricketts

Encouragement Award
Jayden Goffet

U14

GIRLS

Age Champion
Elyssa Redrup

Runner Up Age Champion
Waverly Martinus

Beach Champion
Keira Vincent

Water Champion
Waverly Martinus

Encouragement Award
Hollie Adams

Lifesaving Award
Zoey Lester

BOYS

Age Champion
Cameron Bonar

Runner Up Age Champion
Kai Thatcher

Beach Champion
Cameron Bonar

Water Champion
Kai Thatcher

Encouragement Award
Jack Fisher

Lifesaving Award
Kai Thatcher

U8

GIRLS

Age Champion
Lylah West

Runner Up Age Champion
Lilly Aouad

Beach Champion
Lylah West

Water Champion
Lyla Corzano

Lifesaving
Hunter Lee

Encouragement
Ivy Ravaoli

BOYS

Age Champion
Reed Martinus

Runner up Age Champion
Axel Slater

Beach Champion
Axel Slater

Water Champion
Reed Martinus

Lifesaving
Thomas Miller

Encouragement
Lachlan McShane

U9

GIRLS

Age Champion
Chloe Gallaway

Runner Up Age Champion
Maddelyn Cavanough & Tilly Teasal

Beach Champion
Chloe Gallaway

Water Champion
Tilly Teasal

Lifesaving award
Lily Ricketts

Encouragement Award
Georgina Young

BOYS

Age Champion
Dashiell Lonergan

Runner Up Age Champion
Noah Sutton

Beach Champion
Maz Dzarasov

Water Champion
Dashiell Lonergan

Lifesaving Award
Knox Goodman

Encouragement Award
Flynn Aston

U10

GIRLS

Age Champion
Andie Smith

Runner Up Age Champion
Liesl Spinner

Beach Champion
Andie Smith

Water Champion
Liesl Spinner

Lifesaving Award
Lara Miller

Encouragement Award
Anna Corbett

BOYS

Age Champion
James Seidel

Runner Up Age Champion
Max Bowmer

Beach Champion
James Seidel & Eddy Liu

Water Champion
Max Bowmer

Lifesaving Award
Harrison Towle

Encouragement Award
Owen Lovell-Ward



JAG TEAM MANAGER'S REPORT

Well, what a season 2020/21 turned out to be. With an abrupt end to the 2019/20 season and the in-depth pre-season planning that was required to get Nippers off the ground this season, we achieved amazing things this season for the time and constraints on our sport.



Our new COVID-19 bubble format worked well and gave all of our Nippers room to learn and put their skills into

practise on the beach and in the water. As usual the surf gods are not always nice to us but our Nippers are great at giving it a go and going with the flow.

Our new U9's with limited transition this year started the season ready to get in the water and have a really good crack at competing on both the beach and in the water at any and all carnivals they could.

We put together the Bate Bay Water Series and it ran with great success in the restricted format for our Wanda Nippers that were able to compete. And the Bate Bay Beach Carnival followed for our beachies to get some much-needed beach competition happening.

With Interbranch cancelled this season our kids were committed to giving their all at training and listening to their Coaches and Age Managers to improve their skills and build on their fitness so they would be ready for Sydney Branch and State Age Championships.

Sydney Branch threw the usual challenges at our Nippers with water events cancelled and beach events run with only the qualifying water events due to the surf conditions. Great Results were achieved by our Wanda Nippers and we WON the Sydney Branch carnival. Great work everyone!

Wanda Tradies One Club Carnival was our next carnival and our Nippers were well and truly ready for that one with

some more awesome results in the lead up to State Age Championships in March. State Age Championships was represented by a State Team of 125 Nippers across our U9-U14 age groups in the water and on the beach. With the split format of age group and events at different beaches our volunteers and nippers really stepped up to make sure our Nippers had a great time and were ready to show Swansea and the other clubs who Wanda is and they did amazing considering the surf conditions. Wanda finishing in 3rd place was a super effort for our State Team this year and our beachies really showed the team what they could do on the beach.

Our Club Captains Zoey Lester and Cameron Bonar and Vice Captains Grace Spinner and Kai Thatcher had an interesting introduction into their roles through lockdown and our virtual presentation and they took to their roles like ducks to water through the season being great role models to younger nippers throughout the season.

Thank you to our committed Team of Age Managers for their on-going commitment to the Nippers in teaching our lifesavers of the future and giving them a great Sunday Experience.

Thank you to all of our coaches who once again have prepared our Nippers ready for the season and competition this season which has given us our great success this season.

Our Red Fins program was bigger and better this year, thank you to all those who volunteer their time to support this group every Sunday and congratulations to the Redfins Branch and State Teams

on their fantastic results and plenty of medals came their way.

Our mentor program saw Chelsea Sutton and Talia Goffet come back as assistant age managers this season and I know their groups love having them. I look forward to seeing this program continue next season with returning U14 nippers.

Thank you to all parent volunteers who gave their time in both water safety and officials this season that allowed our Wanda Nippers to take part in activities each Sunday and to compete in carnivals throughout the year. Your support is appreciated and we cannot function without you.

Thank you to our committee for your time and effort in organising and planning a season for success for our Nippers.

Lastly, I thank my Wanda family for making my time on the committee and as Team Manager amazing and rewarding, it has been an absolute pleasure watching and supporting the Wanda Nippers at all carnivals. As you know I get very passionate and emotional when I talk about our Nippers achievements, I am so proud of everyone and have loved seeing the Nippers grow and develop into great little lifesavers and competitors. I will always look fondly back on my time as Team Manager at Wanda Nippers!

Thanks for the Memories!

Brooke Thatcher

TEAM MANAGER & DEPUTY
CHAIRPERSON

JAG CLUB CAPTAINS' REPORTS



FEMALE CLUB CAPTAIN

It's been an honour and privilege to be the club captain for Wanda Nippers this season. I have been at Wanda since I was in the u6s, and it's has been the best experience of my life, I wouldn't know what to do with myself if I wasn't a part of Wanda Surf Lifesaving Club.

This season hasn't been the nicest season due to COVID-19 but as a club we have been able to do what we love and that is what matters. We are thankful that we still got to complete our SRC certificate through the tough times, and even though there was not as many carnivals we still got to train and spend time in the water and at the beach.

As a young Nipper I was very anxious about the water and didn't have a lot

of confidence either, and if it wasn't for everyone who encouraged me to come down to the beach every Sunday and spend time growing my confidence in the water, I wouldn't be here enjoying catching the biggest waves of the day and getting pumped by the massive sets on my way out the back. So, thank you to everyone who told me I can, when I told myself that I couldn't do it.

My favourite thing about nippers is meeting new people in your age group, older age groups, and younger ages groups and even other clubs. I know for a fact that I have made so many lifelong friends through this sport and I wouldn't change that for anything. I love coming down to the beach and seeing who's there and just spending hours at the beach having the best times of our lives.

I would also like to make mention my time spent with the Red Fins was one of my biggest highlights as Club Captain. I look forward to continuing helping and growing this section of the club.

I want to say thank you to all the volunteers who make this club tick,

Wanda Nippers committee and the Wanda Board of Directors who run our club, water safety, including IRB who keeps us safe out in the water, officials who run carnivals and allow us to compete, the many coaches who help us to be the best versions of ourselves, and the age mangers and helpers who give a hand when needed. A massive thanks to the U14s Age Managers Katie Spinner, Andrew Adams, Stefan Constantoulous, Karen Bonar, Nicole Lloyd, and Denny Rowlands and to all the other helpers along the way. Thank you for putting up with us for so many years we could not have done it without you guys.

Once again, I just wanted to say how proud I was to be your Captain this year and say thank you to everyone who has been a part of this club. I am hoping to see all your faces back on the beach next season, with all that Wanda spirit. And I look forward to coming back next season and helping out the younger ones become the next lifesavers of Wanda.

Zoey Lester

CLUB CAPTAIN





MALE CLUB CAPTAIN

I have been very privileged to be the Club Captain of Wanda Nippers this season and I'm honoured to have been able to lead and set an example for all the Nippers. Wanda has been a huge part of my life and I've loved spending my weekends there.

I've been at Wanda for 9 years since I was 5 years old and I've always loved being in the water. My best memories at Nippers were going down there every Sunday with my family, getting in the water and hanging out with my mates. I also remember the first time we raced on our boards in U9s and how much fun we had catching waves to now as 14yr olds racing at our sixth and last Nipper state championships. I have met so many new people over the years and made friendships and unique bonds that I'll keep for life.

It's hard to see our time as U14s has come to an end. All our Nippers have grown so much in their surf skills, surf awareness and have tried new things like attending carnivals, board

paddling, ocean swims and just giving everything a go. The U14s completed our SRC and started water safety and joined patrols for the first time. It's been a great experience helping the younger nippers and Red Fins as water safety and hopefully passing on our knowledge to the older nippers. Helping on Patrols has been a highlight of the year. To top off the season the U14s had an extraordinary two night trip away to Penrith Cable Ski Park and Raging Waters, seeing all the bonds and friendships we have made over the years become even greater.

I would like to say a huge thank you to all our volunteers for their time and effort in making Nippers more enjoyable and safer including the Water Safety, IRB, beach and water officials, parent volunteers and most importantly the Committee that puts it all together working non-stop even in the off season, especially with COVID-19. Without them Nippers wouldn't be able to run every week.

Thank you to all the coaches, beach, water, R&R & March Past without your guidance and training Wanda wouldn't be the success it is. Thank you also to all the Trainers for helping us achieve our SRC and an immense thank you to Fiona the JAG Chairperson and Brooke our Team Manager as well as a special thank you to our U14s Age Managers Mum (Karen), Nicki, Katie, Drew and Stefan for making our last and final

season the best and for helping us make so many memories that we will never forget.

I still can't fathom that my time as a Nipper is over but I have loved the past 9 years, training, racing and representing our club. I love Wanda as my second family and home. Earlier this year I did an interview for Junior Lifesaver of The Year and I was asked what aspect of SLS has impressed me the most, I replied with "the community because of how they made every day of my 9 years of Nippers fun and enjoyable and the cheerful, happy community that helped my family and I through very difficult times". I will never forget all Wanda has given me. I'm sad to be finishing Nippers but I can't wait to take on further opportunities and roles within our club.

To all our Nippers good luck and I hope you will all stay in Nippers at Wanda because there are so many life changing experiences to have, friends to make for life, safety in the surf to learn and Community service to give on Patrol. Thank you Wanda Nippers for everything.

Cameron Bonar

CLUB CAPTAIN

JAG WATER COACH'S REPORT



Firstly, on behalf of Steve, Cam, myself, and all other water coaches who assisted throughout the year, we would like to say a HUGE congratulations to the kids on their incredible performances this year in what was an unprecedented environment with the health regulations to remain COVID-19 safe. We are extremely proud when we stand on the beach whether it be at training, at Sunday nippers or at local and state competitions and see our kids perform to their best.

Training began early in the year for the U9 water transition program, mostly held at Gunnamatta Bay with a consistent attendance throughout the winter months. Learning the fundamentals of board paddling and skills associated with the water was essential to improving their competence and confidence as they progressed towards the nipper season. Training got into full swing through mid-late October and by November, numbers had grown and continued to grow throughout the season. As usual, the northeaster was ever present in the afternoons with some training sessions moved to the Bay to remain safe and free from bluebottles. With the Tuesday and Thursday afternoon sessions locked in, we again introduced our Wednesday and Friday mornings which saw some of the best conditions of rolling waves, no wind, and no bluebottles.

No water coaching could take place without our trusted water safety personnel. I am confident in saying that under the guidance of Grant Bowmer, our water safety team are the best in the business. To the mums and dads who are suiting up and throwing on the bright orange

rashie, we THANK YOU from the bottom of our hearts. Sometimes we have big surf, sometimes it is super windy and other times it is just plain FREEZING, but regardless of the conditions you are always willing to help and throw yourself into the elements. You all do a thankless job and us coaches would not be able to coach without you.

A tough decision was made on the two water awards this year. The Don Hudson Most Improved competitor went to Chloe McCormack for her improvement on the board and overall individual and team performances in the back end of the season. Chloe was a consistent trainer at our morning sessions, and her level of competence grew in the waves every time she encountered the surf. Congratulations Chloe and we look forward to coaching you into the future.

The winner of the Coaches Award went to Reef Lewis for his perseverance and willingness to be his best at every opportunity. Reef always puts in 100% at training, is willing to learn from the coaches and always races with great distinction in both individual and

team events. In only his second year in nippers, Reef had a fantastic competitive year and heading into his third year he will again be a force to be reckoned with. Congratulations to both Chloe and Reef.

I would like to acknowledge the tireless efforts of Fiona Sutton and her team to make nippers possible every week. In what was a difficult time for many, Fiona and her team manufactured a program that was seamless and was the envy of all other clubs. This allowed all kids to participate in a nipper program that improved their beach or water proficiency, plus educating our kids on all facets of lifesaving. We would also like to acknowledge the efforts of all other coaches from the beach, lifesaving and R&R.

We are proud to be associated with Wanda nippers and look forward to seeing everyone on the beach or in the surf.

Nathan Smith

NATHAN SMITH STAR ACADEMY





NIPPER PROGRAM REPORT



My first year as Nipper Program Manager was both challenging and rewarding, with the nipper season nearly being cancelled due to COVID-19, before it even started. After much planning, we were lucky to finally get things started in October and have such a great season.

My role was made easier with the help of lots of talented and dedicated people, putting endless time and effort into making the season successful, whilst still abiding by the strict COVID-19 restrictions. Special mention to Fiona Sutton, Grant Bowmer, Brooke Thatcher and Andrew Cole for your ongoing advice and support.

We were fortunate to have access towards Greenhills Beach, allowing us to run the Sunday nipper program over two zones keeping within our number restrictions. This was definitely more labour intensive for our set up and pack down volunteers, so a big thank you for everyone that turned up early to set up and stayed back to pack down. Unfortunately, due to these restrictions, parents were unable to enter the zones, and we appreciated everyone's co-operation with this. A big thank you to our COVID-19 Marshalls who had the unpopular task of enforcing the rules. The Sunday nipper program would not be able to run without the help of our volunteers.

We had a record number of nippers registered this season, with over 550 nippers. Our age managers did a splendid job across all age groups, making for a fun and educational experience. A special shout out to Denny Rowlands, Michael Ting and Mark "Sarge" Sargeant, and their army of parent helpers for another successful season for our Red Fins, which also saw a record number of registrations. It was truly special watching our Red Fins participate in body surfing, developing paddling skills on the board, learning

about surf awareness and lifesaving skills, and just having fun with smiles all round!

The back end of the season produced some challenging surf conditions, beach closures and little sand availability due to sand erosion and high tides. All teams worked together to make crucial decisions, with the number one priority of our children's safety paramount.

This season saw the introduction of the "Education Station", where nippers were given an opportunity to learn and practice real surf lifesaving skills, including tube rescues, board rescues, signals and CPR, just to name a few. Thank you to Peta Fisher for overseeing this.

Many thanks to Grant and his team of water safety, which included our U14's, and our IRB crew for keeping our nippers safe in the water, and providing them with reassurance and support. We should all be very proud of our nippers, as they often display skills and courage beyond that of many of us adults.

I am already looking forward to the season ahead with real excitement, with one season under my belt, I hope to continually improve the experience of each and every nipper!

See you all next season!!

Nikki Teasel



JAG BEACH COACH'S REPORT



As we continue to build the nippers beach program it was great seeing so many young nippers at carnivals doing Wanda proud. The goal for the beach is to run a program that attracts as many nippers as possible through a structured coaching program across sprints, flags and distance running. Through doing this we hope to have a strong beach team at carnivals that allows us to enter teams in all relay events.

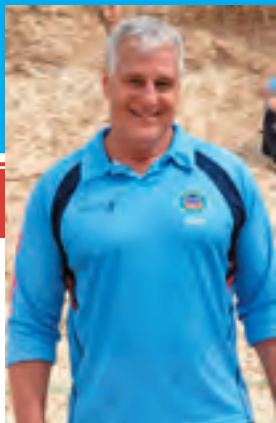
We made progress on our goal this season with the key highlights seeing the U11 mixed relay team (Kyah, Estelle, Liam and Curren) winning gold at state and the U9 male (Max, Jed, James, and Hunter) and U10 mixed (Gabriella, Alannah, Eddy and Riley) winning bronze. It shows what working as a team can achieve. There were also a number of other teams in the top 6, which with further training will only see them improve.

Also special mention to our other state medalists: Jackson, winning the U11 1km and Ryan finishing third. Kyah (U11 1km), Kyle (U13 1km) and Mila (U13 Sprint) who all finished with a silver medal. These results saw one of our best performances on the beach for many years with not only winning medals but placing in the top 6 in many events that saw us finish 1st overall for distance events and 5th overall for sprints and flags across all the clubs in the state. This provides

a great platform to build on in the years to come. The results do not come without hard work and I would like to thank our coaches Jock, Zane and Larry who provided many hours of coaching for our nippers, helping them improve across all disciplines on the beach and without their time these results would not be possible.

A special mention must go to two of our U14 girls who had a great last season as nippers before they move into the senior club. Sienna Alderson





who won the state 2km and backed that up with a great performance at Aussies winning a bronze in the 2km and a further bronze in the 2x1km relay, great work Sienna, the hard work paid off. Also, Keira Vincent who finished her time as a nipper in style winning double gold at state in sprints and flags and backing that up at Aussies with a gold in the sprints and a very close silver in flags. Keira has been one of

our best performing beachies over the years winning multiple gold medals at state since a very young age and representing Wanda proud throughout her time. Great work Keira and it was a joy watching you perform on the beach throughout the years.

Finally, I would like to thank all our parents who spent many hours traveling to training and carnivals and providing

invaluable support on the beach. Hoping to see you all back next season ready for an even bigger season!

Brad Tattam
JAG BEACH COACH

JAG SURF LIFESAVING COORDINATOR'S REPORT

2020, welcomed an education station as part of our weekly nipper program. Our Age Managers were still responsible for the delivery of the age group specific programs, however the station focussed on incorporating surf lifesaving skills and knowledge into a patrol setting.

Each week a new skill was introduced and the previous weeks skill/s were reinforced. By the end of the season, children in our older age groups could complete an end to end rescue under the guidance of their Age Manager acting as the Patrol Captain.

I would like to thank all our U14's who assisted providing demonstrations and helping to teach our younger nippers.

Peta Fisher
JAG SURF LIFESAVING COORDINATOR



JAG WATER SAFETY DIRECTOR'S REPORT



Our Water Safety Warriors representation continued to strengthen this season allowing for us to cater for and support record numbers of Wanda nipper kids that entered the surf each Sunday. With the introduction of zoning to align with COVID-19 and Council regulations, together with surf conditions not always favouring us, the Water Safety team continued to adapt and arrive in numbers with a 'can do' attitude, ensuring our nippers were best prepared to embrace the ocean.

Whilst our schedule of hosted carnivals were limited this season to only conducting 'Wanda Tradies One Club Carnival', our Water Safety team represented in numbers and led by example for our neighbouring clubs' Water Safety crew. Regarding other scheduled carnivals, the willingness from the team to support the running of Australia Day Iron Person, Branch Qualifiers as well as Stage Age Nipper Championships which took place over 4 days at Swansea Belmont, needs to be recognised. A shout out to those who assisted. Thanks very much.

Our Surf Transition Program, led by Nathan Smith, Steve Warren and the Surf Coaching Staff continues to grow from strength to strength for our U9 age group as they had the exciting opportunity for the first time to be exposed to surf events and competitions throughout the season. The commitment from our Water Safety team over the winter season allowed for the kids to embrace the varying surf conditions with confidence whilst honing in on their surf swimming and board paddling skills. This all not possible without the assistance of those in orange Wanda Water Safety rash shirts, providing guidance and self-belief in our little rising stars.

Our U14s and SRC were instrumental as way of mentorship toward our younger nipper age groups. Each took ownership of investing their time and experience toward the well-being



of the younger nippers as well as supporting the efforts of the Water Safety crew. And who can forget the introduction of 'Dash 4 Cash'!!! Congratulations to each of you on your contribution to Wanda Nippers. Goodluck as you all enter into Seniors.

Bronze Medallion recipients continued to grow with nippers parents/carers/friends taking on the scheduled courses throughout the season. I was proud to distribute new Water Safety rash shirts to these recipients where no encouragement was needed in having each prepared each Sunday morning to embrace the water areas. Congratulations to all and thanks for making the commitment to support our club in this capacity.

A special thanks to Planning Ingenuity for another year of

sponsoring our Water Safety section of the club. Without your ongoing support, we are unable to represent as a critical division of the club and are proud to boast your brand across our orange rash shirts.

To conclude, I would personally like to recognise the entire Water Safety and IRB team for their ongoing commitment, support and positive attitude throughout the season. What a great team we have in ensuring our nipper kids receive the best nipper experience when taking on the elements of the surf.

See you back in the water for 2021/22 season.

Grant Bowmer

JAG WATER SAFETY DIRECTOR



JAG IRB COORDINATOR'S REPORT



The end of a season like no other. It's amazing what seemed normal by the end of it, but somehow with the work of our committee, our volunteers and our amazing age managers we seemed to make the best of the strange situation that was season 20/21.

I'd like to take this opportunity to send a big thank you to all that jumped in the boats to help set up water areas and provide water safety for the Nippers on a weekly basis, as well as cover water safety at the Bate Bay series, 4 Way, Wanda Tradies One Club Carnival, Sydney Branch and State carnivals. Several times throughout the year it felt like our resources were stretched and we weren't going to be able to pull it off but you guys always pitched in to make it

happen – the kids are lucky to have a crew as dedicated as you guys.

This year sees the end of Lloyd's nipper IRB career – massive thanks for all of your help over the last 6 years, you will be missed but feel free to come down any Sunday and jump in a boat and pass on your experience.

See you all next year,

Adam Buckley

JAG IRB COORDINATOR

JAG AGE MANAGER'S REPORTS

U6 BOYS

We were so lucky to be able to start the year with over 40 + kids registered into the Under 6 Boys at Wanda. We had 4 Parents that put up their hand to Age Manage (Loch, Michael, Lou, and Me...Beck. We were very lucky to have Gary McNamara as a mentor who bought a great amount of experience and wisdom and was able to guide us through the first few weeks to get us up and going in our new roles
** Thankyou again Gary for your support **

Our parents were amazing each week and we had several that were willing to assist us and some that assisted every week in the water, carrying equipment, setting up the beach very early in the morning, cooking the BBQ and supporting our big group. We couldn't have managed getting through the



season without your help.

We had tough conditions and obstacles to contend with this season, COVID-19 the obvious but also the surf at times due to the continuous big shore dump... he he - some boys liked it more than others, but each of them through the weeks showed real courage and determination to face it.

Our Beach activities were great, and all of the boys showed enthusiasm and we definitely could put together several beach teams in the future. Our Age Managers ran sand hills without pulling hamstrings and had the boys doing long runs, short runs, flags and games and of course tug a war.

Educationally each week we taught



them something new, but we were also so lucky to have so many great people from our club to assist us with some of the lessons - signals, learning about sun safety but one of the favourites was definitely the jet ski, where they all got to sit on it and get a pic - thank you Kenny.

Kurnell Days were a standout where we mixed in with the pink flamingos and worked together. Each of the kids for different reasons loved these days and built great confidence from them; we definitely look forward to these being included in next year's program. Being able to give the kids the opportunity to have a go on the foam boards and dolphin dive under the water was awesome.

A big thank you to our club sponsors and a special thank you to our Age Group Sponsor Steve from Men's Republic. This allowed us to give out lots of awards to the kids each week.

We as Age Managers had a great season learning from the boys and hopefully we have attributed to them growing confidence and hope that we have created a love for the ocean and amazing beaches we are so lucky to have.

We are excited about next season and look forward to seeing our Pink Piranhas continue to develop into little lifesavers.

Beck, Lachlan, Michael, Lou

U6 GIRLS

Great start to our first season of Nippers with Wanda. We inherited the pink caps and are now known as Pink Flamingos. All of our U6 girls got involved and smiles were usually on their faces.

Thank you to our parents who accepted the challenges COVID-19 threw at us and followed regulations. Thank you to all the parents who stepped up and helped

weekly in activities and duties. We have a great group of girls and look forward to seeing them grow more confident next season.

Congrats to the parents who completed their Bronze Medallion this season. I highly recommend more parents accept the challenge and complete their Bronze. It is a personal achievement, and you will be able to be involved in your daughter's nipper seasons as water safety throughout their years. Well done to fellow Age Manager Lisa on successfully completing her Bronze. I enjoyed completing my Bronze for a second time with Lisa and our weekly swim sessions. Thank you to Lisa, Kate, Celeste and Darren for accepting the push to share our Age Manager role. We are a great team and our Pink Flamingos will benefit from all our talents.

See you next season.

Pink Flamingos...oh lah lah!

Shelby

U7 BOYS

Despite COVID-19 doing its best to hijack the nippers season, the U7 Crocodiles and their team managers had an amazing summer. On our first Sunday Karl and myself (Ben) were just coming to terms with the new way we were having

to run things during the restrictions. We got quite the surprise when the 25 crocs we were expecting to see had swollen to 45 with some late registrations overnight! This made things a little tricky for the two of us as for the first-time parent volunteers weren't able to be used to help. I was especially proud of our croc parents as within 10 minutes of sending an SOS out for help via the WhatsApp group we had another 4 Age Managers sign up (Luke, Craig, Mitch and Justin as new helpers) as well as Taylor who was able to return after a stint overseas with the Navy. Thank you to everyone who made themselves available week in and week out. I'd also like to say a special thanks to all the parents who volunteered for the activities that they were allowed to help with during the COVID-19 restrictions. Set ups and pack away duties still need to be done so thanks so much.

It was really great to see the boys develop over the summer. We had a good number of returning crocs as well as a lot of new faces. Flags, relays and sprints were always favourites but from my point of view, where the boys really showed how they'd developed was in the surf conditions at Wanda and during the board riding sessions at Kurnell. I was also really happy to see the boys interact so well with the U7 Dolphins. We spent a lot more time competing and working together this year and the boys did a great job being respectful towards the U7 girls and their Age Managers. They are a great group and we'll no doubt continue to work closely in years to come.



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It wasn't all about the activities though. Karl did a great job wrangling the boys into learning more of their hand signals. Despite this being educational we disguised it as a game and the boys seemed to pick it up really well. Let's see if they remember any of it for next season!

A big thank you to our generous sponsors – Men's Republic who stepped up to specifically sponsor our group along with the club sponsors the Cheesecake Factory and Dominos.

There were lots of smart looking haircuts turning up each week and all in all some very happy award winners.

Overall, despite some COVID-19 related difficulties to overcome we had a fantastic season. I could not be any prouder of our boys and how they developed over the summer. We hope everyone has a great winter off and are very excited to see everyone again at the start of the 2021/22 season.

Ben

U7 GIRLS

It's a big thanks to our U7 Dolphins for a spectacular year. With some trying weather conditions and the challenges of COVID-19, we were eventually on our way to another great and eventful season.

Thanks also to the parents for your continued support and assistance when required in adhering to the requirements for this year and especially to our volunteer COVID-19 Marshalls that helped to make the season safe and possible.

Our Dolphins had a great time continuing to learn about the surf and everything the beach has to offer. From deeper and more intense wades to 'Beached Whales',



all of the girls were noticeably growing in water confidence and showed enormous growth during the season.

We also continued to learn from our trusted surf lifesaver Ken Smith who reinforced our DRS ABCD, sun protection, signals and swimming between the Flags. Our Dolphins also got to see Blue bottles firsthand and understood that these are a definite do not touch stinger and how to treat if accidentally stung. This was bolstered by lots of stories about Mums and Dads who had been stung before.

The flags saw some really solid and healthy competitive spirit develop and we couldn't be more proud of the passion the girls demonstrated every week with some real determination and will to win.

Time at Kurnell was a definite highlight for all as the girls had great opportunities to try the boards in relatively still water and get a taste of what is to come in later years at Nippers. The smiles said it all as the girls absolutely loved paddling the boards and I see we have some potential future champions in the making.

Our Dolphins continued to shine and grow each and every week. There were times of some real courage in some dumping shore breaks where the girls really overcame some challenging conditions and showed some super cheekiness in wanting to get back in

the water when time was up.

Thanks also to our very generous sponsors for the weekly prizes and awards, the girls always strived to do their best and they also appreciated the lollies at the end of each week, except for the week there were none.

All in all, it was a fantastic season, we could not be more proud of the girls and how they developed and what they achieved.

It was also great to see the girls beat those crocodiles in the tug o war again and I am sure we will have them covered in the upcoming season.

We are excited and looking forward to seeing those smiling faces again in the 2021/22 season and hope to see you all again soon.

Al, Carla, Tim,
Chris and Justin

U8 BOYS

What a great season we had! We were very lucky to be able to hold our regular Sunday morning nipper program, following all COVID-19 regulations with minimal interruption. Thank you to our Wanda JAG Committee for all the hard work during the season so we could enjoy the beach and our nipper sessions through the challenges thrown at us.



With restrictions on area access our U8 boys were lucky to have two more Age Managers join Morgan and I. Thank you Courtney and Peter for accepting to join the team. Thank you Morgan for your ongoing hard work during the season too. We are a great team and our U8 boys are truly lucky to have all of us, so they can have the best nipper experience.

Our numbers increased once again, with more new faces joining our U8 boys. It was great to see so many returning nippers, ready to continue to improve, build on and master skills.

This was our first year of competition. Our U8 boys competed in Club Championship Day, which showed us the highs and lows of competing. Credit to all the boys for trying their best and showing great sportsmanship.

Congrats and well done to the boys who made the commitment and attended weekly wade training sessions. It was great to join the U8 girls and improve on our skills. Thank you to the U8 girls Age Manager Kelli, for helping out with weekly sessions too.

The season ended on a massive high at our Wanda One Carnival, where our boys got to flip their caps and shine in true Wanda colours. This was a highlight for myself, because I also was competing on the day and our U8 boys cheered me on in my personal races. We had fantastic results, with every event coming away with a podium finish. Carnival days are long, but those boys who stuck around until the end and put in the effort, showed great results. Great team effort boys! It was a shame Branch and State

Carnivals did not go ahead for our U8 boys, because our boys would have done well for Wanda.

Next season we will venture into deep water beyond the surf break. This is not to be feared but is a new challenge to be accepted and new skills to develop.

Thank you to our awesome parents who have completed Bronze and are part of our water safety team. I highly recommend more parents complete the Bronze medallion, so you can come into the area and be a part of your son's nipper experience. Thank you to all parents who took on our regular duties of BBQ, set up and pack down. We are all volunteers and more hands, make light work.

There will be a transition program this year prior to next season. So stay connected to Wanda club for the latest information.

Thank you for a great, fun filled season and I look forward to seeing you next year.

Michael

U8 GIRLS

After 7 months of limited or cancelled community sports and events, the much-anticipated 2020/2021 nipper season started strong for the Under 8 Girls. Many thanks to the Wanda Nippers Committee for all of their hard work and planning to even make the season possible. It took us all a couple of weeks to get into the swing of the COVID-19 plan and restrictions, but we soon adjusted to the Gate 8 North Zone, QR code check-ins and having parents watch from the zone perimeter. We had over 30 girls register and consistently had a strong contingent of around 25 girls each week. We welcomed a lot of new girls and families to the team this year and it was great to have so many eager and enthusiastic girls on the beach.

This year was more physically challenging for the girls as they continued developing their skills and confidence for next season. The girls participated in two "Champo" days and got a taste of a real competitive event. They all gave 100% and there were some amazing results, particularly in the wade races, as the water conditions opened the race up for everyone.

Sundays at Kurnell is always a crowd favourite, and this season we were fortunate enough to head out there 3 times. The COVID-19 plan gave us more access and space in the water and the girls and boys really embraced it, especially the board activities. The girl's confidence in the water grew each week and their swim, wade and board skills improved dramatically.



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This year the girls had more opportunities to join the U8 boys and enjoyed racing with them.

We had a large number of girls enter the Wanda One carnival in February, and the girls endured the heat and spent the waiting time in the tent playing games and bonding. It was also wonderful to see the camaraderie and enthusiastic cheerleading for anyone from Wanda! The girls pushed themselves and got some good results in the sprints, flags and especially in the wade and wade relay. It was a great experience for them and gave them a taste of what may lie ahead.

Several of the girls embraced the opportunity to attend Thursday Wade Training with the U8 Boys and their Age Manager Michael. Thanks to Michael for leading the training and for the extra fun in the water and on the beach. A big thanks for the U8 Boys team and Age Managers for their companionship this year. We worked well together and had a lot of fun with you all.

The Age Manager team of Darryl, Eric and Keli was extended this year with the addition of Katie, and she stepped up and took on the role with energy and vigour. It was, however, the end of an era for Darryl and his daughter Lylah who left at the end of November to move south. Many thanks to Darryl for his dedication and commitment to the girls' team for the last 3 years, we wish you well. Thank you to all the parents for your ongoing support and commitment and for the ones who volunteered to be COVID-19 Marshalls each week.

It was also great to see some of our U8 Girls parents achieve their Bronze Medallion this season, ready to get amongst it in the water for next season – congratulations!

Overall, it was a thoroughly enjoyable and successful season,



despite the logistical changes due to COVID-19, but I am sure that both the girls and parents had a rewarding time as the U8 Girls Age Manager Team did!

Thank you and see you all again next season.

Keli

U9 BOYS

This season the boys made the transition from the U8s to the U9s and the big step to tackling the ocean swim and board. Considering they had a delayed and shortened transition program they all did so well to brave the cold and the ocean to step up and learn the skills to compete in these two new areas. Thank you to our coaches and water safety volunteers who gave up their time to support and teach our boys all the skills they needed to start the season as confidently as possible.

We had many new boys start this year, it was fantastic to see the boys making new friendships and working together. We had the majority of our boys attending nippers every Sunday and a consistent group of boys attending weekday training sessions. It was great to see the boys learning, participating and embracing all that nippers has to offer.

Thank you to the parents who helped out, adapted to the new rules this year and got the boys to nippers each week. Thank you

also to all the u9 parents and u14 nippers who performed water safety duties each week so that we could get as many boys safely in the water as possible.

The u9 boys had a difficult and different nippers carnival season like everyone else. There were limited opportunities to compete in carnivals as the Bate Bay carnival was restricted and the water events at the Sydney Branch carnival were cancelled. The Wanda Tradies One Club carnival at Kurnell was the only carnival some boys competed in before the NSW State championships. The boys should therefore be commended for their participation, enthusiasm, support and achievements. We had a committed and passionate group of boys attend the State carnival with the swim team earning a silver medal and the sprint relay team earning a bronze medal. It was so exciting to see the boys perform in both the beach and water events. It was also fantastic to see the boys supporting and cheering each other on, especially those that stayed at the carnival after their own events were finished just to cheer on their mates. They definitely displayed the Wanda spirit!

I am looking forward to next year and seeing these boys continue to form friendships, learn new skills and push themselves to improve.

Carolyn



U9 GIRLS

Another fantastic season for our U9 girls, despite the challenges a world-wide pandemic presented. This years' nipper season looked very different from previous years with only our Nippers and their Age Managers allowed in the roped off zones on the beach. However, this did not deter our girls' enthusiasm and it was great to see so many familiar faces at the start of the season keen to learn more about what it means to be a lifesaver. It was also wonderful to welcome a number of new girls and their families to the Wanda nippers community.

I am super proud of all the girls this season, who showed up giving 100% effort Sunday after Sunday, no matter what the weather. It was a delight to see friendships and camaraderie blossom between the girls as they cheered each other on in the Sunday activities.

Throughout the season the girls demonstrated excellent knowledge of their DRS ABC, basic CPR, how to spot a rip, the importance of swimming between the flags, signals, being sun smart and general safety on the beach.

It was a big year for the U9 girls as they were required to do the 200m ocean swim to gain their proficiency. It was great to watch the girls develop their confidence in the water with focus sessions run by our wonderful coaches and water safety. Despite some nerves, by the end of the season all of the girls had attempted the ocean swim either solo or supported by water safety. The girls also trained hard with our beach coaches to develop their sprint starts, diving for flags and the ever-tricky relay baton change. It was a delight to

watch their determined little faces as they conquered these new skills. The girls must also be congratulated on their behaviour, week after week; the coaches continually commented on how respectful and attentive our group of girls were.

Due to the national COVID-19 restrictions, this year our U9 girls were given the opportunity to participate in a limited number of competitions throughout the season. Whilst for many of them, the results were not recorded, it did give the girls a friendly opportunity to compete. Therese and I were also privileged to head up to the NSW State Championships with a small team of ten U9 girls. Their numbers did not stop them achieving some fantastic results in both the beach and water events. However, what made me most proud was watching how the girls supported and encouraged each other. They really demonstrated what it means to be part of the Wanda club. Congratulations girls! A special thanks also goes out to Nikki who stepped up to age manage the U9 girls competing in the water events at Swansea.

Our Sundays would not have run as smoothly without the wonderful support from the assistant Age Managers, Therese, Dean, Rob and Chelsea. I personally want to take this opportunity to thank you for all for your efforts and support this season; with parents not allowed in the zone, your help in ensuring the girls transitioned from one activity to the next as well as your encouragement and support for each of the girls was greatly appreciated. Special thanks to Chelsea who was a fantastic

mentor for our girls, heading out every week to do the swim and board encouraging them every step of the way. Also, a shout out to Dean, who came up with the ingenious idea of tying purple ribbons to all of our girls' boards, thus making it so much easier to find them on a Sunday morning!

Lastly, a massive shout out to our fabulous parents. Thank you for brining your girls along every week, and for your support throughout the season, whether it was volunteering to help out on BBQ duty or beach set up or pack down. A special mention to those parents who completed their Bronze medallion during the nipper season to enable them to help out as water safety, this is a huge testament to their dedication and support and is greatly appreciated.

I wish all the girls and their families the very best during our off-season and look forward to seeing all the girls again for the 21/22 season.

Pippa

U10 BOYS

Well done to the Wanda blue cap boys for a great year of nippers.

2020-21 certainly proved a little different for many of the boys but thanks to the club for making sure that the season could proceed.

We welcomed some new faces to the group and enjoyed improving our surf skills each Sunday at the beach, training through week and even managed a bit of racing in between restrictions.

The State teams once again competed in every individual and team event and were well rewarded with many outstanding performances returning 4 x gold, 1 x silver and 9 x bronze medals across the beach and water teams.

Thanks to Nathan, Steve, Cam, Jock, Larry and Zane for coaching the boys to be the best they could be. Thanks to Jeff, Tracey and Dave for helping manage the boys, to Grant and the Water Safety team

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and thanks Fiona, Brooke, Nikki and the Wanda Committee for giving us a season. Thanks to the U10 parents for your support getting the boys prepared, BBQs and duties and of course thanks to the blue cap boys for a great season! Looking forward to seeing everyone again soon to share more good times and bigger and better things in the U11s.

Glen

U10 GIRLS

Congratulations to the Girls who received attendance awards this season. Some girls will have accrued 5 years of 100% attendance – well done! Also a big congratulations to the recipients of the major Age Awards.

This year we had to make adjustments to our training and our nipper program to accommodate for COVID-19. We had some great beach conditions this season and we still managed to attend a number of carnivals so on balance and given the early conversations about season 2020-21 I think we can say the girls still had a fulfilling nipper experience.

We also take this chance to acknowledge your families for getting you to the beach and bay for training each week and for nipper activities at the weekend - well done mums, dads, and grandparents!

In our 3rd year attending carnivals our girls competed well and continued to hone their surf skills. Highlights have to be our beach relay medal and also the water events at the NSW State Championships. The surf was as challenging as it will ever be for a junior carnival and all girls handled the conditions with skill and determination. Again all girls continued to support one another and I am looking forward to next season where we can build on the girls surf skills and lifesaving awareness.

Thank you to all blue cap parent volunteers that contributed to the success of the season by way of helping with water safety, beach set up/pack up, BBQ duty, carnival assistance and supporting our fundraising events. We can't wait to see you all back on the beach for the 2021-22 season.

Nathan, Courtney and Talia

U11 BOYS

As another season has come to a close it is time to once again to reflect on the year that was. The Wanda SLSC flag has been flown high and proud on the shoulders of the Under 11 Boys from Wanda. The lads have toiled, trained, competed and learnt their lifesaving trade with distinction, honour and sportsmanship which our club known for. It's a belief and a way of life which is interwoven into the fabric of our culture which is carried in the hearts of each Wanda member.

We have been very fortuitous and managed to maintain our core group of Wanda nippers. We have also managed to attract some brilliant young men from other clubs and also re-established our bonds with some young nippers who left and have decided to come back. This has collectively enhanced the dynamics of the team with a wide variety of skills and abilities across the whole range of nipper activities. Each of the boys has brought something special to our club and has made the season the best season yet for Fernando, Ben and myself. I believe we have reached a point where we are very strong across all areas including beach sprints, flags, 1km run, surf swimming, boards and of course our core business of lifesaving. Because of the strength





of our group, it would not be fair to focus on any individuals. What I will say though is the results at the NSW Stage Age Championships, Sydney Branch Championships (unfortunately was only run for the beach) and the Sydney Branch Under 11 Leaders Development Camp is evidence of a team which is striving to achieve.

The positive results cannot be attributed to any one factor or person. However, I will highlight some of the key elements which have made the success possible. The Wanda SLSC management team has supported the Junior Activities Group (JAG) and made it possible for the JAG management team perform at their peak. The JAG management team has been phenomenal and engaged the coaches to develop the team's skills. To this end, it was good to see our group deliver great results at the state titles to send our Team Manager Brooke Thatcher out a winner. Well done Brooke! The coaches have been fantastic and very patient at times to bring out the best in our team. Finally, I think the family support is one of the major factors. You the parents have supported your boys and have been brilliant role models in your willingness to help out wherever required and to do what needs to be done to make nippers happen every Sunday and on carnival day. Thank you!

As a whole our boys have embraced the Wanda culture. Having fun, working hard and supporting each other. That is what makes a team great. Fernando, Ben and myself look forward to seeing you all next season and for bigger and better days ahead. Congratulations on a fantastic season

and keep up the good work.

Ben, Fernando and Ben

U11 GIRLS

The 20/21 Nipper season will definitely be one to remember, COVID-19 presented a very different nipper experience to what we are all used to, but thanks to our dedicated planning and committee members we were lucky enough to return to beautiful Wanda beach for another season.

Despite a modified nipper and state program it was an exciting and successful season for our Yellow Cap girls. So many firsts for our girls – they transitioned from their foamies to fibreglass boards, and were introduced to new disciplines, such as iron woman, board rescue, 1km beach runs and Cameron relays. For some it was their first time swimming around the can and for others their first time joining nippers. We loved meeting new families and welcoming back our returning nippers. We have loved watching all the children grow in confidence and skills and establish new friendships and grow those that were already existent. We continued to build and nurture our relationship with the yellow caps boys and their wonderful Age Managers. We are very fortunate to have the relationship we do with the boys, we support one another and cheer one another on whether it be on a normal nipper Sunday or at carnivals – this is what it is all about, mateship and teamwork.

This season the girls continued to step outside their comfort zone and build on



their skills showing enthusiasm towards learning new skills, it is evident that they each have the qualities it takes to become successful lifesavers.

We have a small but eager group of girls, a great mix – some are super competitive and love to attend carnivals whilst others are happy just enjoying the Sunday nipper experience, either way the commitment and motivation they each display towards their nipper journey is much to be admired. Each of our girls are so talented, whether it be on the sand or in the water and each have their own goals they're working towards. Most rewarding for us each season is watching each girl grow and become more confident within themselves as they recognise their ability. We love seeing their smiles when they do something for the first time, or finally nail something they've been working towards, it's such a great feeling and makes the privileged role of Age Manager worthwhile.

Despite many carnivals being cancelled this year, it was great seeing our yellow caps represent Wanda and test their skills at carnivals throughout the season. All these girls achieved amazing results – whether they walked away with medals or not they are all winners in our eyes. Just being brave enough to put themselves out there and give it a go is enormous and we can't wait to see what next season holds for them. Next season we hope to put forward an R&R Team. Wanda has a very proud history in R&R, with many State and Australian champion teams. The next generation of R&R competitors are our nippers, which is why we are encouraging our girls to get involved and learn this important Surf

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Lifesaving tradition. If your daughter is interested in learning more about R&R please reach out in the off season so we can hit the ground running as soon as the season commences.

10 of our girls and their families travelled to Swansea Belmont to represent Wanda both on the beach and in the water and compete over 2 days at the 2020/21 Nipper State Titles. Our girls went up against some pretty strong and talented girls from other clubs right across NSW, but this and the crazy surf conditions certainly didn't phase them – they gave it their all in every single race making many individual and team finals – what a huge achievement.

Congratulations to our state Medalists:

GOLD

Individual Swim Zara

Surf Team Chloe, Kiani, Zahri & Zara

Mixed Beach Relay Kyah, Estelle, Curren & Liam

SILVER

Ironwoman Zara

1km Beach Run Kyah

ALSO LOTS OF TOP 10 FINISHES

4th - Board Rescue Zara & Zahri

6th - Board Relay Zara, Kiani & Zahri

10th - Individual Swim Zahri

We sincerely enjoyed every moment this season, and hope each of the girls and their families did also. We hope to see all the girls return for a bigger and better 2021/22 season. The off season is a good time to sit with your child and set goals for the coming season, it is also a good time to set the wheels in motion and do things to work towards achieving these goals for example taking up some extra swimming or running training.



We'd like to take the opportunity to congratulate and thank all the parents who have volunteered this season, no matter how big or small the task or role you took on, it all helps in delivering a quality nipper program. I encourage each of you to get involved in some way next season, not only is it rewarding giving back to such an amazing club but your kids will look up to you and admire you for doing so. If you would like to become involved but don't quite know how, please reach out there's sure to be something you can do. Thanks to those who stepped up this season and gained their Bronze Medallion, you are a real inspiration to your child, the other children and us Age Managers - you are leading by example and encouraging the children to give it a go.

We look forward to seeing all the girls and their smiling faces on the beach next season as we work together on the next chapter in their lifesaving journey.

Lisa, Andrew & Teagan

U12 BOYS

Our young men from the U12 Wanda boys began each Sunday session a little sleepy-eyed, however it didn't take them long to muster up some enthusiasm and strength, and get into it. Even though the rough surf conditions didn't allow for as much time as the boys would have liked in the water, they made

the most of the beach activities that were organised and put 100% effort in. When the surf was good the boys enjoyed being out in the swim or on their boards. It was great to see all the boys, some facing their fears, getting amongst the waves. The levels of confidence gained by all the boys improved greatly as the season progressed.

It was exciting watching the boys compete against each other, with some new comers firing up the competition at our Champo Days, and watching them race against boys from their rival surf clubs at the Carnivals was very satisfying. Well done to Beau, Austin, Jimmy and Hayden for their huge achievements in the water events at the State Carnival, making finals and Beau and Austin for collecting two medals. This year our Lifesaving award goes to Hayden, who shows strength and stamina in the water and our encouragement goes to Dimitri who, with his positivity and great attitude, would be an asset to any team.

A big thanks to all those involved in Sunday morning activities, from organising activities, water safety, officials, and thanks to the parents for helping out in set up and bbqs.

Looking forward to a more normal 'COVID-19 free' season 21/22.

Kate and Tim



U12 GIRLS

Before I start my report for the fantastic U12 Girl's, The U12 Girls would like to thank the Wanda JAG committee for all the hard work during COVID-19 so that Sunday mornings could be Nipper Sunday's, a massive effort that we thank you for.

Another summer has come and gone and what a different summer it was doing nippers in a bubble every week but what an amazing season for the girls, as usual it was great to see most of the girls back for another year and a warm welcome to the new girls. The new girls were made to feel welcome and fitted right in.

While once again we had mixed surf conditions throughout the season, we did have some Sundays with perfect conditions and great opportunities for the girls to hit the water and see how they were going during the season. Each week the girls' skills improved whether on the sand or in the water, with clinic days helping improve their skills, all the girls should be proud of their efforts this year!

As always and most importantly sportsmanship is what can sometimes stand out and again this was shown amongst our own girls and in competition. Always encouraging and supporting each other, whilst keeping the competitive spirit alive, it shows how much they are growing up.

To all those that picked up medals at the carnivals during the year and for those that saved the best for the end of the season and competed at state, I am so proud of your huge efforts. I would really like to thank all the parents for showing

up each week and helping out when required, volunteering as Officials, Water Safety, Set-up or BBQ!

I look forward to seeing all the girls and their smiling faces on the beach next season as we work together on the next chapter in their lifesaving journey.

Brett

U13 BOYS

Wow, what a year it's been! So many challenges to overcome with COVID-19 but we still had a wonderful season.

We started the season with a trip to Jamberoo which was enjoyed by everyone and a great way to build comradery in the group across both boys and girls.

Once the season started, unfortunately a lot of carnivals were cancelled but we still had some fantastic Sunday mornings enjoying the beach and water and everyone improving their skills.

We are a small group, and we spent most weeks with the girls group, sharing the Sunday morning experience and getting to know the girls better. This was a lot of fun and it was great to see friendships form. We laughed as we saw you all try that bit harder to make sure the girls didn't beat you!

Jayden and Will attended the Sydney Branch development camp and had a great time, meeting new friends from other clubs and learning more about life saving.

Well done to Ziggy, Dane, Nathan, Otis, Will and Kyle who proudly represented

Wanda at the State Championships. All the boys competed well and achieved great results. Special congratulations to Kyle Mason who won a silver Medal in the 1km beach run and to Ziggy and Dane who won the bronze medal in the Board Rescue.

We are very much now looking ahead to next season where we will proudly watch you all complete your SRC, join patrols, assist with water safety, fundraise and head off on our end of season trip. We can't wait to see you all lead the club and mentor all the young nippers who will look up to you.

Thanks also to the parents who, as always, are more than happy to step up and assist with set up, BBQ, water safety and whatever else is needed to be done. We can't run nippers without that support, so thank you very much.

Well done to all the red caps!

Love your mother hen,

Santie and Scott

U13 GIRLS

As we sit and write the copy for this year's annual report, all we can say is wow! What a season! This season has seen many changes due to COVID-19. And the red cap girls have done so well. Thank you for all the background work the Committee has done to get the Sunday morning sessions to happen.

We are inspired each week by these girls, by their love of the surf and sand, how much they put into their training, competitions, and friendships. We welcomed new members to our Red Caps this year – Eliza and Ellie and welcomed back Olivia from previous seasons. Each week, we have been joining with the boys for regular Sunday surf, beach and education sessions as this group move towards becoming patrolling members of Wanda next season. Our red caps have enjoyed honing their skills in the water on the board and swim. The training sessions throughout the season saw the girls go from strength to strength

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and they supported each other to make various team events.

Whilst this season's carnivals were run under sometimes challenging COVID-19 guidelines, the girls had the chance to compete at Wanda Tradies One Club Carnival, Australia Day Iron-Person carnival at North Cronulla and State Championships at Blacksmiths Beach. Due to surf conditions the State Sydney Branch carnival only had a beach component and selection qualifications for State took place at Wanda.

Congratulations on the achievements and medals throughout the season. The best thing is seeing the girls turn into competent surf life savers and achieve their goals. Congratulations to all those girls who have participated and to those who have achieved their 100%, 200%, 300%, 400%, 500%, 600%, 700%, 800% and 900% awards and to their parents for their commitment to their daughters each week.

Thank you to all the families over this past 12 months, especially with water safety, officiating at carnivals, tent set up and being flexible to accommodate this season. We have an amazing group of parents. Thank you!

The 2021/22 Season will see the girls complete their SRC and become patrolling members of Wanda. They will move on to the larger Mal boards and have the

opportunity to compete with the older kids in the Club. We look forward to watching the girls grow. See you on the beach and thank you for inspiring us each week!

Kaylene, Gary & Rochelle

U14 BOYS

It has been an honour to be part of the Pink Caps from the beginning, assisting every weekend and officially joining Age Managing with Michael Baker in U10s. It has been wonderful to watch these little boys play bucket races, flags and running games in U6s then growing to being intimidated by ocean swims and board paddling in the U9s and 10s to bloom into fantastic young men who absolutely love the BIG surf conditions. Special mention to the 7 boys that started in U6s Cameron, Dylan, Eddie, Jack, Jayden, Kai and Olly.

All the boys have done the club proud over the years and both

the Club and parents should be extremely proud of them all, the mateship they have developed with each other and the Pink Cap girls is something to treasure.

Last season finished with COVID-19. Our presentation day was cancelled and a taped presentation was posted on social media. Congratulations went to Cameron and Kai for being elected as Club Captain and Vice-Captain for 2020/21.

The season started severely impacted by COVID-19. Special thanks to Fiona Sutton and the committee, who worked tirelessly on COVID-19 plans, late night meetings and loss of their own family time to ensure that our Nippers got on the beach and in the water. Congratulations to them all for persevering and making every Sunday of the season happen.

Our first major highlight of the year was the SRC. All our boys and girls successfully passed the SRC and became Patrol members, very keen ones at that! They all participated with commitment and respect throughout the course helping each other along the way. We are so proud to see you all Patrolling our beach and contributing to the Club and the community.

As always there was keen competition between the boys for all teams during the year and



they all displayed great sportsmanship in every competition achieving great results. Not as many travelling competitors this year to carnivals but 4-ways whilst restricted on numbers was still a great show. Kai again standing out as a force to be reckoned with in the Bate Bay.

The U14 Branch Carnival was cancelled, merged with the Senior Branch and due to rough surf conditions was moved to flat water at Yarra Bay. All the boys competed strongly in their events but the highlight was having 3 boys Kai, Jackson and Hayden qualify for the State Ironperson as well as having 2 teams, Kai and Jackson and Dylan and Matias qualify for the State Board rescue. Huge congratulations to them all.

Another highlight was the U14 trip away! Due to COVID-19 we cancelled our plans for Queensland and the Age Managers worked on alternatives resulting in a trip to Penrith Cable Wake Park and Raging Waters. The boys and girls showed their sporting prowess in taking to the Cable skiing, wake boarding and inflatable world with no hesitation. They all had a great time away with lots of laughs and late nights.

Congratulations to the 9 boys and parents that attended our fifth and last Nipper State Age Titles at Swansea Belmont. I am extremely proud of the attitude and team spirit all the boys displayed during the carnival. All the boys did their best in very competitive events. Kai was our standout performer as he has always been since U9's making the final in the swim, ironperson and also the Board rescue with Jackson. No medals this year for the boys but that didn't stop them from having a blast! Thank you to Peta Fisher for stepping into Assistant Age Manager for State you were a fantastic help.

The last day, Twilight Nippers! Inaugural Swim and Sprint races with Nippers and parents just having fun, shaving cream battles and a trip to Cronulla for dinner for the boys and girls. Fabulous to see these boys and girls celebrating their final day of Nippers and not wanting it



to end.

I would like to congratulate Age Champion Cameron Bonar and Runner Up Kai Thatcher for their excellent consistent results this year and to Jack, our Encouragement Award Recipient for his continued perseverance and hard work at training. Congratulations also to Cameron on being selected as a finalist for the Sydney Branch to contest the NSW Junior Lifesaver of the Year Award in which he did very well doing Wanda proud.

Thank you to the parents who have again assisted wherever possible over the past year with Water Safety, BBQs, setup/pack downs as always and the new role of COVID-19 Marshals, your help has very much appreciated, without it Nippers doesn't happen.

A huge thank to my Assistant Age Manager Nicole Lloyd for her never ceasing support through this year. Both on and off the beach you were an invaluable asset to myself and to Wanda. Thank you also to Katie, Drew and Stefan for taking this ride with us, you have all made a fantastic contribution to these boys and girls. Especially Katie, you have been the driving force behind the Pink Caps, I am so grateful for all your communication, guidance, advice and laughter over our journey together. You have done an amazing job with this group and on behalf of the club, the boys and I we all appreciate your time, effort and dedication.

With a tinge of sadness but also extreme pride I farewell these young men and pass them over to the Senior Club and Surf Patrol. I hope that you will all stay

involved at Wanda but if not, I hope you had a fantastic time and will use all that you have learned in your future endeavours. It has been an absolute pleasure and privilege to take this wonderful journey with you all and I will cherish all the memories we made together and hope you all will too.

See you on the beach, Wanda beach.

Karen

U14 GIRLS

My Beautiful Pink caps, what can I say!!!! You have done it, you have completed your last year as a Nipper. I have loved watching you all achieve your best in everything you put your mind to.

Firstly congratulations to Zoey and Grace on being elected Captain and Vice-Captain, both very well deserved recipients showing great leadership skills within our nipper group.

The season start was a little stressful compared to previous years with the COVID-19 changes. We successfully had 18 u14 girls pass their SRC and become patrolling members of Wanda SLS. Congratulations girls, I hope this is just the start of your SLS Patrolling career. Thank you to Gerard Cafe and his team of trainers on assisting with your SRC course.

Nippers Sundays this season were also different with COVID-19. However, I can see the changes beneficial for the way nippers is run in future years. One big area roped off, now that is an Age Manager's dream. Gone are the days of dragging 35 kids and a big bucket of

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drink bottles up and down Wanda beach to the next area.

Thank you to all the girls for helping out each week with water safety, you being out there encouraging a younger child to have a go makes a huge difference to their nipper experience. In addition, thank you for assisting with the red fins when asked, Denny and the Red Fins families appreciate the extra hands and encouragement. If you're around next season at nippers with a younger sibling please bring your orange rashie and offer some help, the more help the better.

Congratulations to the 900% attendance girls. Harper and Grace have obtained this award this season, that means they have achieved 100% every season since the u6s, this is an amazing achievement. Well done girls.

I do have a little Trivia for you - 5 girls in the u14 group started nippers at Wanda in the u6s. I have watched these girls grow not only in size but also in confidence and maturity. Congratulations to Grace, Harper, Hollie, Sienna and Zoey.

The Pink Caps have always been very competitive. Although carnivals were limited due to COVID-19 whenever the girls got a chance, they were out there doing their best. The State Titles was at Swansea again and their last nipper state carnival. We had a great 2 days at State, with tears, cheers, rain and sun. What more would you expect at State. As I am writing this a small number of U14s are preparing to attend their first Australian Titles up on the Sunshine Coast, I am sure you will all have an amazing experience.

The highlight of the season would have to be the trip away. We did not think it would happen, and we had to change the date numerous times but we got there. All 29 kids were amazingly well behaved and all stepped out of their comfort zone to do new and exciting things. Yes the trip was at Penrith!!!! However, we had a great weekend away. We went to Cables Water Ski Park on the Saturday and then Wet n Wild on the Sunday. Thank you to the club for their assistance due to the limited fundraising, the kids and

parents do appreciate your support.

A huge thank you to my Assistant Age Managers, Drew and Stefan. You have both being amazing not just this year but also over many years.

Thank you to all the parents that put their hand up to help each week with Water Safety, Officiating, BBQ Duty and Set up. Without the parents helping Nippers would not happen.

To my beautiful Pink caps, Age Managing you all the way thru from the u6s (when I was Todd's assistant) has being an absolute pleasure. I will miss not turning up to nippers in October and not seeing your smiling faces. Please continue your journey in Surf Life Saving, there is something for everyone. I wish you all the best for the future, and I look forward to seeing you on the beach.

Katie

RED FINS

For those that don't know us, the Wanda Red Fins runs alongside Wanda's mainstream Nippers each Sunday up until the XMAS break. Our program provides a different path for kids and families that require extra support to join the Surf Life Saving Movement and participate in Nippers at Wanda.

Now in its 3rd year, the Red Fins inclusive nipper program exploded to 37 members, with 3 members from last year's program transitioning into mainstream age groups, and this season saw another first for the program, with 2 members; Cooper Rowlands and Kiara Gilbert, earning their Surf Rescue Certificate Award and joining patrols on the beach at Wanda.

Inclusive Nippers is growing across Australia, and Wanda is leading the way with our Red Fins program and the addition of Inclusive events at the Wanda Tradies One Club Carnival in which we saw 30 competitors from clubs across Sydney Branch participate. For the first time this year the Sydney Branch Championships held inclusion events in which we fielded 5 competitors, and the NSW State Carnival at Swansea Belmont continued their commitment to providing an inclusive environment with Wanda producing 3 State Champions -

Felix Tran

1st - Junior Male (10 & Under) Inclusive 250m Beach Run

1st - Junior Male (10 & Under) Inclusive Swim Race

Mitchell Ting

1st - Junior Male (10 & Under) Inclusive Wade

Cooper Rowlands

1st - Senior Male (14+) Inclusive Board

The highlight of the season for me was watching Teoman, Titus, Hunter, Otto, Hudson, Noah, Luke, Alex, Marcus, Aden, Lincoln, Toby, Ashton, Riley, Tyson, Kiara, Darcy, Roman, Richie, Rory, Aidan, Grace, Bonnie, Billy, Makala, JP, Sophia, Kai, Dalton, Mitchell, Felix, Blake, Kyla, Tyler, Christian, Abbie and Seth become



members of Wanda, make new friends, improve their skills, and gain confidence each week throughout the season!

Sunday mornings at Nippers doesn't just happen - I have a lot of people to thank -

- First and foremost the Red Fins Assistant Age Managers - Mark Sargeant, Michael Ting, Paul Egan and Red Fin Kiara Gilbert who stepped up into the Age Manager Role this year.
- Nat Buckley and Ken Smith for arranging and powering the beach wheelchair for one of our Red Fin members, and providing support across the season.
- The kid's parents, guardians and helpers that provided support for the kids on the beach.
- The Nipper Committee - Fiona, Brooke, Andrew, Lisa, Louise, Ray, Sam, Tiffany, Nikki, Gretchen, Katie, Brad, Tim, Steve, Tammy and Glen - you did an amazing job to get Nippers running during the COVID-19 pandemic. Your guidance and support is greatly valued and appreciated - you make Sunday mornings easier for us.
- The Surf Club Board - especially Todd, Nathan, Sarge, Anne, Nat, Michael and Mikaela - Your support is very much appreciated.
- Grant, the Water Safety team and the Wanda patrol members that have supported us on the beach and in the water each week.
- Libby and Leah from Elouera, Yvette and Georgia from Cronulla, and Donna from North Cronulla for sharing their experiences from their inclusion programs.
- Justine and Lachlan Spenser from Sensational Kids OT how referred a lot of new families to our program.
- Wanda Club Patron and Life Member Gary Bradshaw that made the Rainbow club connection for us.
- Our Sponsor Dale and Anne Caterson from Dale Caterson Electrical whose generous support allowed us to subsidize the program and making the financial commitment for families to try Nippers a little easier.
- And finally all of the Club members, Nippers and their Parents that showed their support - your acceptance and support of these kids means more than you may ever know.

For ALL of our club members, I'd like you to think about your family and friends that have barriers getting their kids to the beach or nippers. They may not even know that there are options for them. Please let them know that Wanda is here for them, no matter what their challenges are.

I look forward to next year!

Cheers,

Denny

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BEACH CAPTAIN'S REPORT

I don't normally like to boast but WANDA IS THE PREMIER BEACH SIDE IN AUSTRALIA!

At the Australian titles – yes, we finally managed to have the Aussies this year – we finished with 81 points, well ahead of Mollymook (71) and Northcliffe. At the NSW State titles, Wanda's beachies got 136 points for the club. Again, traditionally strong beach clubs like Mollymook, Cronulla, Coogee and Elouera were over 40 points in arrears.

Such success at carnivals doesn't happen without a lot of blood, sweat and (at times) tears. Our athletes and coaches put in countless hours of training – at a time when COVID-related shutdowns could occur at any time. It took enormous dedication to put these uncertainties aside. (This goes for our Surf Sports Director, Greg Pierce, as well. Mere words cannot do justice to the debt we all owe this man).

Some of the highlights include -

- Ali Najem winning his 5th individual gold at Aussies in the 2km run (after recovering from a serious leg injury).
- The open men's beach relay side claiming gold at Aussies, the first ever for Wanda. The boys (James Karagiannis, Jamee Smith, Clayton Beranek and Matt Lewis) also won State for the 4th consecutive year.
- Chloe Gentle winning gold in the open women's 2km at Aussies

- Jessie Phelps winning the women's U19 title (plus bronze in the Opens) at Aussies, as well as the Open / U19 2 km double at State
- Kai Hammond pairing up with ironman Nathan Jay to win the U19 2x1km at Aussies
- Mel Campbell's determination and guts in finishing her leg of the open women's 2x1km
- Jamee Smith getting 3rd at Aussies in the open men's sprint and Zara Lammers 2nd in the U17 women's sprint
- Keira Vincent winning the U14 sprint and coming a close second in the flags at Aussies, after claiming the sprint & flags double at State

A full list of carnival results is available elsewhere in the Annual Report. Jock will also give a more detailed report on the 2km runners in the next section and Brad Tattam for the nippers.

Perhaps the thing that I am most proud of this past season has been the willingness of all our beachies to step up and fill gaps in various relays. At carnivals, all those 4th, 5th and 6th places still earn valuable points for the club. Occasionally, we also managed to 'jag' a medal or two. The support from our water-based teammates was also invaluable and very much appreciated. Thank you!

Our Masters also had some impressive results this season. At Aussies, Greer Calabro won gold in her sprint. Casey Hadfield, David Jones, Donna Cox and Mel and Jock Campbell also walked away with some well-earned bling at Aussies. At State, they also were in the medals, joined by Joel Bolewski, Tait Brannock and Dee McCarthy.

Another pleasing aspect of the season has been the success of the nippers on the beach. This is not just about carnival results. It has more to do with the beach program that has been developed over the past few years and how our nippers and their parents have embraced it. So, fingers crossed, I look forward to increased depth and carnival success in the years to come.

I wish to thank our main coaches, Wayne and Jock, for their extraordinary efforts over the past season. Greg Pierce, the rest of the Wanda board and office staff must also be praised for their tireless and often thankless work in enabling our athletes to shine. Finally, to all the parents and supporters of our young stars, thanks for helping out when it was needed.

Larry Leabeater

BEACH CAPTAIN



2KM BEACH TEAM REPORT

The team is exploding in size and results. Following the club's 'One Club' policy, our nippers, opens and masters have always trained together – this year was no exception.



We've had some amazing results this season. For the first time ever, we won all of the beach competition's point scores at Sydney Branch, Interclub, State and Aussies. The 2km team contributed massive points to all of these areas.

In 2006, the team started with one coach, me, and one runner, Dee Cooper. Now, with over 15 nippers racing regularly, 10 masters and over 25 open competitors, we're well over the 50 mark in the squad.

As an example of the strength of this team now, the 2km and 2km relay make up two events out of a possible six in the beach point scores. At Aussies, the 2km team scored 60 points out of our club's winning 82 points – that 60 points was only two points behind second placed Northcliffe for their overall beach score. That's pretty special.

GREAT MOMENTS THIS SEASON

As always, it was so pleasing to see the great attitude amongst these middle-distance runners. Even though we were unsure if the season would go ahead or if we'd have any competitions or carnivals due to COVID-19, our guys didn't make any excuses. They just kept pushing ahead with great training and some mock races. I have one word for this – respect!!! I work with a lot of professional athletes and the attitude towards training through this period of our 2km team was far better than many of the professionals with the uncertainty of sport being on or off, which is outstanding and much of the reason as to why they had an amazing season.

Some of the great moments from this season, and there were many, are below:

1. Winning 10 gold medals at the NSW State Titles and 4 golds at Aussies in the Open Carnivals. Say no more.
2. Ali Najem and Chloe Gentle's Open wins weren't just great wins. It was the first time we've ever won both the men's and women's individual 2km event. These should go down in club folklore. It wasn't just that they won, it was how they did it.

After winning three Australian titles in junior age groups, Chloe has been beaten by a few girls in this race for three years but has kept plugging away and was even getting beaten by the girls in this Aussie final all season. She turned this around

and worked incredibly hard, managing to peak at the right time. Coming 4th with 500m to go and looking like she might be out of medal contention, she stormed home to outsprint the girl in 1st place with 50m to go – it was truly inspirational.

Ali Najem, winning his 5th individual 2km gold medal at Aussies and 4th open. This is more than any other male 2km runner has ever done in Australia and makes Ali Wanda's most successful individual athlete in Aussies's competition. Ali came back from a foot reconstruction in August and was told he may never be able to run again. He wasn't meant to be running until February, but somehow, we found a way. Ali did everything he possibly could including going into an altitude chamber every day during his rehab process to ensure that when he could finally run, he had some sort of conditioning behind him. He never complained, just put his head down and worked hard. In the end, same as Chloe, he came from behind and the only time he was in 1st place was the last 100m of the race.

Two amazing races from two amazing athletes. Chloe now was four individual Australian golds for the club and Ali has five. Great results from great kids.

3. Mel Campbell, at aged 44, almost holding off all the open runners in the second leg of the 2x1km relay. Despite her lying down 5 metres before the finish



line, this was an amazing effort from someone who hadn't done nearly enough training but found a way to stay ahead. Although we didn't get the gold, she earned a lot of respect from everyone for that gutsy performance. Next year aye, Mel.

4. Getting 1st and 3rd with our runners in the women's Open event. To see Chloe & Jess up on the podium with their training partner from another club was pretty special. To see Jessie Phelps, after winning the U19s Australian title, run into 3rd place right on the line and having our two stars up on the podium together was pretty special.
5. Jessie Phelps winning her first ever gold at the Aussie titles. Jess was in great shape going into Aussies and actually turned up. For the entire season, Jess wasn't coming to Aussies because of a final HSC exam that fell around that time. We somehow convinced her to come, and gold was the answer. The other extraordinary thing Jess

did, was for the second time in two years, won 4 Gold medals at State, including the U19 & Opens 2km Individual as well as both 2 x 1km Relays, all in the space of an hour. Well done Jessie!

6. All the new members that joined this year and experienced surf carnivals for the first time – Taj, Flynn, Ruby, Toby and Greg. It was great having you with us and seeing your success. You're only going to get better from here – great to have you onboard.
7. The wateries jumping in and helping out, particularly at Aussies. We have been separated at most carnivals all season, so it was great to finally get your enthusiasm and talent with us. Several of these guys got medals and it's always great having you onboard. This just shows the great depth that our club has. For Kai Hammond and Nathan Jay to win the U19s so convincingly was what we expected and was so great to see it come off. Carla and Lara getting 3rd in the Open women's event just exemplified the

depth of our distance running and athletic talent in this club.

8. State Points score – 106 Points for the Wanda Club. Most ever, and that score beat some of the Bate Bay Clubs total points score from their entire competition area. That's pretty cool.
9. Team Support – our squad is so supportive of each other, having the full senior squad come to Nipper's Branch with me to support our junior team was pretty impressive. And to have Ali, Mel, Dee and Donna come to the entire Aussies carnival to support the full squad in every race is pretty cool and a big part of our team vibe (I'm not going to say culture, vibe is cooler).
10. Juniors developing – it was so great to see our juniors star at State and then some compete in youth as well. Sienna (Heather) Alderson getting a gold at State and then a bronze at Aussies was a highlight, and Violet and Sienna coming 3rd in the 2 x 1km was pretty good.

2KM BEACH TEAM REPORT (CONTINUED)



There were so many amazing results and stories from this season. The introduction of the new NSW Super Series was fantastic! Great events, a really great concept by SLSNSW and well supported by NSW athletes. To have 7 of 12 runners (Ali, Kai, Zak, Jess Thus, Lachy, Chloe, Jess Phelps & Harriet) picked for the 2km event from Wanda shows the strength of our club. There are so many great athletes across the board at our club – we’ve got a massive talent pool from the nippers through to seniors and to masters. I love working with you guys and can’t wait to see more great results next season where I think we can go even further.

Thanks Touring Team Manager Big Donald Hammond. When he started in the role we had about 20 runners. Now the squad has boomed and the job is big. He makes all of our jobs much easier. Thanks to Piercey and Larry for their support and help pushing the sport and our team forward. And thank you a great deal to my assistant coaches Mel Campbell, Ali Najem and Chloe Gentle for all their assistance, particularly with the juniors. Our

squad is very lucky to have current runners with your credentials and qualifications that help out.

Just to point out that Annika Durante, Lachie Crawford, Mitch Palmer, Harriet Smith and Jessie Phelps (in the relays) were all absent from Aussies this year, so you can imagine what it would be like getting their points and input. Look forward to seeing them all next season as well. For our full results at State and Aussies, see below – it makes for some pretty impressive reading. Well done guys!

Every year Jock Athletic gives out a scholarship to 1 nipper and 1 senior beach athlete which gives access to our entire program and resources to the value of 4 thousand dollars each. This is awarded for great commitment, teamwork, results and enthusiasm. We gave for the first time ever 2 seniors this year, as we couldn’t split their amazing seasons and efforts.

Senior Winners - Chloe Gentle and Ali Najem

Nippers Winner - Jackson Aungle

NSW STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS

Gold medals

- Sienna Alderson – U14 Female 2km Beach Run
- Kai Hammond – U19 Male 2km Beach Run
- Jessie Phelps – U19 Female 2km Beach Run
- Jessie Phelps – Open Female 2km Beach Run
- Ali Najem – Open Male 2km Beach Run
- Kai Hammond & Ali Najem – Open Male 2x1km Relay
- Kai Hammond & Toby Hummerston – U19 Male 2x1km Relay
- Flynn Payne & Ruby Shaw – U17 Female 2x1km Relay
- Flynn Payne & Jessie Phelps – U19 Female 2x1km Relay
- Tara Gentle & Violet Keelan – U15 Female 2x1km Relay
- Chloe Gentle & Jessie Phelps – Open Female 2x1km Relay



Silver medals

- Flynn Payne – U17 Female 2km Beach Run
- Chloe Gentle – Open Female 2km Beach Run
- Ruby Shaw & Flynn Payne – U19 Female 2x1km Relay
- Violet Keelan – U15 Female 2km Beach Run

Bronze medals

- Annika Durante & Melissa Campbell – Open Female 2x1km Relay
- Lachlan Crawford & Jesse Thus – Open 2x1km Relay
- Taj Wicks & Alex Ramanos – U15 Male 2x 1km Relay

Other placings

- Toby Hummerston – 4th U17 Male 2km Beach Run
- Ruby Shaw – 4th U17 Female 2km Beach Run
- Taj Wicks – 4th U15 Male 2km Beach Run
- Lachlan Crawford – 4th Open Male 2km Beach Run
- Melissa Campbell – 5th Open 2km Beach Run

AUSSIES RESULTS

Gold medals

- Ali Najem – Open Male 2km Beach Run
- Chloe Gentle – Open Female 2km Beach Run
- Jessie Phelps – U19 Female 2km Beach Run
- Kai Hammond & Nathan Jay – U19 Male 2x1km Relay

Silver medals

- Casey Hadfield – 30-34 Female 2km Beach Run
- Kai Hammond – U19 Male 2km Beach Run
- Melissa Campbell – 40-44 Female 2km Beach Run
- David Jones – Male 2km Beach Run
- Kai Hammond & Ali Najem – Open Male 2x1km Relay
- Chloe Gentle & Melissa Campbell – Open Female 2x1km Relay

Bronze medals

- Sienna Alderson – U14 Female 2km Beach Run
- Sienna Alderson & Violet Keelan – U15 Female 2x1km Relay
- Jock Campbell – 50-55 Male 2km Beach Run
- Donna Cox – 55-59 Female 2km Beach Run
- Jessie Phelps – Open Female 2km Beach Run
- Lara Hughes & Carla Papac – 3rd Open Female 2x1km Relay

Other placings

- Dee McCarthy – 4th 55-59 Female 2km Beach Run
- Flynn Payne & Ruby Shaw – 4th U17 Female 2x1km Relay
- Flynn Payne & Ruby Shaw – 4th U19 Female 2x1km Relay
- Thomas Gentle & Toby Hummerston – 4th U17 Male 2x1km Relay
- Taj Wicks – 5th U15 Male 2km Beach Run
- Hannah Dalgleish & Waverly Martinus – 5th U15 Female 2x1km Relay
- Greg Alderson – 5th 50-54 Male 2km Beach Run
- Lara Hughes – 6th Open Female 2km Beach Run

Jock Campbell

2KM BEACH TEAM COACH



BOAT CAPTAIN'S REPORT

The Wanda boat section is developing to be one of the premier sections in Australia.

The section featured in the following finals: Australian U23 men, Australian lifesaver relay, NSW State U23 men and U23 women and ASRL U23 men, U23 women and won the overall point scores in the SCBS Open men, U23 men and U23 women and the U23 men (Wanda Weapons) represented NSW and Sydney Branch. These results are further pleasing that our rowers are all under 23 years old.

These achievements could not be possible without the generosity of our sponsors Gerard Malouf & Partners, Inten Constructions and also the support of the Wanda Board of Directors

This season our crews competed in the South Coast Boat Series, Ocean Thunder Series, ASRL Open, NSW State titles Sydney Branch and Australian carnivals.

The section consisted of 9 crews.

U19

Men – Wanda Sandbags
Women - Wanda Red

RESERVES

Men – Wanda Wall

U23

Men – Wanda Weapons
Men – Wanda Bradburys
Women – Wanda Wedgies

VETERANS

160 Men – Wanda Thumpers
180 Women – Wanda Kessels
240 Men – Wanda Window Dressers

SOUTH COAST BOAT SERIES

The series consist of carnivals held at the following beaches Bulli, Seven Mile Beach, Batemans Bay and Shellharbour beaches. Our crews did extremely well at this series with the following crews achieving the following results:

1st in their division Open men – Wanda Weapons, U23 men – Bradburys and U23 women – Wanda Wedgies

2nd Reserve men – Wanda Wall and Veteran men – Wand Window Dressers

3rd Veteran women – Wanda Kessels

SYDNEY BRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Sydney Branch Championships was contested in large surf at Elouera. The crews showed their surf skills to come away with a swag of medals.

1st - Wanda Wedgies

2nd - Wanda Wedgies and Life Saver Relay

3rd - Wanda Sandbags, Wanda Wall and Wanda Kessels

OCEAN THUNDER SURF BOAT SERIES

This season the Wanda Weapons raced in the open men division reaching the semi-final in each of the four rounds. This is an outstanding achievement as the boys were an U23 male crew. This series contributed to the Weapon's success later in the season. It is important that our crews are exposed to top level racing for their development. Entry into the series was made possible by the support of Inten Constructions.



AUSTRALIAN SURF ROWERS LEAGUE OPEN

The results at this carnival saw our section finish in the top 10 clubs in Australia.

The carnival was conducted in challenging surf on the Friday and Saturday before being moved to Longbeach on the Sunday.

On Friday our Veterans crews hit the water with the Kessels and Thumpers finishing outside the medals with Wanda Wall progressing to the Saturday.

Saturday saw the surf increase in size and our crews were qualifying through the rounds. The Weapons qualified for Sunday's finals and the Bradburys missed out by a couple points on making the finals.

Sunday – The crews were greeted with a heavy shore break and we had four crews racing the junior girls and boys and the Weapons and Wedgies. The Weapons and Wedgies both progressed to the finals with the Weapons achieving 2nd place and Wedgies 5th.

NSW STATE TITLES

Once again Wanda crews achieved outstanding results making 2 finals and contesting the boat relay for the first time.

There was no masters racing as the original carnival was rescheduled due to the conditions.

The Reserve men, Wanda Wall and U19 men - Sandbags didn't advance from the pointscore.

The Weapons and the Wedgies both gained the bronze medals.

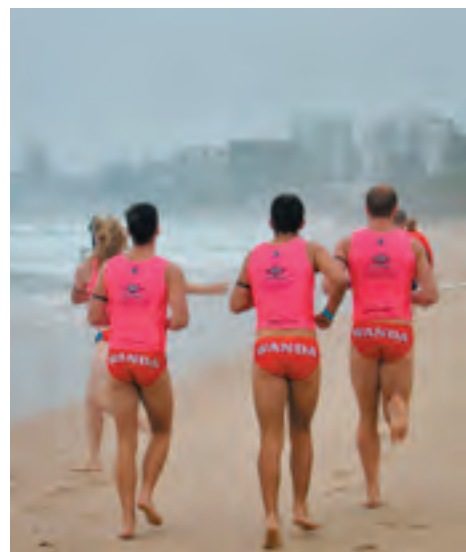
AUSTRALIAN TITLES

Wanda was well represented at the titles with 5 crews in the open carnival and 3 crews contesting the masters racing.

The juniors Wanda Window Dressers (240men), Kessels (180women) and Thumpers (160men) all contested the masters racing on the Monday narrowly missing out on the finals.

The Open carnival started on the Tuesday with the Weapons and the Wedgies racing in the open short course divisions with both crews progressing through to the round robin and being eliminated in the semi for Wanda Weapons and the quarter finals for the Wanda Wedgies.

BOAT CAPTAIN'S REPORT (CONTINUED)



All the crews contested their divisions with great spirit in very hard conditions.

The Wanda Weapons rowed well all weekend and were rewarded with qualifying for the Australian final in the U23 mens. To make it into the finals at the Australian titles is a massive achievement as only 6 crews have this honour each year.

The Wanda Wedgies combined with club mates to qualify for the final of Lifesaver Relay.

The section is heading towards being the premier boat section in the Bate Bay narrowly missing out on taking out the Interclub boat trophy by 1 point.

The Wanda Weapons this season were chosen to represent NSW and Sydney Branch teams in the U23 men division.

Congratulations to the following award winners:

Boat Captain Award - Amy Grice

Boat Crew of the Year Award – Wanda Weapons

Most Improved Junior Boat Rower – Harry McNamara

All the above would not be possible if it wasn't for the following people Les Townsend, Nathan Spinner, Ron Smith, Rick Smith, Dave McGrath and Jason Ardler.

I would like to thank everyone involved in our section for their support during the season.

Brendan MacAlpine

BOAT CAPTAIN



LIFESAVING EVENT'S REPORT



After many, many years of not having a Competition Section in Lifesaving Events we gave it a go, in particular, the Champion Lifesaver event.

The Champion Lifesaver event is an individual competition which combines physical, theoretical and practical elements. The physical elements involve a beach sprint, board race, surf race and tube race with fins. The practical element involves resuscitation, and the theoretical part involves undertaking an exam paper consisting of forty (40) questions based on the current training manual.

It sounds easy but it is so not. It is extremely complicated and requires heaps of training.

It was a steep learning curve for the majority of our competitors not really having any idea of what was involved. However, with excellence guidance and teaching skills, Ian Manley and Lara Hughes got us up and running. Whilst numbers were small the group got 'stuck in' and improved in every training session.

The **Wanda Squad** consisted of **Ian Manley, Lara Hughes, Jayda Zammit, Tegan Thatcher, Chelsea Sutton, Morgan Lloyd, Lachlan Cole** and **Ben Sutton**. The attitude of all involved was excellent and fully supported by the parents. We

went to Branch, State and Aussies and we got better and better each carnival. We achieved fantastic results at both Branch and State.

You have to qualify to compete at Aussies and we were able to get Chelsea, Tegan and Ben to qualify to compete at Maroochydore. Remember we are up against the best of the best from all the other states. Queensland, in particular, are super competitive and have been doing this for years.

The Aussie results were: Tegan Thatcher 8th - Chelsea Sutton 5th - Ben Sutton 1st

Yes! **Ben Sutton is Wanda's first ever Australian Champion Lifesaver.**

He is 'On the Wall'.

What an achievement! Well done mate – hard work, skill and training paid off.

Wanda is extremely proud of all our competitors.

Now that we have started we will only get better and better. Let's continue to grow in this section and involve lots more champion lifesavers. Wanda is full of them!

We are also aiming to compete in the Patrol Competition next year.

Again, thank you to Ian Manley and Lara Hughes for their hard work and support.

Mark Sargeant

SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT



exactly how he feels as his daughter Sienna won two bronzes at Aussies and a gold at State. However, an injured Greg was able to get 2nd at Sydney Branch and 5th at State and Aussies. Well done and welcome to the squad Greg! Donna got her standard range of coloured medals. We welcomed back Mel Campbell for one day only (Aussies' silver). Dee did her standard every race of the season with solid results.

Other returning athletes Tait Brannock and Joel Bolewski popped up at State with Joel winning and Tait coming 2nd in their age groups, which shows what solid all-round athletes these two are. It's always great fun lining up with our team – everyone does really well and works hard towards their goal. Some of our Masters are just as committed as any of the club's open athletes. I'm not sure if this is a midlife crisis thing or whether it's just that they still love it. I know in my case, I still love it. We've managed to keep several local physios, masseurs and sports docs in business over the past 10 years, with this season being a record. The overarching theme is the racing and training keeps us fit. It's a bunch of fun and we can pretend we're still good at sport, and it also keeps us all connected with our open and junior squads.

Thanks for all the help with the masters teams from Peter Hadfield, Mel Campbell, Greer Calabro, Dee McCarthy (recruitment), Don, Piercey and Zane. Our squad is open to all members of the club that would like to have a go, Dee is on the hunt for more members and will bully you into joining. Come join the old people wearing speedos!

A list of our magnificent results is below, but well done team! Also, congratulations to David Jones for winning his first silver medal at Aussies.

MASTERS TEAM REPORT

MASTERS BEACH TEAM REPORT

Well, what a squad!

The girls have been carrying us for many years and this has definitely continued. From a very small beginning, the beach masters team is growing and attracting more members each year. Not as powerful as our open and junior teams, but oh my, we're getting there.

Some fantastic results again this year led by our evergreen Greer Calabro who finally got 'the monkey off her back' and won her first ever beach sprint gold medal at the Australian Titles. This was the highlight of the year and we all know how hard Greer has worked for this and honed her craft over the past many years.

The men's beach relay team has not been able to compete for the last three years due to a range of injuries and illnesses. The squad keeps growing, and I think we're up to six members now. The only relay team we could field this year was a mixed one at the Interclub – it was the last two men standing. Few excuses this year – Zane Campbell's achilles and small heart, Peter Hadfield had a heart

attack (is that a good reason?), and the list could go on, but we'll stop it there.

Our women's relay team on the other hand – wow is all I can say! We have another rotating roster in this team. Despite having Melissa Campbell, Lauren Campbell and Meggsy Brannock out this season, we managed to field another great side which included Donna Cox, Dee McCarthy, Greer Calabro and newbie, Casey Hadfield. We transformed Casey from an ultra-distance runner into a 70m beach sprinter with great success, both in the relays and sprints. Casey won her first ever state title and a great come from behind 3rd in the beach sprint at the Aussies. The Women's 170+ relay team was able to get silver at both the State and Australian Titles. All 4 girls worked extremely hard just to get to the start line and deserved all their success. Fantastic effort girls!

The 2km runners, which again has a rotating roster, was able to get several medals at State, Branch and Aussies. We welcomed newbie Greg Alderson into the team, who unfortunately still isn't the best athlete in his household – I know

MASTERS TEAM REPORT (CONTINUED)

Although we didn't get as many golds as we usually do, it was still a great season, great fun and can't wait for next season – training has begun (and so has physio).

NSW STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS

Gold medals

- Casey Hadfield – 30-34 Female Beach Sprint
- Greer Calabro – 35-39 Female Beach Sprint
- Joel Bowleski – 30 – 34 Male 2km Beach Run

Silver medals

- Donna Cox – 55-59 Female 2km Beach Run
- Casey Hadfield, Greer Calabro, Donna Cox, Dee McCarthy – 170+ Female Sprint Relay
- Tait Brannock – 40-44 Male 2km Beach Run

Bronze medals

- David Jones – 45-50 Male 2km Beach Run
- Dee McCarthy – 55-59 Female 2km Beach Run

Other placings

- Greg Alderson – 5th 50-54 Male 2km Beach Run

AUSSIES RESULTS

Gold medals

- Greer Calabro – 35-39 Female Beach Sprint

Silver medals

- Melissa Campbell – 40-44 Female 2km Beach Run
- Casey Hadfield – 30-34 Female 2km Beach Run
- Casey Hadfield, Greer Calabro, Donna Cox, Dee McCarthy – Female Sprint Relay



Bronze medals

- Jock Campbell – 50-54 Male 2km Beach Run
- Donna Cox – 55-59 Female 2km Beach Run
- Casey Hadfield – 30-34 Female Beach Sprints

Other placings

- Dee McCarthy – 4th 55-59 Female 2km Beach Run
- Greg Alderson – 5th 50-54 Male 2km Beach Run
- Dee McCarthy – 55-59 Female Beach Sprint finalist

Jock Campbell

BEACH COACH

MASTERS SURF TEAM REPORT

It has been another wonderful season for the Wanda Masters in the water. While we didn't have a big representation at the Sydney Branch Championships due to various personal commitments of our competitors, we had solid performances at both the NSW State Championships and Australian Titles. Unfortunately, due to the COVID-19 zone restrictions at the State titles many of our

masters competitors had to choose between competing in the Masters or the Opens events. This meant we only had four competitors in the water events as many of our masters are competitive in the open events.

The Wanda SLSC Water State Team consisted of Joel Bowleski, Tait Brannock, Paul Buttel and Ben Harris. The first day at Swansea Belmont SLSC (Blacksmiths Beach) had lovely sunny conditions for all of the individual events. The second day was a different story with some very cold and difficult conditions for all of the teams events. That aside we still had plenty of fun. The results from the State Titles were as follows.

- Tait Brannock 4th in 40-45 years Surf Race
- Tait Brannock, Paul Buttel and Ben Harris 2nd in 110 years Surf Teams
- Joel Bowleski 2nd in 35-39 years Ironman
- Paul Buttel 5th in 40-44 years Ironman
- Joel Bowleski, Tait Brannock, Paul Buttel 3rd in 110 years Taplin



- Joel Bowleski and Tait Brannock 3rd in 35-39 Board Rescue
- Paul Buttel 4th in 40-44 years Ski
- Joel Bowleski 3rd in 35-39 years Board
- Joel Bowleski 1st in 35-39 year 2km Beach
- Tait Brannock 2nd in 40-44 years 2km Beach.

Wanda SLSC was again well represented at the Australian Titles in the water events at Maroochydore Beach through Paul Buttel, Michael Georgaris Jnr, Ben Harris, Nathan Steiner and Nathan Smith. The weather was sunny and warm with small surf conditions. The Masters event was well supported by many clubs from around Australia. It was pleasing to see so many competitors coming together again after there were no Australian Titles last year due to the event being cancelled due to COVID-19 restrictions. It was as though everyone was looking for the opportunity to compete on

a national level and some normality amongst the craziness that surrounds our world. The sportsmanship and camaraderie displayed was true to the Australian spirit that unites us all. The results coming from the water events were as follows:

- Paul Buttel, Michael Georgaris and Nathan Steiner 2nd in the 110 years Ski Relay
- Nathan Smith, Benjamin Harris and Nathan Steiner 1st in the 110 years Surf Teams
- Nathan Smith and Nathan Steiner 1st in the 35-39 years Board Rescue
- Nathan Smith, Michael Georgaris and Nathan Steiner 3rd in the 110 years Taplin.

The Taplin relay was a fantastic race with a stellar line up of top line competitors. Michael Georgaris paddled Wanda into third position as ski was the final leg with an awesome effort and very exciting finish.

We look forward now to next season with the State Titles being confirmed at the Northern Beaches and Aussies in Perth. It would be great if we can get some more of Wanda's old crew coming to the masters events, competing and building the team spirit. It's a great advertisement for the club and the younger generation love seeing the oldies fight it out on the beach and in the water. This is an open invitation to all of the Wanda nipper parents both old and new. There are no egos in masters; just good fun, good spirits and a good laugh over beers and wine at the end of the day. If this is your idea of fun please come along and give it a go. Look forward to seeing all next season on the beach.

Ben Harris

ON BEHALF OF THE
MASTERS SURF TEAM

R&R REPORT

CAPTAIN'S REPORT

This season was turned upside down due to COVID-19. At first we were unsure if Carnivals would happen, then if R&R could happen at carnivals. With changes to the rules to fit in with restrictions R&R started up again and thankfully this year Aussies 2021 was held.

The R&R competitors would like to thank the amazing coaches Gordon McKirdy and John Douglas. Your time and positive support towards Wanda's R&R teams never goes unnoticed.

To the Wanda officials that turn up to each carnival - Thank you to you all: Ernest "Solly" Stephens, Gordon McKirdy, John Douglas, Anita Pryke, Yvonne Holland, Tony Holland, Brock Douglas, Kurt Melville, Colin Jones, and Karin Jones. Your time and dedication to R&R is always appreciated.

Thank you to Gordon McKirdy and Tony Holland for coordinating the transport of our reels to all carnivals. Thank you to Pat Warn and Adam Buckley for towing our trailer to Swansea and back. Also, a special thank you to Tony for towing the trailer to the Sunshine Coast and Bruce Sinclair for returning it home safely.

A big thank you to the R&R sponsors Hales Redden Chartered Accountants, TWH Transport and Cronulla Smash Repairs.

Next season I will be helping to grow the section. We need to build the section with U15s and U17s to keep the R&R tradition alive at Wanda.

Katie Spinner

R&R CAPTAIN

COACH'S REPORT

It has taken me a while to put this report together as I'm still trying to make sense of what happened at Aussies, not only to our Champion 6 Person team, but in a couple of other events as well.

There was a combination of errors from coach, competitors and officials that turned what should have been a very successful carnival into one which we should still be proud of what we achieved.

The simple solution is the addition of more carnivals to our competition calendar, a review of the R&R manual and a recruitment drive for some new officials. Most of this is in progress. Let's hope COVID-19 can give us a break, so we can get it sorted quickly.

Our "Ron Sandstrom" team of the year is the U15 2 Person team of Amelia Dann and Harper Constantoulas. This award, which is usually a straight forward calculation of carnival results, was way too difficult to determine due to the lack of events this year. But these girls started with a clinic in Maroubra back in November and trained right through to their first Aussies at Maroochydore in April. They achieved a lot of impressive results along the way in an event that is hotly contested. I hope they will appreciate this prestigious award and take encouragement from their efforts being recognised.

Our Ross Hunter and Natalie Windeyer (nee Hunter) competitor of the year is Kurt Melville. Together with Stuart Smith, Kurt helped form a second mixed team, which allowed Joanna Axiotis, Joanna Stavrou and Courtney Warn to compete after the demise of our



female team. Whilst his ability to train with the team was restricted, he was the fittest he had been in years and had six magnificent swims at both State and Aussies to put every team in contention.

Whilst his mixed team was also part of the drive to win the Sandstrom pointscore trophy at Aussies, it also showed that the girls have the ability to match it with the best teams. The calamity with the belt just minutes before the final at Aussies was unlike anything I had witnessed in nearly 40 years, but



everybody handled it so well. Thank you to Bribie Island for helping us out.

The other mixed team of Emily Caterson, Blake McCrindle, Katie Spinner, Grant Sandstrom and Brock Douglas collected medals at both State and Aussies and can count themselves very unlucky. The flat conditions at Mooloolaba meant that a dubious stroke of a pen was the only difference between the first three teams. Congratulations all.

Our Open Male 5 Person team of Colin Jones, Kurt Melville, Stuart Smith, Grant Sandstrom and Brock Douglas were near perfection at both State and Aussies. Drilling only one point was enough to win at Swansea, but it wasn't good enough at Aussies and Coogee deserved their Gold Medal.

Coogee showed us this year what is required to dominate at Aussies. Working beside their head coach was a team manager who also

competed and coached. All their senior team members coach younger teams and judge at carnivals and one of them is put in charge of all the technical aspects.

This started as a nipper initiative. It is pleasing that our JAG is now realising the potential points available in R&R as well as the team building that can lead to retention of competitors in our senior ranks (making stronger patrols!). Wanda has had this pathway in the past with some of our best coaches starting off as nipper parents.

But whilst the Sandstrom trophy at Aussies is the ultimate aim for our club, we have to accept that we were extremely fortunate just to compete, given Kurt and Stuart have two very young children each and Brock resides in Brisbane. Your dedication to R&R is very much appreciated and your wives Maree, Stephanie and Michelle are just amazing.

I'd like to thank all the wives, boyfriends, President Spinner and especially Vanessa who dragged herself out of hospital to tend to our daughter in a wheel chair when I took off early to Aussies.

It's going to take a massive commitment from everyone to compete successfully in Perth next season. But we know what we need to do, so let's commit early and train hard.

We also have a few reels in need of repair, so hopefully Peter Cox can again lend us his time and expertise during the off-season. Thanks Pete and especially Tony Holland for all your help this year.

Gordon McKirdy

R&R COACH

R&R REPORT (CONTINUED)

U15 R&R TEAM REPORT

TEAM

U14/15 Two Person - Harper Constantoulas and Amelia Dann

RESULTS

State Titles	8th
Australian Titles	7th

A very difficult season with changes being made to the event as a result of COVID-19. Unfortunately, this did not help the girls at both State and The Aussies. At State they were running second after the heats and missed the finals and

again at The Aussies they were running fourth after the heats and ran an agonising seventh to miss the finals by one place. I was very disappointed for the girls. Scores in both were very close.

I have great faith in these girls and can only say your turn will come. An Australian medal is just around the corner. Maybe not only in Two Person but Five Person as well.

Thank you to Chris and Stefan for your help at both training and competitions. Also thank you Mums and Grandparents for bringing the

girls to training when the Dads were not available.

R&R is a great event. Please consider having a go next season. We need a Five Person Team in the Under 15s.

John Douglas

R&R COACH





MARCH PAST REPORT

Wanda March Past Team, like all sporting codes started the season with both uncertainty and enthusiasm. There were only a couple of early carnivals. Our first march was at Maroubra followed by Freshwater who included March Past in their open carnival.



Next came Sydney Branch where the team won gold. This was a huge breakthrough for us, the first ever major gold. We found ourselves being recognized as a team to beat, with the prospect of big things to come. It would be fair to say that we started to celebrate that gold at 10:00am at Northies until much much later.

Sadly, due to a weather event (not COVID-19) the NSW State Titles, to be held at Narrabeen were cancelled.

The team put in a lot of hard work and trained very well under the guidance of myself and Brain Cowan. We even had Mitch Pryke along to video our training with his drone and that was real plus and many thanks go to him.

The team for the Aussies included Glenn Bell as standard bearer and Mary O'Dwyer in the belt. On the reel we had Anita Pryke, Karen Byron, Margaret Ryall and Paula Cox. Inside drum pivot was Jeanie Gunn and outside drum pivot Narelle Hunt. Our backline was Jann Townsend, Vanessa McKirdy, Yvonne Holland and Kate Mountain.

The team trained incredibly hard on the Sunshine Coast and there were some long sessions. On the day we achieved only 2 points - our best points result ever. We came equal 4th and 6th overall on a count back which was brilliant.

As coach I'd like to thank the support crew throughout the year, particularly at the Aussies, Ross Hunt, Pete Bouris, Craig Moffat and Pete Cox. Also, Karin Jones for filling in at the Maroubra event and a very special mention to Dallas Hampton who due to a health issue had to postpone her debut until 2021-22.

Tony Holland

MARCH PAST COACH

SUNDAY SURF RACE REPORT



Unfortunately this season the beach was closed numerous times, so a number of races were lower than previous seasons.

We would like to thank our sponsors of the Surf Race being Feast Caterers and Domino's Pizza. There were many weekly winners of the prizes with most starters winning at least one prize throughout the season. Thanks to Sarge (Mark Sargeant) who arranged the weekly prizes.

A GRADE

Limited starters but included Mick Kay, Ben Harris, Isabella Conroy, Ben Sutton, Hayden Allum, Lachlan Black, Harry Stivactas etc, unfortunately not all turning up on the same day.

Top 3 results were:

1. Mick Kay
2. Lachlan Black
3. Ben Sutton

VETERANS

Great numbers including regulars Solly (Ernest Stephens OAM), Sarge (Mark Sargeant), Greg Allum AM, Waughie (Graeme Waugh), Troy Weston, Mick Conroy, Stephen Trembath, Tickets (John Wilde), Tracy Booth, Denny Rowlands, Colin and Karin Jones, Mark Lloyd etc etc

This season was like no other with constant changes in the leadership of the point score. Sarge lead early with three wins then went MIA. Troy Weston opted not to swim in April which cost him and if Denny swam in January he may have been the winner. Then Solly and Waughie were late after their morning coffee missing the surf race. If Waughie started he may have won but plenty of chances (and excuses) for all starters.

However, Mick Conroy's consistency paid off, well done Mick.

Top 3 results were:

1. Mick Conroy
2. Tickets
3. Waughie

For the record, last year's Champion Solly was 6th.

All the best over winter.

Mick Kay

RACE SECRETARY



IRB SECTION REPORT

What a season? The 2020/2021 season was conducted under the cloud of COVID-19.

We have 1 new IRB on order, due any day. The 2 new out boards are with us now, and we look forward to putting them into service next season.

We also welcomed in the new SSV.

With thanks to our trainers Gerrard Cafe, and with the help and support of John Wilde, and with the additional help of the likes of Mick Conroy, Matthew P., and Adam New we can proudly announce that, even under the social distancing guidelines, we still managed a massive 24 new crew members and 6 new drivers, with quite a few more, almost through their training. It was also great to see a lot of our younger members sitting up the front of our IRBs.

The start and/or resurrection of the WANDA IRB race team, was put on a temporary hold. With the race season on hold, some of us were even seen training (loose use of the term) with another Bate Bay clubs. Watch this space! Feel free to come and be a part of it.

An essential role in the IRB section is ensuring that our IRBs and the SSV have fuel. Once again, Steve Trembath has again taken on this role and



has diligently kept the fuel cans full throughout the season.

Our new equipment will, I'm sure, be gratefully received by our new driver and crew recruits, but of course, we still need to continue to bolster our numbers. With continued patrol requirements and an increase in carnival rosters, many hands make light work.

All patrols throughout the season were covered by IRB drivers and crew, with many regulars making up the shortfall from week to week. The assistance of these members means that Wanda always has a fully operational patrol on duty.

2020/2021 saw the Wanda IRB team having to cover a large number of shifts at all the major and minor carnivals. A big thanks to all that helped out with these.

An addition to the Emergency Services Network we saw our call out team respond to several search and rescue efforts in and around the Bate Bay area and, notably, a massive thanks to the crew who helped out with the flood evacuation and support in the Nepean area.

An even bigger thanks needs to go out to all the drivers and crew who show up each and every patrol.

I look forward to the new season and can't wait to see you all on the beach.

Mark Lloyd

IRB CAPTAIN

AUXILIARY COMMITTEE REPORT

Auxiliary Committee

Patroness Beryl Iredale^
Chairperson Lyn Robbins
Deputy Chairperson Lorraine Steer
Secretary Sue Brannock
Treasurer Denise Strong
Assistant Secretary Norma McDonald
Assistant Treasurer Judy Hunter*
Activities Coordinator Marilyn Holdsworth
Equipment Officer Wendy Sandstrom^

Life Members Auxiliary Committee

Ann Ainsworth^
Nita Allum†
Sue Backhouse
Sue Brannock
Mary Brady†
Noelene Caesar†
Jean Gibbons†
Judy Hunter*
Beryl Iredale^
Sylvia McCarthy†
Lyn Robbins
Wendy Sandstrom^

Auxiliary Committee Members

Sue Backhouse
Sue Brannock
Beryl Driscoll
Rhonda Fox
Marilyn Holdsworth
Sue Hughes
Judy Hunter*
Beryl Iredale^
Joan Magee
Norma McDonald
Lyn Robbins
Wendy Sandstrom^
Lorraine Steer
Denise Strong
Jan Vial*
Bev Walker*

* 25 Years // ^ 50 Years // † Deceased



With the impact of COVID-19 affecting many events we only needed to cater for one carnival this season.

It was small compared to other years. We didn't need to organise breakfast or morning tea. The salad rolls were prepared for lunch to be picked up from the kitchen and enjoyed.

For Presentation night we will once again part sponsor the 100% patrol attendance awards. These members that will receive the award this year our congratulations to them.

We also made a donation to the U14 Pink Caps this season. The COVID-19 restriction this season limited their opportunity to have BBQs at nipper carnivals and other functions for fundraising.

We had a very enjoyable lunch at Woollooware Golf Club, a nice

venue, good food and a great catch up. Thanks to Sue Brannock for organizing the day it was lovely to see everyone.

We were invited to Marilyn Holdsworth home to celebrate Christmas. We all took a plate of food, and what a spread. Another great day thanks Marilyn for all your hard work and effort.

Thanks to Sue Brannock for her help as Secretary, Denise Strong as Treasurer and all the ladies that helped out during the year.

Lyn Robbins
CHAIRPERSON



BODY SURFERS REPORT

What a year, but we all made it COVID-19 free.

We still meet most mornings for a surf or swim, even throughout winter when the club was closed, all at a safe COVID-19 distance of course.

Even put up with the cold council showers in winter!!!

Two surf trips were organised to Bendalong on the South Coast in November 2020 and again in March 2021 - we stayed for a week and a great time was had by all who attended.

The annual Australia Day Awards were held in the park near the Wanda Clubhouse. It was our 32nd year of awarding the lovely Green Fish Head Trophy to the surfer of the year and again it was a split decision between Rod (Stick) Holdsworth and Brett Peters.

PS. We don't only body surf, many other activities are organised within the group ie: regular golf days, mountain biking, motor bike rides, caravan and motorhome trips, bushwalking etc.



We always welcome newcomers so come along, have a swim and chat @ 7am each morning rain, hail or sunshine 365 days a year.

Brett Peters

ON BEHALF OF THE WANDA SLSC
BEACH BODY SURFERS

GYM MANAGER'S REPORT



Wow what a year.

At the beginning of the year I thought this would be an easy job visiting the gym twice a week when training, vacuuming and washing the floor once a fortnight. Then COVID-19 hit. Instead of being just a gym member I became a COVID-19 Marshall visiting the gym every day to ensure all members cleaned and sanitised the equipment they used and to ensure there was always sufficient wipes, sprays and sanitisers on hand. I am very proud of all the gym members for the way they looked after their gym during this difficult time.

Then at the beginning of May 2021 we had an unwanted new member. His/her name was Redbelly Black Snake. Mick Brannock and Alan Steege were on hand to welcome the new member and a snake catcher was called. The snake was never found. Hopefully he/she found its way back to the sand dune.

In a way I enjoyed the year and wish the new Gym Manager all the best.

John Douglas

GYM MANAGER



2020 TRADIES VIRTUAL SUTHERLAND 2 SURF

Sutherland 2 Surf is our flagship annual fundraising event and represents the very essence of what our club is about – Community.



The running of the event was thrown into chaos due to COVID-19, however by keeping on trend the S2S committee pivoted and went Virtual. By holding the Tradies Virtual S2S we were able to provide continuity of the event for both club and community members, and also managed to do some fundraising along the way.

The Tradies Virtual S2S was held over the weekend of 7th, 8th and 9th August 2020. We had 620 participants, many of whom were club members, so thank you very much everyone for supporting this wonderful club event. Despite all the COVID-19 restrictions, participants were still able to make it fun and for the first time dogs were allowed to be part of this great community event.

The Wanda S2S committee would like to take this opportunity to thank our sponsors for their wonderful support, especially under such difficult circumstances, we couldn't have done it without you.

Thank you to **Tradies, Veolia, McDonalds** and **Southside Animal Hospital** plus the great prizes from **Brooks Running, The Athletes Foot** and **Caltex**.

I would like to make special mention on the amazing efforts of Mel Campbell, Sharon Collier, Katie Spinner and Nathan Spinner for ensuring that not only this event took place but it was a success. Thank you to the rest of the committee for your efforts and support.

Our motto for the Virtual S2S was "Let's do this together!" and that's exactly what this club did. Thank you everyone.

Karen Byron

RACE DIRECTOR





WANDA'S TRADIES "ONE CLUB" SURF CARNIVAL

This season the event was held under COVID-19 conditions which was a new challenge for the organising Committee to manage after the event was postponed in January due to a COVID-19 outbreak. This meant that round 2 of Summer of Surf was also cancelled.

The Committee, in conjunction with our Director of Surf Sports, looked for another day to conduct the event which we were able to hold on Saturday 20th February 2021 and what a great day everyone had. Numbers were up on the previous season and this allowed for some great racing from all who attended.

After some discussions with our safety officer it was decided that under 9, 10 and 11 year old age groups would go to Kurnell for their competition and all beach and the remainder of the water competition would stay at Wanda.

We were again fortunate to have Tradies as the major sponsor of the Carnival and a big thank you to them for their continued support for this event as well as Brooks who again supported the Beach area.

Due to COVID-19 conditions we were unable to include some events into the program as well as March Past and R&R. Let's hope we can have them next season.

The overall point score was won by Wanda again and congratulations to all of our competitors on a fantastic effort.

Thank you to all the clubs that supplied water safety on the day as well Cronulla, North Cronulla, Elouera and our own IRB Drivers and Crews who always come to the rescue when we hold an event and we did hold plenty of those this season.

It was a shame that we did not get much support from The Sydney Branch Surf Sports Committee in the lead up and during the event, but once again we supported each other to ensure that we put on a great event.

I would like to thank all the members of the Carnival Committee they being Greg Pierce, Greg Allum AM, Fiona Sutton, Nat Buckley, Sam Park, Grant Bowmer, Brooke Thatcher, Shannon Dixon, Mark Sargeant and Anne Caterson for their efforts and support during this event. At times it was very stressful with the event on and off and unsure if it would proceed.

To our wonderful Auxiliary Committee - a big thank you for doing the catering for the Officials on the day with breakfast, morning tea and lunch. It was well received on the day.

Also a big thank you to Sarah from the Branch office for assisting with the distribution of information and also keeping me up to date with the number of competitors to make sure we were compliant with numbers allowed due to COVID-19. To Sharon, Annabelle and Lisa in our office - thank you for all your assistance with the lead up and on the day.

To all our members that assisted on Friday and Saturday in the work force and other areas it was great to see all members from the club with the Junior Activities Group and Seniors all working together to ensure that we presented an event that everyone was talking about at the end of the day and how well run it was. They loved the concept of an *am start and 12 noon finish and from all reports will get plenty of support from other Clubs for next season's event.

John C. De Cean OAM

ON BEHALF OF THE CARNIVAL
SUB COMMITTEE (CONVENOR)



COMMUNITY EVENTS

NSW FLOODS

Wanda SLSC volunteers Michael Bonnici, John Wilde, Stephen Trembath, Ryan Bevitt, Adam Buckley and Mark Lake were recently deployed alongside other Emergency Services to assist in a two day swift water evacuation and rescue response in parts of Western Sydney such as Windsor, Richmond and Sackville.

Our Wanda crews assisted with rescues and evacuations in extremely dangerous conditions which included flood roads, farms, caravan parks, suburbs and navigating past dangerous debris and objects.

Wanda is extremely thankful to our volunteers and we express our thanks to our fellow SLS Clubs and Emergency Services for working well together and ensuring no lives were lost. We also thank those volunteers who couldn't attend, yet put their hand up to assist, those who helped prepare and pack down equipment as well as the various community groups for providing food and supplies throughout our deployment.

We are proud to be able to assist and continue to Patrol beyond the red and yellow flags.



GARIE SLSC

Well done to Riley Porteous, Brett Porteous and Matthew P. who participated in the Albert IRB Program at Garie.



BEACH SAFETY PRESENTATIONS

Wanda was pleased to host 29 international students from the University of Sydney across two separate sessions in teaching Beach Safety presentations and giving a tour of what Surf Life Saving Clubs are all about.

This is a continuation of our Community Safety Talks with schools and tertiary institutions that aims to further educate everyone about beach safety and the amazing job that all our volunteers do each week.

Special thanks to Surf Life Saving NSW and our Club Captain, Michael Bonnici for organising and presenting.



FAIRY MEADOW PATROL

Thank you to our Patrolling Members who assisted at Fairy Meadow SLSC on Patrol on Sunday 22 November. It's great to see our members happy to assist and collaborate as much as possible for our fellow clubs. Fairy Meadow noted that our members went above and beyond patrolling duty and it was great to see them getting involved with the Nippers and talking with them about water safety, rescue equipment and giving demonstrations on CPR.



CSD SURF CLUB PATROL OPS SEMINAR

Wanda was pleased to host the annual CSD Surf Club Patrol Ops Seminar on Saturday 12 September 2020.



BEACH 2 BUSH 2020

Wanda's Club Captain Michael Bonnici and patrol member Ryan Bevitt deliver the annual Beach to Bush program. They visited 7 schools and taught over 2000 primary aged children in the Scone, Gunnedah, Tamworth rural area of NSW.

The children were excited to learn about the beach and how they can stay safe in our waterways.



ANZAC DAY DAWN SERVICE

Our Deputy President Todd Lester and Wanda Nippers Captains Cameron and Zoey were invited to lay a wreath on the cenotaph at Cronulla on ANZAC Day. They were proud to represent Wanda and felt very privileged to lay Wanda's wreath at the ANZAC Day Service.



Wanda was also represented at the Sutherland Dawn Service by Allan Driscoll (Long Service Member) and his wife Beryl (Honorary) and their son Stephen (Long Service).

Thank you to our wonderful friend Jasmin Peake for donating the beautiful wreath.

Lest we forget.

ALBERT IRB PROGRAM - GARIE PATROL 2020

Thank you to the following Wanda Patrol Members who joined and assisted Garie SLSC on 10th and 11th October.

Mick Conroy
Isabella Conroy
Lachlan Black
Troy Weston
Ryan Bevitt
Michael Bonnici



SEARCH AND RESCUE EXERCISE [SAREX]



A number of Wanda SLSC members participated in a multi-agency Search and Rescue Exercise in Botany Bay on Thursday 29th October. Wanda deployed two IRBs and helped alongside other Surf Life Saving Support Operations assets during the exercise. We are proud and grateful to collaborate on such an important emergency exercise.

SUPPORT SKI OPS

Support Ski 1 and 2 paid our U14 Nippers a visit on Sunday November 1, teaching them about the role of the rescue watercraft in Surf Life Saving and showing them some of the jet skis cool features. We are very thankful to both the operators and Surf Life Saving Sydney for this development opportunity.



COMMUNITY EVENTS (CONTINUED)

FIRE & RESCUE

Wanda was pleased to provide clubhouse facilities to the Georges River Command Firefighters for their training sessions to improve the co-ordinated response and operations to marina fires.

Fire and Rescue NSW Georges River Command Inspector Brad Smith said partnering with Wanda SLSC to use their lecture room facilities helped make training easier.

Wanda Surf Life Saving Club Captain Michael Bonnici said the relationship between the Georges River Firefighters and the surf club was mutually beneficial.



LACHIE TOWNS JAG VISIT

Thanks to Surf Life Saving Sydney Duty Officer, Lachie Towns for showing our younger members the role and equipment carried by Duty Officers. Our up-and-coming lifesavers loved the experience.



WANDA SLSC SURVIVORS

On Wednesday the third of February this year [3/2/2021], the Wanda Survivors held their annual get together in The Founders Room at Wanda Surf Life Saving Club.

It was well attended and counted 53 present. The weather was also kind to us, making it possible to take advantage of the excellent outdoor area upstairs in The Founders Room which I say is the best spot in the Shire, or maybe in Sydney.

Though we no longer have any surviving Foundation Members, our longest term members present on the day were Phil Turnbull, Keith McAlpine and Rex McDermott.

- Phil Turnbull joined as a junior in 1948
- Keith McAlpine joined 1949
- Rex McDermott joined 1951

I was also pleased to welcome John Douglas, Mick De Luca and Ray Berrey into our Survivors Group and I hope that they will always join us in the future. A most enjoyable meal was provided by Tony and Saeran Adams and their crew from Feast Caterers, and our thirsts were catered for by Simon behind the bar. So until the year 2022 may all of us keep well.

Yours in Surfing,

Aub Vial

ON BEHALF OF THE
WANDA SURVIVORS

SENIOR RESULTS**THE AUSTRALIAN
SURF LIFE SAVING
CHAMPIONSHIPS****OPENS**

**Mooloolaba/Maroochydore/
Alexandra Headland
Sunshine Coast, QLD
18-24 April, 2021**

Placed 5th with 153 points

GOLD (7)**Open Male Beach Relay**

Jamee Smith, Matthew Lewis,
James Karagiannis,
Clayton Beranek

**U19 Male 2x1km Beach Run
Relay**

Nathan Jay, Kai Hammond

U19 Male Surf Teams

Nicholas Middleton, Nathan Jay,
Noah Steiner, Riley Dixon

U19 Female 2km Beach Run

Jessie Phelps

Open Male 2km Beach Run

Ali Najem

Open Female 2km Beach Run

Chloe Gentle

U17 Male Champion Lifesaver

Ben Sutton

SILVER (7)**Open Male 5 person R&R**

Kurt Melville, Grant Sandstrom,
Brock Douglas, Stuart Smith,
Colin Jones

Open Mixed 5 person R&R

Emily Caterson, Blake McCrindle,
Grant Sandstrom, Brock Douglas,
Katie Spinner

U19 Male Surf Belt Race

Riley Dixon, Nathan Smith,
Morgan Lloyd, Elyssa Pierce,
Finn Ross

U17 Female Beach Sprint

Zara Lammers

**Open Male 2x1km Beach
Run Relay**

Kai Hammond, Ali Najem

**Open Female 2x1km
Beach Run Relay**

Melissa Campbell, Chloe Gentle

Open Male 2km Beach Run

Kai Hammond

BRONZE (5)**Open Female Single Ski**

Georgia Sinclair

Open Male Beach Sprint

Jamee Smith

**Open Female 2 x 1km Beach
Run Relay**

Carla Papac, Lara Hughes

Open Female 2Km Beach Run

Jessie Phelps

U19 Male Ocean Swim

Nicholas Middleton

4TH PLACE (8)**Curlewis 6 Person Mixed R&R**

Emily Caterson, Blake McCrindle,
Kurt Melville, Grant Sandstrom,
Brock Douglas, Stuart Smith

U19 Male Board Rescue

Noah Steiner, Riley Dixon

Open Male Board Rescue

Nathan Smith, Hayden Allum

U19 Male Rescue Tube Rescue

Nicholas Middleton, Riley Dixon,
Zachary Roja, Finn Ross

**U19 Female 2 x 1km Beach
Run Relay**

Flynn Payne, Ruby Shaw

**U17 Male 2 x 1km Beach
Run Relay**

Toby Hummerston,
Thomas Gentle

**U17 Female 2 x 1km Beach
Run Relay**

Flynn Payne, Ruby Shaw

Open Female Surf Teams

Britney Pierce, Taylar Puskaric,
Carla Papac, Elyssa Pierce

5TH PLACE (10)**U23 Male Surf Boat**

Jack Kenning, Matthew Pescud,
Bradley Querzoli, Jack Spooner,
Nathan Spinner (Sweep)

Open Female Surf Belt Race

Britney Pierce, Patrick Warn, Tyler
Nott, Kurt Stavrou, Jed Buckley

Open Mixed Beach Relay

Chloe Gentle, Zara Lammers,
Jamee Smith, Matthew Lewis

U17 Mixed Beach Relay

Benjamin Sutton, Henri Carrera,
Zara Lammers, Tyler Coles

U19 Male Surf Belt Race

Zachary Roja, Nathan Steiner,
Henri Carrera, Noah Doran,
Kurt Stavrou

Open Female Board Rescue

Emily Eaves, Rachel Sothern

**U19 Female Rescue
Tube Rescue**

Kiera Warn, Rachel Sothern,
Mia Ross, Kaimana Fittock

**U17 Male 2 x 1km Beach
Run Relay**

Benjamin Sutton, Noah Doran

U19 Female Surf Teams

Kiera Warn, Rachel Sothern,
Mia Ross, Kaimana Fittock

Open Female Single Ski Relay

Britney Pierce, Emily Eaves,
Elyssa Pierce

6TH PLACE (12)**Open Mixed 5 Person R&R**

Kurt Melville, Stuart Smith,
Joanna Stavrou, Joanna Axiotis,
Courtney Warn

**Open Mixed (March Past)
March Past**

Karen Byron, Paula George,
Yvonne Holland, Narelle Hunt,
Jeanie Iredale, Vanessa McKirdy,
Kate Mountain, Mary O'Dwyer,
Margaret Ryall, Anita Pryke,
Jann Townsend, Glenn Bell

U19 Male Beach Relay

Benjamin Sutton, Henri Carrera,
Kai Hammond, Toby Hummerston

U19 Female Beach Relay

Logan Galea, Zara Lammers,
Ruby Shaw, Tyler Coles

U19 Female Board Rescue

Kiera Warn, Mia Ross

**Open Mixed Lifesaver Relay
(State Entries Only)**

Hayden Allum, Nicholas
Middleton, Henri Carrera, Callum
Redrup, Stephanie Kentwell,
Mollie Lombo, Amy Grice, Sorrell
Handforth, Nathan Spinner (S)

**Open Female Rescue
Tube Rescue**

Britney Pierce, Taylar Puskaric,
Emily Eaves, Elyssa Pierce

U19 Male Surf Race

Zachary Roja

Open Female Board Relay

Britney Pierce, Carla Papac,
Elyssa Pierce

Open Female 2km Beach Run

Lara Hughes

Open Male 2km Beach Run

Kai Hammond

U19 Male Ironperson

Nathan Jay

YOUTH

**Mooloolaba/Maroochydore,
Sunshine Coast, QLD
16-17 April, 2021**

GOLD (2)

U14 Female Beach Sprint
Keira Vincent

U15 Male Ironperson
Fletcher Warn

SILVER (2)

U14 Female Beach Flags
Keira Vincent

U15 Male Ocean Swim
Fletcher Warn

BRONZE (4)

U15 Male Cameron Relay
Kai Thatcher, Maalik Moston,
Fletcher Warn, Joel Steiner

U14 Female 2km Beach Run
Sienna Alderson

**U15 Female 2x1km
Beach Run Relay**
Sienna Alderson, Violet Keelan

U15 Male Surf Race
Fletcher Warn

4TH PLACE (1)

U15 Female Beach Relay
Elyssa Redrup, Keira Vincent, Jade
Tattam, Sienna Alderson

5TH PLACE (4)

**U15 Female Champion
Lifesaver**
Chelsea Sutton

U15 Female Beach Flags
Jade Tattam

U15 Male 2km Beach Run
Taj Wicks

**U15 Female 2x1km
Beach Run Relay**
Waverly Martinus,
Hanah Dalgleish

6TH PLACE (0)**MASTERS**

**Mooloolaba/Maroochydore/
Alexandra Headland
Sunshine Coast, QLD
19-20 April, 2021**

Placed 12th with 73 points

GOLD (3)

35-39 Female Beach Sprint
Greer Calabro

35-39 Male Board Rescue
Nathan Smith, Nathan Steiner

110yrs min Male Surf Teams
Nathan Smith, Benjamin Harris,
Nathan Steiner

SILVER (5)

**110yrs min Male
Single Ski Relay**
Paul Buttel, Michael Georgaris,
Nathan Steiner

30-34 Female 2km Beach Run
Casey Hadfield

40-44 Female 2km Beach Run
Melissa Campbell

**170yrs min Female
Beach Relay**
Deidre McCarthy, Greer Calabro,
Casey Hadfield, Donna Cox

45-49 Male 2km Beach Run
David Jones

BRONZE (4)

110yrs min Male Taplin
Nathan Smith, Michael Georgaris,
Nathan Steiner

30-34 Female Beach Sprint
Casey Hadfield

55-59 Female 2km Beach Run
Donna Cox

50-54 Male 2km Beach Run
Jock Campbell

4TH PLACE (4)

160yrs min Male Surf Boat
Thumpers - Jeff Potauaine, Garth
Teasel, Luke Turner, Dean Slater,
Nathan Spinner, Les Townsend
(Sweep)

180yrs min Female Surf Boat
Kessels - Louise Southwell, Karen
Ross, Kaylene Walker, Virginia
Sullivan, Les Townsend (Sweep)

35-39 Male Single Ski
Michael Georgaris

55-59 Female 2km Beach Run
Deidre McCarthy

5TH PLACE (1)

50-54 Male 2km Beach Run
Greg Alderson

6TH PLACE (0)**STATE
CHAMPIONSHIPS****OPENS**

**Swansea Belmont SLSC
12-19 March, 2021**

Placed 2nd with 414 points

GOLD (23)

U/17 Male Champion Lifesaver
Ben Sutton

**U/19 2 x 1km Female Beach
Run Relay**
Flynn Payne, Jessie Phelps

**U/19 2 x 1km Male
Beach Run Relay**
Kai Hammond, Toby Hummerston

Open Male 2km Beach Run
Ali Najem

U/19 Male 2km Beach Run
Kai Hammond

**Open 2x1km Male
Beach Run Relay**
Kai Hammond, Ali Najem

Open Male Beach Relay
Clayton Beranek, James
Karagiannis, Matthew Lewis,
Jamee Smith

Open Female 2km Beach Run
Jessie Phelps

U/19 Female 2km Beach Run
Jessie Phelps

**U/15 Female 2x1km Female
Beach Run Relay**
Tara Gentle, Violet Keelan

**Open 2x1km Female Beach
Run Relay**
Chloe Gentle, Jessie Phelps

**U/17 2x1km Female Beach
Run Relay**
Flynn Payne, Ruby Shaw

U/19 Male Surf Race
Nathan Jay

U/15 Male Surf Race
Fletcher Warn

U/19 Male Surf Team
Riley Dixon, Nathan Jay, Nicholas
Middleton, Noah Steiner

Open Male 5 Person R&R
Brock Douglas, Colin Jones, Kurt
Melville, Grant Sandstrom, Stuart
Smith

U/19 Male Iron Man
Nathan Jay

Open Male Board Rescue
Hayden Allum, Nathan Smith

U/19 Male Rescue Tube Rescue
Riley Dixon, Nicholas Middleton,
Zachary Roja, Finn Ross

**U/19 Male Taplin Relay
(3 person)**
Nathan Jay, Nicholas Middleton,
Noah Steiner

U/19 Male Surf Belt Race
Riley Dixon

**U/19 Female Rescue
Tube Rescue**
Kaimana Fittock, Mia Ross, Rachel
Sothorn, Kiera Warn

U/15 Female Cameron Relay
Tahli Christensen, Hanah Dalgleish,
India Hulbert

SILVER (16)

U/15 Female Champion Lifesaver
Chelsea Sutton

U/19 2 x 1km Female Beach Run Relay
Zara Lammers, Ruby Shaw

Open Male Beach Sprint
Jamee Smith

Open Female 2km Beach Run
Chloe Gentle

U/17 Female 2km Beach Run
Flynn Payne

U/15 Female 2km Beach Run
Violet Keelan

U/17 Female Beach Sprint
Zara Lammers

U/19 Male Surf Race
Riley Dixon

Open Male Surf Team
Hayden Allum, Nathan Jay,
Nathan Smith, Nicholas Middleton

U/19 Male Board Rescue
Riley Dixon, Noah Steiner

U/19 Female Surf Race
Kaimana Fittock

Over 24 Restricted Female Surf Race
Taylar Puskaric

Open Female Surf Team
Carla Papac, Elyssa Pierce,
Britney Pierce, Taylar Puskaric

U/15 Female Surf Team
Tahli Christensen, Isabella Cox,
Hanah Dalglish, India Hulbert

U/15 Female Iron Woman
India Hulbert

Open 6 Person R&R
Emily Caterson, Brock Douglas,
Blake McCrindle, Kurt Melville,
Grant Sandstrom, Stuart Smith

BRONZE (22)

U/23 Male Surf Boat
Wanda Weapons – Jack Kenning,
Matthew Pescud, Bradley Querzoli,
Jack Spooner, Jack Watson,
Nathan Spinner (Sweep)

U/23 Female Surf Boat
Wanda Wedgies – Amy Grice,
Sorrell Handforth, Stephanie
Kentwell, Mollie Lombo,
Brendan MacAlpine (Sweep)

U/15 2x1km Male Beach Run Relay
Alexander Romanos-Regas,
Taj Wicks

Open 2x1km Male Beach Run Relay
Lachlan Crawford, Jesse Thus

Open 2x1km Female Beach Run Relay
Melissa Campbell, Annika Durante

U/19 Mixed Beach Relay
Kai Hammond, Toby Hummerston,
Zara Lammers, Jessie Phelps

U/15 Mixed Beach Relay
Tara Gentle, Alexander Romanos-
Regas, Jade Tattam, Taj Wicks

U/19 Male Surf Race
Noah Steiner

U/15 Male Iron Man
Fletcher Warn

U/19 Male Surf Belt Race
Nicholas Middleton

U/19 Female Surf Race
Kiera Warn

U/17 Female Surf Race
Scarlet Cameron

Over 24 Restricted Female Surf Race
Elyssa Pierce

Open Female Board Rescue
Carla Papac, Britney Pierce

U/19 Female Single Ski
Kaimana Fittock

U/17 Female Single Ski Relay
Logan Galea, Zoe Jay, Tahlia Roja

Open Female Board Race
Britney Pierce

Open Female Board Relay
Carla Papac, Britney Pierce,
Taylar Puskaric

Open Female Surf Belt
Britney Pierce

U/17 Female Board Relay
Charli Cash, Maya Dixon, Tahlia Roja

U/15 Female Board Relay
Tahli Christensen, Hanah Dalglish,
India Hulbert

Open Mixed 5 Person R&R
Emily Caterson, Brock Douglas,
Blake McCrindle, Grant Sandstrom,
Katie Spinner

4TH PLACE (24)

U/17 Female Champion Lifesaver
Teagan Thatcher

Open Male 2km Beach Run
Lachlan Crawford

U/17 Male 2km Beach Run
Toby Hummerston

U/15 Male 2km Beach Run
Taj Wicks

U/17 Female 2km Beach Run
Ruby Shaw

Open Mixed Beach Relay
James Karagiannis, Zara Lammers,
Matthew Lewis, Flynn Payne

U/19 Male Surf Race
Nicholas Middleton

Over 24 Restricted Male Surf Race
Hayden Allum

Open Male Iron Man
Hayden Allum

U/19 Male Iron Man
Nicholas Middleton

U/19 Male Board Rescue
Nicholas Middleton, Zachary Roja

U/19 Male Board Race
Nathan Jay

U/19 Male Board Relay
Nathan Jay, Nicholas Middleton,
Noah Steiner

U/17 Male Surf Belt Race
Henri Carrera

U/15 Female Surf Race
India Hulbert

U/19 Female Surf Team
Kaimana Fittock, Mia Ross,
Rachel Sothern, Kiera Warn

U/17 Female Surf Team
Scarlet Cameron, Charli Cash,
Zoe Jay, Kaitlyn Middleton

Open Female Iron Woman
Elyssa Pierce

U/15 Female Board Rescue
Tahli Christensen, India Hulbert

Open Female Rescue Tube Rescue
Charli Cash, Elyssa Pierce,
Britney Pierce, Georgia Sinclair

Open Female Taplin Relay (3 person)
Emily Eaves, Carla Papac,
Britney Pierce

Open Female Double Ski
Elyssa Pierce, Georgia Sinclair

U/17 Female Board Race
Charli Cash

Open Mixed 5 Person R&R
Joanna Axiotis, Kurt Melville,
Stuart Smith, Joanna Stavrou,
Courtney Warn

5TH PLACE (10)

U/15 Female Beach Flags
Jade Tattam

Open Female 2km Beach Run
Melissa Campbell

Over 24 Restricted Male Surf Race
Nathan Smith

U/17 Male Surf Team
Henri Carrera, Noah Doran,
Sam Hulbert, Morgan Lloyd,
Benjamin Sutton

U/19 Male Taplin Relay (3 person)
Riley Dixon, Zachary Roja, Finn Ross

U/15 Male Board Race
Fletcher Warn

U/17 Male Surf Belt Race
Sam Hulbert

Open Female Board Race
Elyssa Pierce

Open Female Board Relay
Emily Eaves, Elyssa Pierce,
Tahlia Roja

Open Female Surf Belt

Emily Eaves

6TH PLACE (16)**Open Surf Boat Relay**Wanda Wedgies – Amy Grice,
Sorrell Handforth, Stephanie
Kentwell, Mollie Lombo,
Brendan MacAlpine (Sweep)**Open Female Champion
Lifesaver**

Lara Hughes

U/15 Female Beach Sprint

Tara Gentle

U/17 Male Surf Race

Sam Hulbert

U/19 Male Iron Man

Noah Steiner

**Open Male Rescue Tube
Rescue**Henri Carrera, Christopher
Kilmurray, Callum Redrup, John
Woods**U/19 Male Surf Belt Race**

Zachary Roja

U/19 Female Surf TeamScarlet Cameron, Kaitlyn
Middleton**Open Female Iron Woman**

Britney Pierce

U/19 Female Iron Woman

Kaimana Fittock

Open Female Single Ski RelayCarla Papac, Britney Pierce,
Georgia Sinclair**U/19 Female Single Ski Relay**Kaimana Fittock, Mia Ross, Rachel
Sothorn**Open Female Double Ski**

Emily Eaves, Britney Pierce

Open Female Surf Belt

Elyssa Pierce

U/19 Female Board RelayKaimana Fittock, Mia Ross,
Rachel Sothorn**U/17 Female Surf Belt Race**

Scarlet Cameron

MASTERS**Swansea Belmont SLSC
12-14 March, 2021****Placed 18th with 74 points****GOLD (3)****35-39 Male 2km Beach Run**

Joel Bolewski

30-34 Female Beach Sprint

Casey Hadfield

35-39 Female Beach Sprint

Greer Calabro

SILVER (5)**110 yrs min. Male Surf Team**Team A - Tait Brannock, Paul Buttel,
Benjamin Harris**40-44 Male 2km Beach Run**

Tait Brannock

35-39 Male Iron Man

Joel Bolewski

**170yrs Min. Female
Beach Relay**Team A - Greer Calabro, Donna Cox,
Casey Hadfield, Deidre McCarthy**55-59 Female 2km
Beach Run**

Donna Cox

BRONZE (5)**110 yrs min. Male Taplin Relay**Team A - Joel Bolewski, Benjamin
Bolewski, Tait Brannock**35-39 Male Board Race**

Joel Bolewski

35-39 Male Board RescueTeam A - Joel Bolewski, Tait
Brannock**45-49 Male 2km Beach Run**

David Jones

55-59 Female 2km Beach Run

Deidre McCarthy

4TH PLACE (2)**40-44 Male Surf Race**

Tait Brannock

40-44 Male Single Ski

Paul Buttel

5TH PLACE (2)**40-44 Male Iron Man**

Paul Buttel

40-44 Male Board RescueTeam A - Paul Buttel,
Benjamin Harris**6TH PLACE (1)****50-54 Male 2km Beach Run**

Greg Alderson

**SYDNEY BRANCH
CHAMPIONSHIPS****OPENS****Maroubra SLSC
6-7, 13 February 2021****Placed 1st with 456 points**

*No pointscore

GOLD (35)**U/15 Male Surf Race**

Fletcher Warn

U/15 Female Board Race

Tahli Christensen

U/15 Male Board Race

Fletcher Warn

U/15 Female Ironperson

Isabella Cox

U/15 Male Ironperson

Fletcher Warn

U/15 Cameron Relay

Wanda Team A

***U/15 Female 2km**

Violet Keelan

U/15 Male 2km

Taj Wicks

***U/15 Female 2x1km Relay**

Wanda

***U/15 Male 2x1km Relay**

Wanda

***U/17 Male Surf Team**

Wanda A

***U/17 Male 2km**

Toby Hummerston

U/19 Female Ski Race

Kaimana Fittock

U/19 Male Ski Race

Nathan Jay

U/19 Male Iron Race

Nick Middleton

U/19 Male 2km

Kai Hammond

Open Male Surf Race

Nicholas Middleton

Open Female Board Race

Britney Pierce

Open Female Iron Race

Britney Pierce

Open Male Iron Race

Noah Steiner

***Open Female Surf Team**

Wanda Team A

Open Male Surf Team

Wanda Team A

Open Female Board Relay

Wanda Team A

Open Female Ski Relay

Wanda Team B

Open Female Taplin

Wanda Team A

Open Male Beach Flags

Clayton Beranek

Open Female 2km

Jessie Phelps

***Open Male 2km**

Ali Najem

***Open Female 2x1km Relay**

Wanda

Open Male 2x1km Relay

Wanda

U/23 Female Surf Boat

Wanda Wedgies

Open Mixed 5 Person R&R

Wanda A

***Open Mixed 6 Person R&R**

Wanda

U/17 Male Champion Lifesaver

Benjamin Sutton

Open Mixed March Past

Wanda

SILVER (31)**U/15 Female Surf Race**

Tahli Christensen

U/15 Female Ironperson

India Hulbert

U/15 Female Surf Team

Wanda Team A

U/15 Female Board Relay

Wanda Team A

U/15 Female Cameron Relay

Wanda Team A

***U/15 Female Beach Relay**

Wanda

***U/15 Female 2x1km Relay**

Wanda

U/17 Male Surf Race

Sam Hulbert

U/17 Female Ski Race

Tahlia Roja

U/17 Female Surf Team

Wanda A

U/17 Female Board Relay

Wanda

U/17 Male Ski Relay

Wanda

U/17 Female Beach Flags

Tyler Coles

U/17 Female 2km

Flynn Payne

U/19 Female Board Race

Kaimana Fittock

U/19 Male Ski Race

Nicholas Middleton

Open Female Surf Race

Britney Pierce

Open Male Surf Race

Noah Steiner

Open Female Ski Race

Carla Papac

Open Female Iron Race

Carla Papac

***Open Female Surf Team**

Wanda Team B

Open Female Board Relay

Wanda Team B

Open Male Taplin

Wanda

Open Male Beach Relay

Wanda

Open Female 2km

Chloe Gentle

***Open Female 2x1km Relay**

Wanda

Lifesaver Relay

Wanda

***Open Male 5 person R&R**

Wanda

U/17 Female Champion Lifesaver

Teagan Thatcher

U/17 Male Champion Lifesaver

Lachlan Cole

Open Female Champion

Lifesaver

Lara Hughes

BRONZE (19)**U/15 Female Surf Race**

Isabella Cox

U/15 Female Ironperson

Tahli Christensen

U/15 Female Surf Team

Wanda Team C

U/15 Female Board Relay

Wanda Team C

U/15 Female Cameron Relay

Wanda Team B

U/15 Female Beach Flags

Jade Tattam

U/17 Male Iron Race

Sam Hulbert

U/17 Female Surf Team

Wanda Team B

U/17 Male Board Relay

Wanda

U/17 Female Taplin

Wanda Team B

U/17 Female Ski Relay

Wanda

U/17 Female 2km

Ruby Shaw

U/19 Female Surf Race

Rebecca Selmon

Open Female Surf Race

Taylor Puskaric

Open Male Board Race

Noah Steiner

Open Female Taplin

Wanda Team B

Open Male Beach Sprint

James Karagiannis

U/19 Male Surf Boats

Wanda Sandbags

Male Reserve Grade Surf Boat

Wanda Wall

4TH PLACE (20)**U/15 Male Surf Team**

Wanda Team A

U/15 Female Board Relay

Wanda Team B

U/15 Male 2km

Alexander Romanos-Regas

U/17 Female Surf Race

Scarlet Cameron

U/17 Male Surf Race

Ben Sutton

U/17 Female Board Race

Tahlia Roja

U/17 Male Ski Race

Sam Hulbert

U/17 Female Iron Race

Charli Cash

U/17 Female Taplin

Wanda Team A

U/17 Male Taplin

Wanda

Open Female Surf Race

Carla Papac

Open Female Board Race

Carla Papac

Open Female Ski Race

Elyssa Pierce

Open Female Iron Race

Kaimana Fittock

Open Male Iron Race

Nathan Jay

Open Male Ski Relay

Wanda

Open Male 2x1km Relay

Wanda

U/23 Male Surf Boat

Wanda Weapons

U/15 Female Champion Lifesaver

Chelsea Sutton

U/17 Male Champion Lifesaver

Morgan Lloyd

5TH PLACE (10)**U/15 Female Board Race**

Chelsea Sutton

U/15 Female Surf Team

Wanda Team B

U/15 Female Beach Sprint

Tara Gentle

U/17 Male Surf Race

Morgan Lloyd

U/17 Female Board Race

Maya Dixon

U/17 Male Ski Race

Henri Carrera

Open Male Surf Race

Nathan Jay

Open Female Board Race

Elyssa Pierce

Open Female Iron Race

Elyssa Pierce

Open Mixed Beach Relay

Wanda

6TH PLACE (16)

U/15 Male Board Race

Joel Steiner

U/15 Female Cameron Relay

Wanda Team C

U/15 Male Cameron Relay

Wanda Team B

U/15 Female Beach Sprint

Jade Tattam

U/17 Female Surf Race

Charli Cash

U/17 Male Surf Race

Henri Carrera

U/17 Female Board Race

Charli Cash

U/17 Male Board Race

Ben Sutton

U/17 Female Ski Race

Zoe Jay

U/17 Female Iron Race

Scarlet Cameron

U/17 Male Iron Race

Ben Sutton

U/17 Female Beach Sprint

Tyler Coles

Open Female Surf Race

Hayley Rowlands

Open Female Board Race

Emily Eaves

Open Male Board Race

Nicholas Middleton

Open Male Champion

Lifesaver

Ian Manley



INTERCLUB POINTSCORE

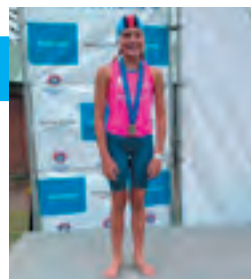
2020/2021 Bill Marshall Trophy

	Cronulla	North Cronulla	Elouera	Wanda
Harry Brown Shield	1	3	2	4
Cronulla SLSC Shield	1	3	2	4
Harry Gibbons Shield	1	4	2	3
Bill Gray Shield	2	3	1	4
R H Johnson Shield	1	2.5	2.5	4

BILL MARSHALL TROPHY	6	15.5	9.5	19
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CLUB CHAMPIONS 2021

		Female		Male
U15	1	India Hulbert	1	Kai Thatcher
	2	Tahli Christensen	2	Joel Steiner
	3	Elyssa Redrup	3	Jackson Middleton
U19	1	Kaimana Fittock	1	Sam Hulbert
	2	Tahlia Roja	2	Ben Sutton
	3	Logan Galea	3	Noah Steiner
Opens	1	Britney Pierce	1	Nathan Jay
	2	Taylor Puskaric	2	Kurt Stavrou
	3	Carla Papac	3	Morgan Lloyd



JAG RESULTS

JAG STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Swansea Belmont
25-28 February 2021

3rd Place with 195 points

GOLD (9)

U10 Male Surf Team

Max Bowmer, Benjamin Hibbs,
Kobi Mead, James Seidel

U11 Female Surf Race

Zara Zammit-Mayer

U11 Female Surf Team

Zara Zammit-Mayer, Zahri Lester,
Chloe McCormack, Kiani Johnson

U11 Male 1km Beach Run

Jackson Aungle

U11 Mixed Beach Relay

Kyah Gallen, Estelle Sorenson,
Liam Lakomy, Curren Taper

U12 Female Surf Team

Charlotte Bowmer, Tia Hale,
Jade Seidel, Sienna Mead

U14 Female Beach Sprint

Keira Vincent

U14 Female Beach Flags

Keira Vincent

U14 Female 2km Beach Run

Sienna Alderson

SILVER (10)

U9 Male Surf Team

Kobe Cash, Dashiell Lonergan,
Noah Sutton, Lachlan Dann

U10 Male Surf Race

Kobi Mead

U11 Male Surf Team

Max Christensen, Joshua Dann, Reef
Lewis, Riley Maskiell

U11 Female Ironperson

Zara Zammit-Mayer

U11 Female 1km Beach Run

Kyah Gallen

U12 Male Board Rescue

Beau Griggs & Austin Martinus

U12 Female Surf Race

Charlotte Bowmer

U13 Male 1km Beach Run

Kyle Mason

U13 Female Beach Sprint

Milla Coles

U14 Female Surf Team

Waverly Martinus, Elyssa Redrup,
Sienna Spaul, Jayda Zammit-Mayer

BRONZE (9)

U9 Male Beach Relay

Jed Cooper, Max Dzarasov,
James Henderson, Hunter McLean

U10 Male Board Race

Kobi Mead

U10 Male Board Relay

Jarrah Martinus, James Seidel,
Blake Spaul

U10 Mixed Beach Relay

Riley Creighton, Gabriella Edwards,
Eddy Liu, Alannah New

U11 Male Board Relay

Joshua Dann, Cooper Sutton,
Reef Lewis

U11 Male 1km Beach Run

Ryan Harris

U12 Mixed Cameron Relay

Beau Griggs, Charlotte Bowmer,
Jade Seidel

U13 Male Board Rescue

Ziggy Lester & Dane Sutton

U14 Female Board Rescue

Waverly Martinus & Elyssa Redrup

4TH PLACE (6)

U9 Female Surf Team

Maddelyn Cavanough, Tilly Teasal,
Jaime Paipa, Frankie Potauaine

U9 Female Beach Relay

Chloe Gallaway, Sophi Jokhan,
Emily Sentas, Sienna Lakomy

U11 Female Board Rescue

Zara Zammit-Mayer & Zahri Lester

U12 Male Ironperson

Beau Griggs

U12 Female Ironperson

Charlotte Bowmer

U12 Female Beach Relay

Zara De Carvalho, Rhanni Kanaar,
Abby Lovell-Ward, Isla New

5TH PLACE (14)

U10 Male Surf Race

Max Bowmer

U10 Female Board Relay

Andie Smith, Montana Smith,
Liesl Spinner

U10 Mixed Beach Relay

Ilva Bigatton, Anna Corbett,
Micah Jokhan, Owen Lovell-Ward

U11 Male Ironperson

Cooper Sutton

U11 Male Board Rescue

Joshua Dann & Riley Maskiell

U11 Mixed Beach Relay

Jackson Aungle, Penelle
Constantoulas, Ryan Harris,
Ella McGuinness

U12 Male Surf Race

Beau Griggs

U12 Female Ironperson

Sienna Mead

U12 Female Board Relay

Charlotte Bowmer, Tia Hale,
Jade Seidel

U12 Female Beach Flags

Zara De Carvalho

U13 Male Surf Team

Ziggy Lester, Otis Jessop,
Dane Sutton, Nathan Ricketts

U13 Female Board Relay

Zara Buckley, Eliza Dalglish,
Matea Saba

U14 Female Surf Race

Waverly Martinus

U14 Male 2km Beach Run

Emilio Biordi

6TH PLACE (9)

U9 Female Beach Flags

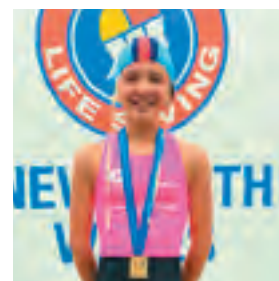
Sophia Jokhan

U10 Male Surf Race

Benjamin Hibbs

U10 Female Surf Team

Sophie Aungle, Juliet Saba,
Liesl Spinner, Andie Smith



RESULTS - JAG (CONTINUED)

U11 Female Board Relay

Zara Zammit-Mayer, Zahri Lester & Kiani Johnson

U12 Female Board Rescue

Charlotte Bowmer & Jade Seidel

U13 Male Board Relay

Ziggy Lester, Otis Jessop, Dane Sutton

U13 Male 1km Beach Run

William Thompson

U13 Female Beach Flags

Milla Coles

U13 Female 1km Beach Run

Adelaide Thompson

JAG INCLUSIVE STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Swansea Belmont
25-28 February 2021

GOLD (3)

Junior Male Wade

Mitchell Ting

Junior Male Swim

Felix Tran

Senior Male Board

Cooper Rowlands

SILVER (4)

Senior Male Swim

Cooper Rowlands

Junior Male Board

Felix Tran

Junior Male Beach Sprint

Mitchell Ting

Junior Male Flags

Felix Tran

BRONZE (2)

Junior Male Wade

Felix Tran

Junior Male Beach Sprint

Felix Tran

4TH PLACE (5)

Youth Male Wade

Dalton Rowlands

Junior Male Swim

Mitchell Ting

Youth Male Beach Sprint

Dalton Rowlands

Youth Male Flags

Dalton Rowlands

Junior Male Flags

Mitchell Ting

JAG SYDNEY BRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS

Maroubra Beach
30-31 January 2021

Placed 1st with 242 points

GOLD (17)

U11 Female Ironperson

Zara Zammit-Mayer

U11 Female Board Rescue

Zara Zammit-Mayer & Zahri Lester

U11 Female 1km Beach Run

Kyah Gallen

U11 Male Ironperson

Reef Lewis

U11 Male 1km Beach Run

Jackson Aungle

U12 Female Ironperson

Charlotte Bowmer

U12 Female Board Rescue

Charlotte Bowmer & Jade Seidel

U12 Male Ironperson

Beau Griggs

U13 Female Board Rescue

Eliza Dalglish & Zara Buckley

U13 Female Beach Sprint

Milla Coles

U13 Female Beach Flags

Milla Coles

U13 Male Board Rescue

Dane Sutton & Ziggy Lester

U13 Male 1km Beach Run

Kyle Mason

U14 Female Board Rescue

Waverly Martinus & Elyssa Redrup

U14 Female Beach Sprint

Keira Vincent

U14 Female Beach Flags

Keira Vincent

U14 Male Board Race

Kai Thatcher

SILVER (12)

U9 Female Beach Flags

Chloe Galloway

U9 Female Beach Relay

Chloe Galloway, Sophia Jokhan, Sienna Lakomy, Emily Sentas

U9 Male Beach Relay

Max Dzarasov, Kingston Merchant, Jed Cooper, James Henderson

U11 Female Ironperson

Zahri Lester

U11 Male Ironperson

Riley Maskiell

U11 Board Rescue

Reef Lewis & Cooper Sutton

U11 Male 1km Beach Run

Ryan Harris

U11 Mixed Relay

Kyah Gallen, Soffie Berry, Liam Lakomy, Curren Taper

U12 Male Board Rescue

Beau Griggs & Austin Martinus

U13 Female Ironperson

Eliza Dalglish

U13 Male Ironperson

Dane Sutton

U14 Mixed Beach Relay

Keira Vincent, Sienna Alderson, Hollie Adams, Emilio Biordi

BRONZE (6)

U12 Female Ironperson

Tia Hale



U13 Male Ironperson
Ziggy Lester

U13 Mixed Beach Relay
Milla Coles, Isla Jokhan,
Kyle Mason, Will Thompson

U14 Female Board Race
Elyssa Redrup

U14 Female Ironperson
Waverly Martinus

U14 Female 2km Beach Run
Sienna Alderson

4TH PLACE (11)

U9 Male Beach Flags
Hunter McLean

U10 Mixed Beach Relay
Gabriella Edwards, Alannah New,
Eddy Liu, Riley Creighton

U11 Male Ironperson
Joshua Dann

U11 Male Board Rescue
Joshua Dann & Riley Maskiell

U11 Mixed Beach Relay
Estelle Sorenson, Ella McGuinness,
Ryan Harris, Jackson Aungle

U12 Female Ironperson
Jade Seidel

U13 Female 1km Beach Run
Adelaide Thompson

U13 Male Ironperson
Otis Jessop

U14 Female Ironperson
Elyssa Redrup

U14 Male Surf Race
Kai Thatcher

U14 Male Board Rescue
Kai Thatcher & Jackson Middleton

5TH PLACE (10)

U10 Male Beach Flags
Eddy Liu

U11 Male Ironperson
Max Christensen

U12 Female Beach Relay
Zara De Carvalho, Audrey Tran,
Rhanni Kanaar, Isla New

U13 Female 1km Beach Run
Isla Jokhan

U13 Male Board Rescue
Otis Jessop & Nathan Ricketts

U14 Female Board Race
Jayda Zammit-Mayer

U14 Female Ironperson
Sienna Spaul

U14 Male Ironperson
Kai Thatcher

U14 Male Board Race
Jackson Middleton

U14 Male Board Rescue
Matias Soca & Dylan Porteous

6TH PLACE (8)

U10 Mixed Beach Relay
Ilva Biggaton, Anna Corbett, Micah
Jokhan, Owen Lovell-Ward

U11 Female Ironperson
Chloe McCormack

U12 Female Ironperson
Sienna Mead

U13 Male 1km Beach Run
William Thompson

U14 Female Board Race
Waverly Martinus

U14 Female Ironperson
Jayda Zammit-Mayer

U14 Male Surf Race
Hayden Watts

U14 Male Ironperson
Hayden Watts

JAG INCLUSIVE SYDNEY BRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS

Maroubra Beach
31 January 2021

GOLD (3)

Senior Male Beach Flags
Cooper Rowlands

Senior Male 250m Beach Run
Cooper Rowlands

Senior Male Beach Sprint
Cooper Rowlands

SILVER (2)

Junior Male Beach Sprint
Felix Tran

Junior Male Beach Flags
Mitchell Ting

BRONZE (3)

Junior Male Beach Sprint
Mitchell Ting

Junior Male Beach Flags
Felix Tran

Junior Male 250m Beach Run
Mitchell Ting

4TH PLACE (3)

Junior Male Beach Sprint
Dalton Rowlands

Junior Male Beach Flags
Dalton Rowlands

Junior Male 250m Beach Run
Dalton Rowlands

5TH PLACE (1)

Junior Male 250m Beach Run
Aidan Hanratty

6TH PLACE (2)

Junior Male Beach Sprint
Aidan Hanratty

Junior Male Beach Flags
Aidan Hanratty

LIFE MEMBERS (28)

Scott Allen •
 Gregory Allum AM ^
 Francis Bailey •
 Stephen Barrett •
 Michael Brannock ^
 Tait Brannock •
 Jeffrey Brown •
 Anthony Buckingham ^
 John Cadet ^
 Noel Cox ^
 Terry Dowers ^ †
 Trevor Elliott ^
 Michael Gibbs ^
 Rodney Hurst •
 Douglas Iredale •
 Colin Jones •
 John May ^
 Gordon McKirdy •
 Sean McKirdy •
 Robert Moffat ^
 Anita Pryke •
 Colin Ricketts •
 John Salmon OAM ^
 Mark Sargeant •
 Ronald Smith ^
 Ernest Stephens OAM ^
 Leslie Townsend •
 Albany Vial ^

**LIFE MEMBERS
JAG (9)**

Donna Brown
 Jeffrey Brown •
 John Douglas •
 Mark Howden
 Robyn Lester
 Dean McMahon
 David Mullinger ^
 Kenneth Smith
 James Traves •

**LIFE MEMBERS
LADIES AUXILIARY (8)**

Ann Ainsworth ^
 Susan Backhouse
 Sue Brannock
 Noelene Caesar • †
 Judith Hunter •
 Beryl Iredale ^
 Lynette Robbins
 Wendy Sandstrom ^

**DISTINGUISHED
SERVICE MEMBERS (4)**

Gary Bradshaw
 Anne Caterson
 John Douglas •
 Christopher Fox

**LONG SERVICE
OVER 50 YEARS (30)**

Bruce Bagnall
 James Baker
 Ronald Burmeister
 Robert Cane
 David Clelland Snr †
 Kenneth Davidson
 Michael De Luca
 Malcolm Dickey
 Michael Georgaris
 Richard Grills
 Rodney Holdsworth
 Brian R. Jackson
 Walter Kirsop AM
 Ross Maloney
 John Masters
 Trevor Mathews
 Patrick J McDonald
 Bruce McKirdy
 John McLean
 Brian Nobbs
 William Prestage
 Stephen Pynsent
 Robert Spence
 Alan Steege
 Robert Steege
 William Stubbs
 Phillip Turnbull
 Gordon Williams
 Kenneth Wilson
 Geoffrey Youngg

**LONG SERVICE
OVER 25 YEARS (32)**

Garry Baker
 Glenn Bell
 Peter Bitmead
 Paul Buttel
 Jock Campbell
 David Clelland
 Phillip Clelland
 Ian Coates
 John De Cean OAM
 Robert Dews
 Brock Douglas
 Allan Driscoll
 Stephen Driscoll
 Stuart Dutton

Raymond Farley
 John Georgaris
 David Hunt
 Christopher Iredale
 Karin Jones
 Michael Kay
 Alan Kentwell
 John Kentwell
 Brendan MacAlpine
 Anthony McAuliffe
 Brian Newell
 Brent Robbins
 Grant Sandstrom
 Richard Smith
 Katie Spinner
 Nathan Steiner
 Gavin Stewart
 Paul White

**LONG SERVICE
UNDER 25 YEARS (50)**

Chris Allum OAM
 Hayden Allum
 Kathleen Allum
 Mitchell Allum
 Jason Ardler
 Dean Blanche
 Benjamin Bolewski
 Joel Bolewski
 Greer Calabro
 Mark Cameron
 Donna Cox
 Jake Dalley
 Andrew de Vries
 Andrew Evans
 Kathleen Fox
 Nicholas J Fox
 Susan Fox
 Michael Jnr Georgaris
 Paul Georgaris
 Martin Hunter
 Christopher Kilmurray
 Andrew Lawson
 Tim Lee
 Ian Manley
 Brian Mayoh
 Blake McCrindle
 David McGrath
 Timothy McLaren OAM
 Michael Mead
 Kurt Melville
 Peter Meyer
 Matthew Peterie
 Cameron Pyett
 Brenton Rose
 Bradley Royall
 Margaret Ryall

Troy Ryan
 Michaela Sargeant
 Andrew Sharp
 Ryan Shelley
 James Sherratt
 Nathan Smith
 Ross Smith
 Stuart Smith
 Nathan Spinner
 Nathan Stewart
 Luke Turner
 Ian Wallace
 Matthew Waugh
 John Woods

**AUXILIARY
COMMITTEE (10)**

Beryl Driscoll
 Rhonda Fox
 Marilyn Holdsworth
 Suzanne Hughes
 Joan Magee
 Norma McDonald
 Lorraine Steer
 Denise Strong
 Janice Vial •
 Beverly Walker •

ACTIVE 18+ (187)

Greg Alderson
 Joanna Axiotis
 Peter Axiotis
 Sam Axiotis
 Matthew Beard
 Kurt Benson
 Clayton Beranek
 Ryan Bevirt
 Lachlan Black
 Guy Bland
 Michael Bonnici
 Tracy Booth
 Benjamin Brown
 John Brown
 Adam Buckley
 Jed Buckley
 Natalie Buckley
 Sean Buckley
 Timothy Burke
 Jack Butler
 Eva Buzo
 Karen Byron
 Gerard Cafe
 Liam Callinan
 Melissa Campbell
 Eloise Cantlon
 Peter Carr

Cherie Carrera
 Sophie Castro
 Emily Caterson
 scott Clancy
 Tom Colquhoun
 Isabella Conroy
 Michael Conroy
 Georgia Craig
 Lachlan Crawford
 William Cregan
 Joshua Crowther
 Christopher Dann
 Peter-James Daras
 Jonathan Dimitriou
 Riley Dixon
 Fiona Djapouras
 Lara Djapouras
 Stephen Doran
 Boden Dredge
 Wesley Dredge
 Jaycob Duggan
 Mark Dunham
 Annika Durante
 Emily Eaves
 Simon Edwards
 Joshua Fernandes
 Kaimana Fittock
 Michael Fox
 Christopher Fraser
 Chloe Gentle
 Santi Goffet
 Brayden Gossling
 Amy Grice
 Beau Grimley
 David Gumley
 Casey Hadfield
 Peter Hadfield OAM
 Caitlin Hammond
 Kai Hammond
 Sorrell Handforth
 Brody Hannan
 Henry Harding
 Benjamin Harris
 James Hoare
 Yvonne Holland
 Joe Isaacs
 Nathan JAY
 Pippa Jokhan
 Ray Jokhan
 David Jones
 Jack Kaladelfos
 James Karagiannis
 Jack Kenning
 Stephanie Kentwell
 Mark Lake
 Todd Lester
 Matthew Lewis

Mark Lloyd
Mollie Lombo
Gregg Mackinder
Colin Martin
Deidre McCarthy
Conor McGrath
Mark McGuinness
Todd McLachlan
Danielle McMahon
Dean McMahon
Virginia McMahon
Gary McNamara
Darryl Melvin
Nicholas Middleton
Lane Miller
Jayden Morgan
Brooke Mulley
Jason Murray
Ali Najem
Rochelle Natoli
Adam New
Tyler Nott
Charles Nowacki
Cromwell Ollivier
Rob Paipa
Carla Papac
Amelia Parry
Blake Paton
Joel Paton
Matt Pearce
Matthew P.
Matthew Pescud
Jessie Phelps
Britney Pierce
Elyssa Pierce
Chanel Pocklington
Brett Porteous
Jack Porter
Jeff Potauaine
Taylar Puskaric
Bradley Querzoli
Callum Redrup
Timothy Reece
Myfanwy Rees
Brett Richardson
Taylor Richardson
Zachary Roja
Finn Ross
Karen Ross
Mia Ross
Chloe Rowan
Denny Rowlands
Luis Rudenas
Chelsea Ryan
Fernando Saldana
George Sarlas
Rebecca Selmon

Georgia Sinclair
Dean Slater
Ethan Sly
Adam Smith
Danial Smith
Harriet Smith
Izaak Smith
Jamee Smith
Kenneth Smith
Gabriel Soca
Rachel Sothern
Louise Southwell
Glen Spaul
Justine Spencer
Lachlan Spencer
Jack Spooner
Joanna Stavrou
Kurt Stavrou
Steve Stavrou
Haralumboss Stivactas
Virginia Sullivan
Mikaela Sutherland
Fiona Sutton
Scott Sutton
Garth Teasel
Brett Thatcher
Brooke Thatcher
Rob Thompson
Jesse Thus
Stephen Trembath
Marnie Vimpany
Kaylene Walker
Drew Walsh
Courtney Jae Warn
Kiera Warn
Patrick Warn
Glen Watson
Jack Watson
Nicole Watson
Graeme Waugh
Troy Weston
John Wilde
Andrew Woodley
Graeme Wright
Therese Yim Lo
Thomas Young

ACTIVE 15-18 (57)

Taylor Allan
Evan Athanassiou
Liam Athanassiou
Zach Baratta
Brooklyn Berry
Aedan Bonar
Max Buckley
Scarlet Cameron
Henri Carrera

Charli Cash
Lachlan Cole
Zach Coles
Tyler Coles
Hanah Dalglish
Maya DIXON
Dane Djapouras
Noah Doran
Thomas Foote
Logan Galea
Thomas Gentle
Sohan Geronimo
Talia Goffet
Sam Hulbert
Toby Hummerston
Zoe JAY
Christie Kannengiesser
Isabella Kotis
Aaron LAKE
Zara Lammers
Morgan Lloyd
Jasper McCullagh
Lucy McGrath
Ella McLachlan
Harry McNamara
Kaitlyn Middleton
Harrison Pal
Anton Park
Caitlin Parkinson
Flynn Payne
Buster Picken
Riley Porteous
Tahlia Roja
Alexander Romanos-Regas
Hayley Rowlands
Ruby Shaw
Hennessy Simon
Olivia Soca
Noah Steiner
Jake Sullivan
Benjamin Sutton
Joshua Tattam
Jade Tattam
Teagan Thatcher
Charlie Trewin
Landen Walker
Fletcher Warn
Taj Wicks

RESERVE ACTIVE (3)

Geoffrey Considine
Lara Hughes
Mitchell Palmer

CADET 13-15 (18)

Ava Cahill
Lily Cameron
Tahli Christensen
Isabella Cox
Alita Crossley
Eden Djapouras
Connor Fitzgerald
Tara Gentle
Bronte Goodman
Max Harrington
India Hulbert
Violet Keelan
Marianna (Ara) Kotsis
Mitchell Langley
Dane Mitchell
Milly Pollock
Joel Steiner
Chelsea Sutton

AWARD (18)

Tracey Christensen
Marilyn Georgaris
Paula George
Tracey Green
Narelle Hunt
Stan Hyasatt
Jeanie Iredale
Larry Leabeater
Tim Mayo
Vanessa McKirdy
Kate Mountain
Nadine New
Mary O'Dwyer
Greg Pierce
Nikki Teasel
Jann Townsend
Benjamin Vincent
Steven Winner

ASSOCIATE (123)

Anthony Adams
Kim Alexander
Kristen Allen
Melissa Allen
Colin Arnold
Justin Baratta
Raymond Berrey
Karen Bonar
Grant Bowmer
Mairead Brannock
Matthew Brennan
Annette Brown
Roger Bullman
Damien Cavanough
Rhys Christensen

Glenn Colaco
Karl Colaco
Andrew Cole
Martin Cole
Stephen Coles
Sharon Collier
Mahdi Connerton
Peter Cullen
Les Davidson
Gary Davison
Chris Dixon
David Dixon
Shannon Dixon
Tim Downs
Mark Fahey
Todd Fisher
Paul Fox
Mark Gasnier
Wayne Gentle
Roger Gilbert
David Gittus
Brian Hall
Neil Hallinan
Peter Hannan
Karen Hardie
Lorraine Harper-Horak
Morgan Harris
Bradney Harris
Larry Hawke
Glenn Hayward
John Hick
Tony Holland
Joel Hollis
Todd Hulbert
Glenn Hunter
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Tyson Gilbert
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Kiani Johnson
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Zahri Lester
Ziggy Lester
Zoey Lester
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Reef Lewis
Kai Lim-Mcdonald
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Oliver Lloyd
Alivia Lo
Oscar Lo
Alexander Lock
Elizabeth Lock
Braxton Logan
Fleur Lonergan
Dashiell Lonergan
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Ryland Mcilwaine
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Sunny Spurrier
Koby Srougi
Billy John Srougi
Eliza Stafford
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Will Steiner
Oden Steinhauer
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Dane Sutton
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Maxwell Symonds
Curren Taper
Orlando Tauta
Harrison Taylor
Henry Taylor
Hugh Teasel
Tilly Teasel

Darcy Teasel
Kai Thatcher
Eva Theodorou
George Theodorou
August Thompson
Adelaide Thompson
William Thompson
Lucas Ting
Mitchell Ting
Bridget Tink
Emily Tink
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Siena Tognolini
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Eilan Wallace
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Brooklyn Wardle
Mia Wardle
Abbie Warn
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Zayn Wooldridge
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LIFE MEMBER INTERNATIONAL LIFE SAVING

Greg Allum AM - Grand Knight in the Order of Life Saving

LIFE MEMBER OF SURF LIFE SAVING AUSTRALIA

Greg Allum AM, Ernest Stephens OAM

LIFE MEMBER OF SURF LIFESAVING NEW SOUTH WALES

Trevor Elliott, Ernest Stephens OAM, Greg Allum AM, John C. De Cean OAM

LIFE MEMBERS SURF LIFESAVING SYDNEY

Trevor Elliott, Ernest Stephens OAM, John C. De Cean OAM, Greg Allum AM

INTERNATIONAL LIFESAVING FEDERATION OFFICERS

Greg Allum AM - Member, ILS Sports Commission, Greg Allum AM – Chair, Sport Regulations Committee

SURF LIFE SAVING AUSTRALIA

Greg Allum AM - National Sport Technical Adviser, Greg Allum AM – Member, Sport Advisory Committee, Greg Allum AM – Member, Australian Championships Organising and Competition Committee

SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY

John C. De Cean OAM - Life Membership Committee, Greg Allum AM - Surf Sports Adviser, Michael Bonnici – WH+S Officer, Mikaela Sutherland – Youth Development Officer, Brooke Thatcher - Assistant Competition Manager, Brooke Thatcher – Competition Selection Committee

MEMBERS OF SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY

Greg Allum AM, Glenn Bell, Michael Brannock, Donna Brown, Jeff Brown, Robert Cane, John C. De Cean OAM, Stephen Doran, Brock Douglas, John Douglas, Shane Ewings, John Georgaris, Paula George, Tracey Green, Joanne Handforth, Rod Holdsworth, Tony Holland, Yvonne Holland, Cassandra Kotsis, Paul Kotsis, Tim Mayo, Gordon McKirdy, Virginia McMahon, Gary McNamara, Jasmin Peake, Greg Pierce, Anita Pryke, Col Ricketts, Karen Ross, Ken Smith, Louise Southwell, Steve Stavrou, Ernest Stephens OAM, Brooke Thatcher

CRONULLA SUTHERLAND DISTRICT COUNCIL

District Council – John C. De Cean OAM, Anita Pryke, Michael Bonnici, Anne Caterson, Nathan Spinner, Todd Lester

Cook Classic Organising Committee – Anita Pryke, Greg Allum AM

BIRTHS, DEATHS & MARRIAGES

ENGAGEMENTS

Congratulations to the following couples on their engagement:

Hayden Allum and Megan Coffey

BIRTHS

Congratulations to the parents and their families:

Glen and Alexandria Kuhn – Daughter Harley Thea Kuhn, Sister to Pricilla and Zac, Granddaughter to Annabelle Thomas

Stuart and Stephanie Smith – Son Laurie, Brother to Bronte.

Kurt and Maree Melville – Daughter Margot Florence, Sister to Ted.

Colin and Karin Jones – Granddaughter Magnolia.

David Gittus – Granddaughter Ella Elizabeth Jane.

Hayden Allum and Megan Coffey - Daughter Florence, Granddaughter to Greg and Patricia Allum, Niece to Chris Allum and Kate Morris.

Mitchell Allum and Bianca Flanagan – Son, Lennox.

Jeff (Charlie) and Donna Brown - Grandson Kai Thomas Brown

Steve and Jaimee Winner - Daughter Cove, sister to Reef

OBITUARIES

Our deepest sympathies go out to the families and friends of the following people who have passed away this season.

Cynthia Baker – wife of 50 Year Long Service Member Jimmy Baker (Reffo).

David Clelland Senior – Foundation Committee Member and Life Member of Wanda Junior Surf Life Saving Club - The Bluebottles and an over 50 Year Long Service Member

Cheryl Cane – wife of Bob “Smokey” Cane 50 Year Long Service member.

Terry Dowers “The Dog” – Life Member, 50 Year Long Service Member

Garry Greenhalgh – husband of Kim Alexander

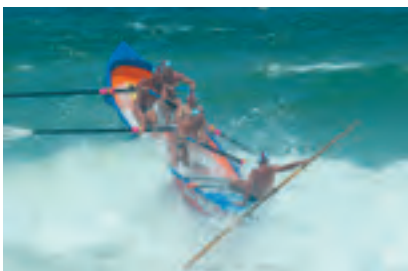
Mrs Margaret Kirsop - wife of 50 year Long Service member Tom (Walter) Kirsop.

Noel Heffernan – Grandfather of Bradley Querzoli

Judith Turnbull – wife of Phil Turnbull 50 Year Long Service Member.

Josie Bailey - Mother to Life Member Frank Bailey

VALES



Terry “the Dog” Dowers

Terry started rowing surfboats at Wanda in 1963.

For 6 consecutive seasons between 1966-1972 Terry rowed in Wanda's

A crew, with a best placing of 2nd place in the open boat National championship. Terry was also Wanda boat Captain for these 6 years.

After 9 years travelling abroad, Terry returned to the Wanda boat captain role in 1981 and through to 1986 he oversaw another successful period for the club. Terry became life member of Wanda in 1989.

From 1986 through until about 1995 Terry was the head coach at the St George Rowing club. He became life member of St George rowing club in the late 1990s.

Back at Wanda a particularly successful stint in the early 2000s Terry's coaching and leadership accrued 3 golds, 1 Silver and 1 bronze Australian medal. Terry was boat captain at Wanda for 15 years in total.

The bulk of the last ten years of Terry's surf club involvement was based at North Cronulla where he continued to help coaching many crews for as long as it was possible.

RIP Terry.



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PATROL CAPTAINS

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| 1 Denny Rowlands | 7 Ben Harris |
| 2 Mikaela Sutherland | 8 Harry Stivactas/Natalie Buckley |
| 3 Brad Querzoli/Conor McGrath | 9 Elyssa Pierce |
| 4 Jon Dimitriou | 10 Mick Conroy |
| 5 Michael Bonnici | 11 Anita Pryke/Yvonne Holland |
| 6 Gerard Cafe | 12 Ken Smith |
| | 13 Troy Weston/Natalie Buckley |





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