



ANNUAL REPORT 2023/24 SEASON

OUR CHARITABLE PURPOSE

The following objectives of the Club are taken from the Collaroy SLSC Statement of Objects & Rules (2022 version):

- 1. To provide Life Saving patrols upon Collaroy Beach in the Local Government Area of Northern Beaches (or upon such other beaches, reserves or public areas as the Committee may from time to time determine) for the protection and safety of swimmers, surfers, and members of the public generally and to assist Northern Beaches Council and other public or semipublic bodies in respect of such matters.
- 2. To foster support, teach and encourage Surf Lifesaving, resuscitation and first aid techniques to Club members and members of the public in accordance with the principles and guidelines from time to time published by the Surf Life Saving Australia (hereinafter called "SLSA") and to the standards required by SLSA for the various lifesaving awards from time to time issued by SLSA.
- 3. To foster support, teach and encourage surf safety, swimming, water sports and water safety.
- 4. To conduct and participate in inter-club races, carnivals and championships with such other clubs or associations (whether affiliated with SLSA or not) as the Committee may from time to time determine.
- 5. To affiliate with SLSA or such other association or body from time to time responsible for the administration of Surf Life Saving in Australia and with such similar State and/or District Associations as may be necessary or considered desirable by the Committee.
- 6. To arrange youth activities and functions for members.

Collaroy SLSC's focus is to continue to support our club and local community to provide essential education and lifesaving services to all who visit our beach









COLLAROY SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC

Founded 1911

Annual Report and Financial Statements 2023 - 2024 113 years of Service to the Community

Notice is hereby given that the one hundred and twelfth Annual General Meeting of the members of the

Club will be held at the Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club on Sunday, 4th August 2024 at 11.00am.

BUSINESS:

- The adoption of the minutes of the one hundred and eleventh Annual General Meeting held on Sunday, 6th August 2023.
- Presentation and adoption of the Financial Statements for the Season 2023 – 2024.
- Presentation and adoption of the Annual Report for the Season 2023 2024.
- · Member Awards
- Election of office bearers and general committee members for the Season 2024 – 2025.
- · General Business.

Andrew Sole Honorary Secretary

CAPTIONS:

Front Cover:

Ladies March Past, Australian Champions

Inside Front Cover:

Patrols

NSW IRB Round 1

Weekend at the Roy

Anzac Day Dusk Service

Inside Back Cover:

The Oysters

Masters Beach
Australian Medalists

Collaroy Comebacks

Nippers Christmas Gift Collection

U23 & U19 Female Surf Boat Australian Silver Medalists

Back Cover:

"Gone but never forgotten"

CLUB OFFICIALS 2023 - 2024

President:

Mark Anderson

Vice President:

Liz Green

Club Captain:

Jesse Bowyer

JAC 'Nipper' Chair:

Craig Thomas

Honorary Secretary:

Andrew Sole

Honorary Treasurer:

Stuart Spencer

General Committee Members:

Neil Armstrong, Martin Bowyer,
Nicole Bridges, Greg Broome, Ben
Crabbe, Brendan Dunkin, Bailey Dwyer,
Janine Fahey, Tricia Hamilton, Sue Hart,
Luke Hochkins, Charlie Jormanainen,
Jess Layton, Tim Loone, Jan Lysaght,
Greg MacMahon, Peter MacMahon,
Gary Milsted, Barry Muncke, Geoff Small,
Tyler Stowe, Kelly Trim

Board and Ski Captain:

Not filled

Beach Captain:

Not filled

Boat Captain:

Jess Layton

Club Registrar:

Janine Fahey

Competition Director:

Janine Fahey

Chief Training Officer:

Greg MacMahon

Venue Manager:

Luke Hochkins

IRB Captain:

Charlie Jormanainen

Radio Officer:

Greg MacMahon

R&R Liaison:

Nicole Bridges

Sponsorship Officer:

Barry Muncke

First Aid Officer:

Jan Lysaght

March Past Captain:

Tim Loone

Competitors Support Committee:

Bailey Dwyer, Charlie Jormanainen, Geoff Small, Kelly Trim

Constitution Committee:

Mark Anderson (Chair), Gerry Cooney (Secretary), Janine Fahey, Graham Hart, Greg MacMahon, Peter MacMahon, Tara Sole

Expenditure Review Committee:

David Macintosh AM (Chair), Paul Ducker, Ray Isaacs, Neil McDowell

Karen McKie

Life Membership Committee:

Kenyon McKie (Chair), Geoff Small (Secretary), Jacqui de Kort, Peter MacMahon, Martin Bowyer

Meritorious Awards Committee:

Mark Anderson (Chair), Andrew Sole (Secretary), Greg Broome, Janine Fahey, Liz Green, Charlie Jormanainen, Peter MacMahon, Geoff Small

Officials Support Committee:

Janine Fahey, Liz Green, Peter MacMahon

Premises Committee:

Geoff Small (Chair), Gerry Cooney (Secretary), Greg Broome, Brendan Dunkin, Tricia Hamilton, Graham Hart, Rob Maloney, Doug Patrick, Tyler Stowe

Annual Report Committee:

Andrew Sole (Chair), Mark Anderson, Greg Broome, Janine Fahey, Greg MacMahon, Tara Sole, Stuart Spencer

History Committee:

Janine Fahey, Geoff Small, Andrew Sole

Junior Activities Committee Chair:

Craig Thomas

Vice Chairman:

Andrew Mathie

Secretary:

Steff Doney

Treasurer:

Amy Cooke

Registrars:

Janine Fahey, Shevaun Ferrier,

Darren Viskovich

Carnival Coordinators:

Amanda Kew and Jackie King

Communications Coordinator:

Phill Senn

Senior Club Delegate:

Ben Crabbe

Gear Steward:

Ben Crabbe

Clothing Coordinator:

Lauren Berry

BBQ Coordinators:

Josh Doney and Mitch Bridges,

General Nipper Committee:

Gregg Armstrong, Lauren Armstrong, Matt Bealey, Danny Blackwell, Chris Blatchford, Donna Blatchford, Sharon Bosward, Nicole Bridges, Alistair Chapman, Luke Geerke, Dean Harris, Glenn Langley, Andrew Mathie, Blake White

Auditor:

Jack McCann McCann Accounting Pty Ltd

Honorary Solicitor:

Paul Armstrong

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Honorary Photographer:

Bill Sheridan

Honorary Medical Officer:

Dr Michael Armstrong OAM

Honorary Chaplain:

The Reverend John Butterworth



SECRETARY'S REPORT

On behalf of the Executive and General Committee, I am pleased to present the 113th Annual Report for your consideration and adoption.

This report documents the activities of the Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club Inc. for the 2023-2024 Season and includes the Audited Financial Statement and Balance Sheet for the year ended 30th April 2024.

The last Annual General Meeting was held on 6th August 2023. Members of the Executive elected were Mark Anderson, Jesse Bowyer, Liz Green, Stuart Spencer, Andrew Sole and Craig Thomas.

Patrols

Patrols were again diligent on the beach and congratulations to all patrolling members for maintaining a safe beach this season. There were a few major incidents/rescues to which the patrols involved responded and managed admirably.

The club received a welcome new patrol side-by-side vehicle (SSV) this season, the first electric patrol SSV in Australia.

Competition

R&R returned with a team for competition this season, and the March past and boat sections were both strongly represented with competitors enjoying success at local carnivals, Branch and State Championships (held in the Northern Beaches at Newport and Queenscliff respectively).

The Crusaders were selected as NSW representatives, and Cannons drafted as Tasmania's representative crew in the

Interstate Boats carnival.

The Australian Titles were conducted on the Sunshine Coast, Queensland, this season. A sizeable touring team travelled north and enjoyed some success across the events contested. The results of this season's carnivals are presented later in the report. Congratulations to all who competed.

Club

The Ocean Swim event was run successfully in November, with weather and surf being kind to competitors.

In January, Collaroy hosted a two-day "Weekend @ The Roy" carnival, adding R&R and March past events to the annual Collaroy Young Guns carnival. The event was a great success for all involved. The event was voted "Round of the Year by the SNB Boat fraternity. Planning is already underway for improvements for next season's weekend spectacular.

The club was also fortunate to be visited by the "Old Mates - Gone but Never Forgotten" surf boat – an initiative from Coolum to remember passed rowers.

Branch/State Involvement

Collaroy also hosted the first round of the State IRB Premiership (last hosted in 2014) over a busy weekend in early May, with the inclement weather whipping up testing surf. Congratulations to all who supported this major event. The work of the many volunteers across the weekend contributed to the success.

Collaroy members also continue to support Sydney Northern Beaches Branch through BOEA and BOSS committees and



panels, Support Operations on RWC and Duty Officer roles, and the TIPS program.

Community Service

Our core community service is conducted from September through to April, via our core business of patrol teams on the beach.

The Club supported community service events during the year, including the Beach2Beach, Anzac Day Dusk Service and the Head Above Water 24 Hours Swim event.

All in all, another very busy and fruitful year of continued community support.

Functions

Our annual Golf Day was held on 5 January and the Annual Life and Distinguished Service Members' Luncheon held on 28 April, with both being well attended.

Function patronage throughout the year continues to provide a useful revenue stream to fund club endeavours.

Regular Sunday sippers also saw the bar opened to a varied attendance, but always with a great view over the beach and water.

Well done to Venue Team for their support in managing the Collaroy SLSC venue and bar.

Nippers

Our junior members have had another great season, again dealing with mixed conditions that Collaroy serves on Sundays. Detailed age reports are included. They have been successful at

Branch carnivals and at the State Age Titles held at Queenscliff beach

Christmas Nippers is always a great spectacle, and a great way to highlight the family nature of the club. The Nippers Christmas initiative of a toy appeal for the less fortunate was again successful, with a collection of donated gifts presented the Children's Hospital. To Craig and his Committee, congratulations again on a great year.

Sponsorship

The club has been fortunate to retain existing and secure new, valuable sponsorship during the last season. Thanks are extended to the Sponsorship team for their dedicated, industrious work in realising sponsorship and grants, and the generous benefactors that fund a variety of club endeavours. This season's sponsors are listed later in the report. Please support them when you can.

Conclusion

Thank you to the Executive and the various club committees for their support and hard work, often behind the scenes, in what has been another successful season on and off the beach.

To the broad membership that supports patrols, competition as competitors, officials, coaches and supporters, thank you for carrying on the proud tradition of representing Collaroy with distinction.

Thank you.

Andrew Sole Honorary Secretary

AUSTRALIAN HONOURS

NATIONAL MEDAL

The National Medal was established by the Commonwealth of Australia in 1975 as one of the original elements of the distinctive Australian system of honours and awards.

The National Medal is Australia's most awarded civilian medal. It recognises long and diligent service by members of recognised government and voluntary organisations that risk their lives or safety to protect or assist the community.

The following members were recognised for their service under the Australian Honours system.

Doug Patrick & Clive Thompson



LIFE MEMBERSHIP

Mark Reece



Mark Reece joined the Collaroy Surf Club as a cadet in the 1975/76 season obtaining his Surf Life Saving Certificate and becoming a member of the Board and Ski Team.

He qualified for his Bronze Medallion in December 1978. Two years later he switched from the craft to the boat arena, where he has enjoyed three decades of committed involvement mixed with an ample amount of competition success.

Over the years as a rower and more lately as a boat sweep, Mark has won numerous medals of all three colours at Branch, New South Wales State, Sydney Metropolitan and Australian Championships. He competed with distinction in the boat arena at the 1988 World Titles held at Southport Beach, Queensland.

Perhaps if we were to pinpoint a highlight or two on Marks' competitive resume, it would be his two Australian Championship Gold Medals, rowing with his mates at the 1984 and 1985 titles.

Here follows a list of Mark's achievements / awards to date:

- · Most Improved Member 1978
- General Committee Member 1970 with the position of Competition Director
- Most Outstanding Member 1982
- Distinguished Service Membership awarded 1997
- Club Boat Captain 1997 / 1999 and 2018 / 2019
- Member of Collaroys Premiership winning Beach Football Team in 1984
- Over the years Mark has obtained twelve Surf Lifesaving Awards, covering all aspects of water and beach safety within our movement.
- Mark regularly patrols and is a qualified, active I.R.B. driver
- Awarded Dick Twight Pursuit of Excellence for the 2021 / 2022 season.
- Season 2021 / 2022 also saw his U19 Ladies Boat Crew, The Flames, awarded the most outstanding

- team in competition perhaps their Bronze Medal at that year's Aussies contributed to this recognition.
- Mark has been awarded the S.L.S.A.
 25-year National Patrol Service Award and the 40-year Long Service Award.

Since returning in 2013 after his tenyear hiatus from rowing to raise a family, Mark has become an accomplished and respected boat sweep. His speciality is in nurturing young crews in the art and skills of boat rowing, their development and training.

His philosophy is to encourage his young charges in all aspects of surf lifesaving and the surf club in general. He leads by example with his involvement in all aspects of water and beach safety.

His training and leadership are evident with younger crews becoming involved in the General Committee, sub-committees and as Patrol Captains on the beach.

Mark was recognised earlier this season at the commencement of competition during November, for his almost fifty-years' service, with our latest surf boat named in his honour – *The Mark (Reecie) Reece.*



Kerry Armstrong, Craig Thomas, Robyn Hill

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEMBERSHIP

Three members were awarded Distinguished Membership at the 2023 AGM.

Kerry Armstrong

Kerry joined the Collaroy Surf Lifesaving Club as an associate member in 2001, immediately becoming a member of the Club's Social Committee under the guidance of Karen McKie. Her first official function was the Club's 90th Birthday Celebrations in October 2001.

Some 22 years later, without a break and with little fuss, where possible Kerry has since assisted at every major function or event hosted at Collaroy. She was a Team Leader for the clubs successful U19 tour to New Zealand in 2005.

Six years later, on January 12th 2007, Kerry took the plunge and obtained her Bronze Medallion, thus enabling her to commence patrolling duties. Sixteen years later, Kerry is still an active patrolling member on rostered and voluntary patrols. Kerry joined the beach team during the 2007 / 2008 season and, over the years, has had and continues to enjoy, success at the highest level of Masters' Competition in 1km distance run, beach sprint, flags and relay events. These efforts have resulted in her being voted the Club's Most Outstanding Beach Competitor on four occasions - 2017, 2019, 2021 and 2022.

In 2002, Kerrie joined the Ladies' March Past Team, which has seen success at all levels. Such is her commitment that 21 years later, she still enjoys that discipline and the camaraderie the ladies share.

Kerry's efforts in competition over the above-mentioned events at Branch, State and Australian level have been rewarded with 133 medals in both Open and Masters competition –

32 at Australian Championships including 12 Gold

38 at State Championships including 13 Gold

63 at Branch Championships including 27 Gold

Kerry continues to provide guidance and advice to many members, especially those within the masters' ranks with both mentoring and coaching. Never one to seek personal accolade, her endeavours as detailed provide the basis for the honour of Distinguished Service Award of the Collaroy Surf Lifesaving Club.

Robyn Hill

Robyn has been a loyal member at Collaroy from the 1991/92 Season to the 2022/23 Season except for four years which included the births of her first two children during the 2005/6 to 2007/8 Seasons (Marley in September 2006, Leo in January 2008). Lulu was born in January 2010 and by

then Robyn had returned to service and competition at the Club. Robyn competed at the East Coast Masters just six weeks after Lulu was born.

Robyn has represented the Club in R&R, IRB, Pool Championships, Swim, Board, Ski, Ironman, Tube, Sprint and Flags. She has enjoyed success in all disciplines and across open and masters' competition, winning medals of all colours at Branch, State, Australian, and international competition in New Zealand. She was a member of the R&R teams that won our first State and Australian medals.

She has served on the Committee, as general committee, Chief Instructor and Race Secretary, has represented Branch and always been a loyal member. Despite the family living overseas for several years she kept up her membership and re-joined the Committee on her return.

While being a Long Service member and not obliged to patrol, Robyn is rostered on full patrols at Collaroy. Both she and her husband Sigi, and now all three children actively patrol at Collaroy.

Robyn has always been enthusiastic about competition, particularly trying to invigorate our own Club competition days. She was instrumental in reviving the Club's Masters competitors and for a few years we had a very strong Masters' team. In the 2012/13

Season, the Siggy and Robyn Hill Competitor Inspiration Award was instigated to assist competing members who are studying. The Award pays the recipient's membership fees for two Seasons.

Craig Thomas

Like many parents, Craig joined Collaroy to support his daughter Sophia, at the commencement of the 2008/09 summer season, when she joined the JAB (Nipper) ranks. Enjoying the Nipper environment, and not one to stand around, Craig initially became a Nipper Associate Member.

In 2009, Craig joined the Nipper Committee, and the same year gained his Bronze Medallion, immediately becoming an Age Manager. This he did right through the age groupings to 2015 when Sophia joined the Senior Section of the Club. In 2018/19 he was to repeat the 9-year age grouping cycle when his son, Ethan, joined the club.

2012/13 saw Craig become Nipper delegate to the General Committee, a role he filled for 7 years. From 2015 to 2018 (4 years) he was the Nipper Vice- Chairman. In 2019 he took on the important role of Chairman of the Nipper Committee- which some 4 years later Craig is still fulfilling. By virtue of his Chairman's position, Craig is an important member of the Club's 6-person Executive Committee.

His general committee participation comprises 11 continuous years and 12 years on the Nipper Committee.

Over the years Craig has obtained many SLSA awards pertaining to beach management, safety, first aid and various levels of surf awareness.

At the 2020 club presentation evening, Craig was awarded the President's Trophy in recognition for his contribution to the wellbeing of the Club.

Since 2014 his company, A.J. Aluminium, has become a respected sponsor of the club.

Craig has achieved a lot in his time in the club. Not only has he been a very solid contributing Committee person at both Nipper and General club levels, he has been an invaluable help to the clubs Premises Committee both as a sounding board with his metal working skills and with any aluminium and metal work repairs required throughout our surf club building.

BRANCH SERVICE AWARDS

The following members were recognised for their services at the 2023/24 Sydney Northern Beaches Branch Awards of Excellence, June 2024.

Support Operations Member of the Year

Ben Crabbe

Services Team of the Year

"The Oysters"

Branch March Past Premiership

Ladies March Past

U23 Female Boat Premiership

Collaroy Crusaders

Open Female Boat Premiership

Collaroy Giants

SLSA SERVICE AWARDS

The following members received SLSA Service Awards in the 2023-24 Season

30 Year Long Service Award

David Hopper,Ron Levy, Barry Ling,Scott Macqueen, Neil McDowell, Debra Trim, Richard Trim

25 Year Long Service Award

Sigi Hill, Gavin Scott

35 Years Officiating

Marianne Troop

30 Years Officiating

John Fahey

25 Years Officiating

Ray Isaacs

20 Years Officiating

Paul Ducker, Jeannette Isaacs

15 Years Officiating

Andrew Sole

10 Years Officiating

Craig Thomas

10 Years Assessing

Liz Green

20 Year National Patrol Service Award

Ken Gittoes, Greg MacMahon

5 Year National Patrol Service Award

Luke Hochkins, Eleanor Howell, Jessica Layton



PRESIDENT'S REPORT

As I complete my first year as President, I'm filled with immense pride for what we've accomplished together, but also a profound sense of gratitude to those who came before us and laid the foundations for our club's enduring legacy of service and excellence.

During this season, I have been taken aback by the number of members who are always willing to put up their hand and offer assistance. Nothing has been too big or too small of a task, and more often than not, these tasks are completed without any fuss or expectation of acknowledgment - just a willingness to help the club first and foremost. I would like to thank everyone who has contributed to the club this season.

At the completion of our 2023-2024 patrolling season, during which our members devoted thousands of hours volunteered patrolling, performing countless preventative actions, first aid responses and rescues. Safeguarding our beloved Collaroy beach and ensure it remained safe for all to enjoy the sun, surf and sand, upholding the proudest traditions of surf life saving—Vigilance and Service.

In line with our strategic focus this season, we took strides to enhance the experience and facilities for our valued members. Highlighted with the purchase of an all-terrain vehicle, we bolstered our ability to patrol the beach and respond swiftly in emergencies. While our application for a grant to expand the gym facilities was unsuccessful, we continue to liaise closely with stakeholders across all three tiers of government to identify new funding opportunities in the year ahead.

Similarly, our trial subsidised swim coaching program at the Academy of Sport aimed to provide skills enrichment. Although attendance levels did not reach sustainability this season, we must strive to break down barriers and make such development opportunities accessible to all members who wish to elevate their abilities.

Perhaps our signature achievement this season was the introduction of the 'Team Collaroy' concept—a rallying force

that sparked new energy and community within our club. Brought to life the hugely successful 'Weekend at the Roy' event, expanding our Young Guns boat carnival into a two-day extravaganza. In addition to the traditional boat races, we welcomed back march past and the esteemed R&R competition, hosting displays of these traditional surf lifesaving events right on our home turf.

Not only did "Weekend at the Roy" celebrate our club's competitive spirit and long history in Marchpast, R&R and Boats, but it also united members across age groups. Perhaps most critically from there, we can identify potential new coaches and trainers at this event—crucial roles we must continue filling to retain members from our Nippers program and other recruitment pathways, nurturing their growth through the ranks.

As we look to the future, our long-term goals are centred on retention and upskilling of our members, and attracting new lifesavers into the fold so that we may build on our proud Collaroy spirit. Through 'Team Collaroy' we want to ensure every active member has an opportunity to be part of a competitive or training team, giving additional purpose to their involvement that transcends the beach patrol schedule or Nippers.

Enhancing our facilities and amenities are another priority, with efforts ongoing working with council to secure planning approvals and grant funding for an expansion of our Goodman Lounge with the construction of the long-awaited balcony area. This space will provide vital support amenities for members and their guests.

It has been a pleasure serving as President this year, and it would be remiss of me to not note the efforts of those who have held this role before me. The club was in extremely good shape when I took on this position, and I hope that when the time comes to hand over the baton, the Club will be one step closer to fulfilling its potential.

Mark Anderson President



Premier's visit to see new SSV





Top: Old school ATVs at Collaroy. Above: Christmas Day patrol team

CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT

The 2023-24 Season was an absolute cracker of a season — what a success! What could have been a massive challenge for me to step in as Club Captain after Liz handed over the reins after many years, was made easier by the support I was offered from everyone to keep our beaches safe was incredible and I couldn't have done it without everyone.

We had a big season with multiple events at our beach including the Weekend at the Roy and the Young Guns boat carnival, among regular Nippers and training. It was a busy summer, and not without its hiccups! Everyone stepped up which was fantastic, and I am incredibly grateful.

Thank you to all members, but especially our leadership team of patrol captains and club executives – our coordination and communication meant we were always on the beach patrolling, fulfilling our duties and keeping the public safe. Our patrol teams had a bit of a change up this year, and it looks like we might be able to continue building out more patrols as more members step up and get awards every season. It does seem like we are on patrol every weekend sometimes, but the more people that step up and get their IRB Driver's accreditation, Patrol Captain accreditation and Advanced Resuscitation qualification mean that we split the responsibility between more teams!

Thanks as always to our teams who volunteered over the Christmas weekend as well as State and Aussies – you are all absolute champions and allow us the flexibility to not force teams to patrol on those days.

A special call out to our specific winners who were recognised at our Club Awards night:

- Junior Lifesaver of the Year Cheyan Maulguet, for being an outstanding young patrolling member, achieving 100% attendance and always being positive on patrol;
- Patrol of the Year Patrol 12, under Bailey Dwyer, for always being active and engaged on patrol, and for their constant reliability in covering other patrols and being present on their own patrol;
- Patrol Captain of the Year Saxon Lysaght-Wheeler, for his outstanding leadership, positive patrol acumen and brilliant reliability, and;
- Patrolling Member of the Year Jye Tattersall, for always showing up and going the extra mile.

Congratulations to all our members – you make this club the best club in Australia, and I feel lucky to be able to call you all friends and fellow lifesavers. They were big shoes to fill after Liz stepped up to Club Vice-President, but it was made easier by everyone at the club. I look forward to going around again next season and to seeing you all for an even bigger and better summer at Collaroy.

Jesse Bowyer Club Captain



JUNIOR ACTIVITIES BOARD "NIPPERS"

Another great season at the Roy! Lots of sand, great conditions and very little weed!

The 2023/24 season saw our nipper numbers swell to just short of 400, along with nipper associate member parents. For the first time our numbers in the under 6's went past 100 (104 registered), they were kept busy and engaged each week by the age managers with some great parents assisting. Across the under 6's, 7's & 8's we had 226 registered nippers, this is really encouraging for the coming seasons as these groups move through to competition age. Numbers in the under 9's – under 14's were good with a few lost and gained across each age group with a real push and enthusiasm in the Under 9's, 10's & 11's all lead by parents who have come through Collaroy as Nippers and competitors. This season was the first time that all age groups were managed by current bronze medallion holders, a real positive when it comes to surf education and leadership.

Winter board training started in early July, with an evergrowing group of keen nippers, guided by the equally keen and enthusiastic coaching team of Lauren, Gregg & Blake who are fantastic with the kids, passing on their knowledge, planning tough sessions where the kids work hard but still have fun, the training group are very lucky to have this calibre of coaches leading them. Training continued through into September culminating in the return of the training camp at Umina for an awesome weekend that was coordinated and put together by Erin. The kids trained hard, had lots of fun in and out of the water, built the Collaroy team culture and the parents engaged socially, it was great start to the season.

There were a couple of new members join the committee to assist in the running of Nippers on Sundays, all helping to make the season at Collaroy engaging and fun for all. The BBQ

continued to pull in the crowds to what is becoming a legendary breakfast throughout the Collaroy community, the same can't be said for the parental assistance, we will continue to work on this!

Throughout the season all ages, especially the younger age groups were able to utilise the rock pool, building their confidence, swimming, and paddling boards in a controlled environment. We had some great water conditions during many of the sessions, this gave the age managers lots of opportunity to have the under 6's & under 7's in the shore break in small waves and the under 8's some valuable time on boards. The under 9's/10's were able to gain confidence in the water swimming and on boards and the older ages had some quality time in the water and on the beach practising rescue drills & techniques and first aid.

Carnivals were well attended, especially the water carnivals where the competitor numbers continue to grow. Branch Championships at Newport went well with some great results on the beach and in the water. There was only a short break in carnivals before the 3rd year of State at Queenscliff and for the first time we didn't have to spread ourselves to Manly; more great results, finals made, the standout being Hudson White taking 3rd in the under 9 Surf Swim.

The Christmas gift collection for the Westmead Children's Hospital was well supported with the volunteer staff at the hospital amazed at the generosity.

Buddy Armstrong and Izzy Kenna represented Collaroy at the JLOTY (Junior Lifesaver of the Year) both were a credit to themselves and Collaroy.

We farewelled the U14's as they transition into Cadets along with their fantastic age manager Lauren.

Thank you to the Nipper committee, Age Managers, Coaches, officials, Water safety, parents, Club Executive and Senior Committee for your continued support and to our nipper sponsors for their support, Doyle Spillane, Collaroy Kitchen Centre, Fox Wardrobes and BOS.

See you all for the 2024/25 Season, GO THE ROY.

Craig Thomas - Nipper Chair

Under 14's - Lauren Armstrong



Buddy Armstrong and Izzy Kenna – JLOTY representatives

The U14's....The year you age manage teenagers, who have grown out of "nippers" but still have so much to learn.

I would like to congratulate all the U14's this year for giving up their Sunday mornings to come to Collaroy nippers to be an important part of the program, not only did most of the group complete their Surf Rescue Certificate but they were all regularly involved in water safety for the younger nippers age groups.

A certain day comes to mind where the U14's along with some of the U13's acted like a ferry/taxi service and paddled their boards back and forth ferrying "passengers" (younger nippers) out the back to the Lilli pad, the look on the younger kids faces was amazing when they realized they were getting a lift out the back from a big kid to play on the lilli pad. I think the older kids got a lot of satisfaction out of this task as much as the little ones.

Thank you to the U14's for a great season and I am honoured I was able to be a small part of your SLS journey.

All the best

Lauren

Under 13's - Craig Thomas

U13's done, the seasons seem to pass by quickly.

We lost a couple of kids to surfing and other interests but retained the core group have attended for the past few seasons. We were a little impacted by other sports whose season seem to get longer or start earlier each year.

There wasn't much enthusiasm to compete at carnivals, but there was lots of enthusiasm to help the younger kids on the beach and in the water.

We were able to focus on water safety and rescue skills throughout the season, giving the group valuable time paddling rescue boards on their own and with patients and swimming and using the rescue tubes. All had time in the water areas assisting the younger kids as water safety. First aid and signals were another focus which the kids and some parents got a lot out of. All the practice will go a long way to making sure they are ready to complete the SRC in September/October.

Conditions and scheduling only allowed us to complete two rounds of club champs, as always keenly contested, sporting and fun.

Thank you to all the kids for a great season, Andrew and Lauren for assisting me looking after the group when needed, the parents that helped on the beach, in the water as water safety and in the BBQ.

I'm looking forward to the group completing their SRC and the final year in Nippers.

See you all for the 2024/25 season - Go the ROY!!

Craig Thomas

Under 12's - Luke Geercke

Being my first year as age manager I really had no idea what to expect. Over the weeks I began to get to know the kids and I was grateful to work with a dedicated and kind group of kids. Every week these kids would show up with a smile on their face and happy to give everything a go. As a group each week we worked together to encourage and grow everybody's skills in and out of the water.

From where we started at the start of the season to where we ended up, I am super proud of everybody for getting involved and giving it their best shot, even when they didn't think that they could do it they persevered and even surprised a few of their parents.

Thank you to Craig and Andrew for your guidance and support and to the parents for your help when required and getting the kids down to the beach each week. Lastly, a big thanks to the kids for coming down each week with a smile on your face and a willingness to give things a go.

I am looking forward to seeing all the kids and parents next season.

Cheers

Luke Geercke

Under 11's – Gregg Armstrong

Another season done & dusted!

Each year seems to just go so quickly...

It was an enjoyable season looking after my kids, as it is always; this year moving into the U11s age group. A large contingent of regular faces were back and we welcomed a few new kids, some from other surf clubs and others, new to surf life saving.

Confidence in the water is always my biggest priority each season and once again, the U11 cohort continued to develop their knowledge, skills and confidence in reading and entering the water. I still marvel at the attitude of some of the U11 kids, wanting and willing to have a crack at every activity each week, regardless of surf conditions or ability. The more time they spend in the water, the better!

The Club Championships were conducted over two weekends this year. My group is a very competitive group and therefore the races are always tight, the total points are always close, and the club champion could come from any number of girls & boys.

What always impresses me each season, whilst most of the kids are competitive, it never gets in the way of them encouraging others to perform well, cheering & supporting each other during every race & always enthusiastically congratulating the winner of each event, sometimes a little over the top...

This year, the female Club Champion for the U11s was Harlem White and the male Club Champion was Dash Armstrong. Congratulations to both Harlem & Dash!

We also had an encouraging number of participants at each of the local carnivals which is always positive, competing in both beach & water events. In the water, the U11s transitioned from previously using foam boards to fibreglass this year, as well as the introduction of another event they can compete in, being the board rescue. Well done to each child who competed in the interclub carnivals, with my highlight of the season being Sam Kenna taking out the U11 beach flags at the Branch Championships in Newport, then giving the crowd a big flex in celebration! Also a special mention to both Harlem White & Dash Armstrong for making their respective U11 individual swim finals at the State Championships at Queenscliff. Making a final at the State Championships is always a significant achievement. Well done.

Once again, I need to give a shout out to all the parents in my age group who help out at Nippers each week, at training or at the carnivals. Clubs don't function without the support of volunteers, and we have a great bunch of parents who go above and beyond to make sure everything runs smoothly for their kids. Thank you again!

Finally, I'm looking forward to the 24/25 season ahead and hope all the kids (& a few more) are back on the beach, developing their skills both in the water and on the beach for another enjoyable season in the U12 age group.

Go the Roy!

Gregg Armstrong

Under 10's - Matt Bealey

Proud as punch! It's a great privilege and one I don't take for granted to lead this awesome bunch of kids! The kids have grown immensely in just one season in both numbers and confidence. We seemed to pick up some new faces from other clubs which is a credit to how Craig leads our nipper program and how every age manager commits every weekend to make this a rewarding and fun summer activity for all involved! I'll continue to push the kids next season, try to bring some variety into what we do and build on the foundations they have learnt over the previous few summers.

Lots of highlights but a standout was how so many of our age group entered our local carnivals and especially branch @ Newport and State @ Queensie. It's a great experience that I hope to build on for next year and want to thank the parents for encouraging their kids to participate in the competitive arena.

Lastly a big thanks to all the parents that brave a hangover or at times some miserable weather to get your kids down to the beach every Sunday and a select few (you know who you are) that always get involved and help me out to ensure I'm not stretched and balance the support the kids need to continue to learn grow and have fun as a Roy nipper!

Matt Bealey

Under 9's - Blake White

Collaroy's Under 9s we are hands down the most enthusiastic group on the beach each Sunday, from the first day of nippers to the last weekend of the season.

Our numbers each week were always some of the highest. The eagerness of everyone to get in the water to have a swim and paddle a board in all conditions was amazing to see and certainly kept Dan and me on our toes. At each chance we had, with the assistance of parents, all our Under 9s tested themselves and improved their skills in the surf and handling the boards. I really want to continue to develop the group's skills and knowledge in the surf as they become more comfortable in the ocean.

Watching our group on the beach each week made it obvious that we have some talented kids in the flags and sprints and want to encourage those who are interested to consider testing themselves at some carnivals next season.

This year did see the Under 9s have their first opportunity to compete at carnivals and I was so proud to see all of those who competed at the beach and water event carnivals give it their all. It was certainly daunting for those racing for the first time against other clubs however they should all be proud of how they represented Collaroy when they donned the red caps. There were testing surf conditions for our water competitors at several of the carnivals however it didn't stop any of them for a second. All good experience for future years.

The Under 9 Club Champions Elsie Jackson and Hudson White were well deserving winners and Surf Lifesaving award winners Chloe Brown and Hudson Miles set an example to all the others with their positive attitudes and enthusiasm each week.

Dan and I hope to see all the kids back next season as Under 10s and we will be encouraging the kids to further develop their skills by starting to incorporate some swim, board and beach training throughout the season (and maybe a few surf carnivals).

Finally, a big thanks to Dan for all his help throughout the season and all the other parents who jumped in and helped when needed.

See you all next season.

Blake White

Under 8's - Chris & Donna Blatchford

As we wrap up another season of U8 Nippers, we wanted to take a moment to reflect on the incredible journey our young surf lifesavers have taken this year. Despite the unpredictable weather conditions each week, it was heart-warming to witness the enthusiasm of our students, who eagerly turned up, already equipped with aspects of knowledge of beach and swell conditions.

Over the course of the season, our group has grown stronger, with many Nippers honing their skills over three years within our fun and active program. We also welcomed new members into our club this season and we are witnessing the rapid formation of bonds among peers from various primary schools, illustrating the significance of Nippers in fostering new social connections.

Throughout the season, our Nippers have achieved significant milestones in their learning journey, including identifying the surf club as a welcoming and safe environment, demonstrating adherence to SunSmart guidelines and mitigating risks associated with sun exposure, identifying potential dangers at the beach, recognising signs of distress in the water and understanding what actions to take in an emergency situation. Without doubt, practical sessions were a favourite with Nippers catching waves of all sizes on Nippers boards and utilising explicit coaching techniques to enhance their abilities within the water. Together we cultivated team camaraderie and healthy competition within our little group and students gained proficiency in beach sprints and beach flags.

Congratulations to those Nippers who represented Collaroy SLSC in their first competition and sharing their experiences and learning with the group upon their return. Hearing stories from our Nippers each week including how they have applied their newfound skills during family holidays, such as catching waves or dolphin diving, has been a true highlight and this showcases the seamless integration of surf learning into their lifestyles.

None of this would have been possible without the commitment of our dedicated parent volunteers, who braved the elements in the water week after week to ensure the safety and success of our activities. Your tireless efforts have not gone unnoticed, and we are immensely grateful for your support in nurturing the confidence and skills of our Nippers.

As we reflect on the season, it's clear that our U8 Nippers have not only grown as surf lifesavers but also as individuals, forging lifelong friendships and developing invaluable life skills. This incredible group of young individuals will continue to inspire,

encourage, and challenge themselves and others as they progress through Collaroy SLSC and beyond.

Thank you for allowing us to guide your child through their journey in beach and water safety this season.

Chris and Donna Blatchford

Under 7's – Sharon Bosward, Dean Harris, Danny Blackwell

What another great year for coaching nippers. I have seen a lot of the same faces return from U6 to U7 Nippers this year and a lot of new faces joined us. Our focus with our nippers this season was to have fun, forge new friendships, learn about teamwork and respect all while learning some surf skills and awareness.

The energy and enthusiasm the nippers brought each week was infectious. As daunting as the start of the season was for some who were not as familiar with what is involved or were less confident to begin with, they soon all joined in and enjoyed the experience. No child was left out, if they were not confident in doing any of the tasks, they would be assisted by the coaches to do things at a pace that they were more comfortable with and at times they would become assistant coaches until they felt ready to join in with the others.

We would start our sessions with a warmup run and then sit and observe the ocean, the beach, and all conditions. They would learn about the different currents, identify rips, surf conditions, dangers in and out of the water, hazards, safety, signals, and we would talk about different scenarios and how they would respond to each. Over the season the children learned how to identify the conditions on any given day and soon they were informing the coaches without our input.

Everything we worked on with our nippers was fun filled but skills focused. They learned to duck dive, wade through the surf, board paddle, body surf, catch waves, beach sprints and flags to name a few. All activities were wrapped up into games and teamwork. We even ran mini-taplin races nearing the end of the season. It truly was an enjoyable season however none of this could have been achieved without the support of the community of parents and carers that assisted week in week out. They brought the same energy and enthusiasm as the children did and were prepared to do whatever was asked of them to make each session the best it could be. We watched the confidence and skills grown in every one of our nippers, but the biggest reward was seeing their smilling faces at the end of each session.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone back next season for U8 Nippers.

Sharon, Dean & Danny







Under 6's - Al Chapman, Phil Senn

Wow, what a whirlwind season! With our eldest kids moving into U9s this year, and both of us having U6s starting, we decided it was our turn to jump in the water.

With registration climbing to 90+ U6 Nippers during the season, the group always had a very strong presence on the beach and at the water's edge, averaging 50-60 in attendance each week. A group this size would have been entirely unmanageable for two new age managers without a reliable and large group of parents that were willing to step in and help in various ways. To everybody that lent a hand once or more regularly - THANK YOU - many hands make light work and it really helps keep the kids engaged when they can learn by example and know a safe pair of hands are nearby. We have to extend particular thanks to Prue who was always on hand, suggesting new activities and generally a step ahead of us to keep things moving.

We started the season fairly by the book using the suggested weekly outlines, but quickly got a feel for the U6 cohort's favourite activities, which included ping pong ball rescue and stuck in the mud. As we began finding our way into the

shallow surf, it was a real pleasure to see all the kids build their confidence - some faster, some a bit more tentatively.

Besides beach and water confidence, we aimed to introduce the kids to several elements of surf lifesaving, starting with non-verbal communication: throughout the season we gradually introduced 'Assistance needed', 'I'm OK', 'Return to shore', 'Move out', 'Stay where you are', Move left', 'Move right'. Sea creature discussions were also on the menu, and of course learning to read water conditions.

Pool activities were always a bit of a logistical exercise with a group this large, but we managed to find a good rhythm, with most kids progressing toward retrieving their sunken objects by the end of the season, and of course ping pong ball rescues retaining their popularity in the pool as well as in the surf. We were only able to give the U6 cohort a small taste of the boards, so we're looking forward to progressing that as we hopefully welcome everybody back to a fun U7 season.

Thanks, Al Chapman and Phil Senn.



BOAT SECTION REPORT

The 2023/24 Collaroy Boat season saw some emotional highs, heartbreaking lows, team bonding weekends away and a whole season of laughs. This would have to be the strongest dynamic of Collaroy rowers we have ever had, with all ages integrated on and off the water.

We had an influx of exceptional junior talent and created 4 superb junior teams repping the Red Caps. Their commitment, eagerness to learn and representation of Collaroy Surf Club was absolutely amazing. We have a very bright future ahead for this strong squad.

The depth of the seasoned rowers saw consistency and commitment this season. Their experience and leadership ensured a seamless integration of the promising young talents into the squad.

Waves of anticipation roll in at the Collaroy Boat shed for the upcoming 2025 season. It promises to be nothing short of spectacular. Crews are itching to get back in the boat already with stronger programs & more determination.

This truly is a sport that gives so much more than what is shown on the surface.

Jess Layton Boat Captain

SWEEP REPORTS

Gavin Scott

Cobras (Reserve Women)

Naomi Bronier, Abbie O'Sullivan, Tiah Szann, Nette Theunissen, Gavin Scott (Sweep)

A season of remarkable growth and achievement unfolded for the Cobras Reserve Women, as Naomi Bronier joined last season's Under 19 Aussie bronze medallists in a significant leap to the reserve women category. Despite the challenges of balancing travel and work commitments, the crew approached the season with vigour, resulting in a season marked by fresh enthusiasm and a love for rowing.

Their journey was punctuated by standout performances against seasoned competitors, showcasing their talent and resilience. Notably, a top 16 finish at Aussies underscored the depth of skill within the crew and their ability to hold their own against more experienced adversaries.

Yet, beyond the medals and rankings, the true essence of their season lay in the personal and athletic development of these young champions. Their unwavering commitment to the club and the sheer joy they derived from being part of the section were truly commendable, reflecting not only their dedication to the sport but also their character as individuals.

A heartfelt round of thanks is owed to the pillars of support that bolstered the Cobras Reserve Women throughout their journey:

Immense gratitude to our super-conditioner Tommy Sloot for keeping us in peak physical condition. Endless appreciation for our super-sounding board Jess (Layts) Layton, whose guidance proved invaluable in navigating the challenges of competition. A salute to our super coach Jason (Watto) Pearce, whose leadership propelled us towards success. Special acknowledgment to our super sub sweeps Eugene Swanepoel, Rob Maloney, and Mark (Ando) Anderson for their invaluable contributions to our team dynamics.

As the season draws to a close, the Cobras Reserve Women stand not only as athletes but as exemplars of dedication, resilience, and the transformative power of teamwork. Their journey serves as an inspiration to all, reminding us that the true measure of success lies not only in victory but in the growth and camaraderie forged along the way.

Crusaders (U23 Women)

Frankie Webster, Alex Hoatson, Bella Dunkin, Lauren Deane, Gavin Scott (Sweep)

A season of triumphs both on and off the water! The Crusaders' journey was marked by an unwavering work ethic and a spirit of camaraderie that transcended every wave. Through gruelling training sessions and fierce competition, they emerged not only victorious but bonded by enduring friendships and cherished memories.

Their campaign spanned 10 thrilling carnivals, navigating a fiercely contested division with finesse. The results speak volumes: 3 triumphant victories, 2 impressive second-place finishes, and 3 hard-fought third-place honours, with only a single final eluding them throughout the season.

Among their notable achievements:

- Representation in the esteemed NSW State representative team.
- Securing the top spot in the SNB Branch Point score rankings.
- · An admirable 2nd place standing at the Aussies.
- · A commendable 3rd place finish at the State championships.
- Another remarkable 3rd place at the Branch level.
- A podium-worthy 3rd place at the Australian Representative Team Selection Event.

None of this would have been possible without the invaluable contributions of our exceptional team members:

Heartfelt gratitude to our super subs Nette Theunissen and Tiah Szann, who stepped up when it mattered most. Special acknowledgment to our super-conditioner Tommy Sloot for keeping us in top form. Endless appreciation to our super-sounding board Jess (Layts) Layton, whose guidance proved invaluable. A round of applause for our super coach Jason (Watto) Pearce, whose experience steered us towards greatness. Last but not least, immense thanks to our super sub sweeps Rob Maloney and Mark (Ando) Anderson for their indispensable support.

The Crusaders' season was not just about winning titles but about forging bonds, pushing boundaries, and embodying the true spirit of teamwork. As they reflect on their journey, they carry with them not only medals but also the immeasurable wealth of experiences that define a season well-sailed.

Mark Reece

Cannons (U19 Women)

Hannah Bosland, Chelsea Robertson, Darcy Robbins, Ciara Denton, Aiyla Thomas-Smith, Mark Reece (Sweep)

The Cannons were in their 2nd year in the U19 Women's division so we were looking forward to a successful season. The training program on which they embarked reflected this seeing them completing 7 sessions per week.

The crew was extremely competitive from their very first event with only one other crew in Australia able to consistently match them. The Cannons also had the honour of being drafted to represent Tasmania in the ASRL Interstate Series where they finished second to NSW in their individual event.

The highlight of the season saw the crew produce their best row of the year in the Australian Championship final battling stroke for stroke with Palm Beach for the entire race to gain 2nd place. Both crews finished on the same wave with a clear 2 wave margin over the rest of the field. This is an extraordinary margin for an Australian final.

This result combined with the fact that the crew won the highly coveted "Boothie" point score meant they were selected to lay the wreath at the Beach Club dusk ANZAC Day service. This was a great privilege and the crew expressed how honoured they were to participate.

3 of the 4 girls are U19's again next season.

Results were as follows:

- · Freshwater 3rd
- Newport 2nd
- · Coffs Harbour 3rd
- · Swansea Belmont 4th
- · North Cronulla 2nd
- · North Steyne 2nd
- Young Guns (Collaroy) 2nd
- ASRL Interstate (Lorne) 2nd
- · ASRL Open (Lorne) Semi Final
- Branch (Newport) 2nd
- State (Queenscliff) Semi Final
- Australian Championships (Alex. Headlands) 2nd.



The Rowdies (U19 Men)

Matt (Milky) Hopkins, Cameron Haigh, Luca Ferguson, Toby Johnston, Mark Reece (Sweep)

The early pre-season started in a less-than-ideal way with last year's stroke Luke (Chunk) Duffell badly injuring his ankle playing rugby. We were lucky enough to recruit Matt Hopkins and we set about teaching him how to row so we could be as competitive as possible for the start of the season.

The crew steadily improved as Matt came up to speed and were very committed to their training throughout the Season.

The highlight of their season saw them make the State final and finish 5th. One of them was heard remarking "last year we lifted boats all Sunday and this year we were in the final!".

Results were as follows:

- Freshwater 2nd
- Newport 3rd
- ASRL Open (Lorne) 2nd (U17 event)
- State (Nth Steyne) 5th

As a crew they have more seasons to come in U19's so with plenty of hard work all augurs well for the future.

Rob Maloney

Butter Boys (U19 Men)

Lachlan Davis, Cass Hammond, Beau Maulguet, Ryan O'Shea, Will Keep, Rob Maloney (Sweep)

The boys picked up from last season's start and enjoyed success, being competitive at each carnival and mixing it with more experienced crews.

Mark Anderson

Giants (Open Women)

Rhiannon Lea, Jodie Trim, Kelly Trim, Jess Layton, Mark Anderson (Sweep)

The Giants reconfirmed themselves as one of the top women's crews in the country. Consistently making the final in the early stages of the season with wins at Manly and Collaroy and with a second place at the SNB Branch Championships, won the SNB Open Women Point Score.

Unfortunately, our championships campaigns were plagued with a series of bad luck narrowly missing out on appearances at the ASRL, State and Aussie finals.

The Giants have amazing respect amongst their peers, a huge network of supporters and remain leaders across many aspects of the Club.



Gnomes (Open Men)

Bailey Dwyer, Tyler Stowe, Eugene Swanepoel, Peter Barratt, Mark Anderson (Sweep)

A newly formed crew took on the challenge which is open men (A grade) surf boats. Working through a series of setback throughout the season the Gnomes showed high levels of perseverance and determination including making the final at Coffs Harbour after an orthodox preparation.

With their first season of open men rowing behind them they can developed a steady platform to build into a high quality open men's crew.

Collaroy Red (Reserve Men)

Aiden Brecknell, Andrew Davies, Charlie Jormanainen, Rob Maloney, Josh MacMahon [super sub], Mark Anderson (Sweep)

Saving their best performance for the Aussies Collaroy Red showed a glimpse of their full potential in challenging conditions on the Sunshine Coast. While the season had more 'downs' than 'ups' there was always plenty of laughs and fun mixed in with a bit of boat rowing. While results didn't end up going their way there is a huge amount of potential for the future.

RESCUE & RESUSCITATION REPORT

Open Male 5 Person R&R (Dietrich Benjes, Leigh Brennan, Jake de Kort, Paul Ducker, Jesse Bowyer, Jacqui de Kort (Coach))

It was a thrill to see Collaroy back on the beach in the R&R area this season and heartening to hear from our friends in the R&R community that they had missed us and were glad to see us back.

The story starts with Gav Scott from the Boaties recruiting two of his Beach Tennis mates – Leigh Brennan and Dietrich (Dee) Benjes – to join The Roy and do their Bronze. They were described as "great blokes that can swim", a perfect combination for R&R!!

Brand new to Surf Lifesaving, and the R&R event, Leigh and Dee embraced the challenge, and together with some R&R legends from the club – Jake de Kort, Jesse Bowyer and Paul (Plucka) Ducker – proved to be a great combination to compete in the Open Men's event.

The team's first hit-out was the Weekend @ The Roy, where our newest team members experienced competition circumstances and judging for the first time. They set their baseline admirably.

For the first time, Sydney Northern Beaches and Sydney branches came together for our R&R Branch Championships – held at Maroubra Beach on a cold, windy, big surf morning. Leigh and Dee, as Beltman and Patient, braved the conditions



and did a great job, although I was asked if Dee was OK and not having a seizure, as he was shaking so much back on the beach!! The team received their first piece of hardware as bronze medallists.

Jesse was away for State, so we asked Christian Loone, a past R&R Aussies Gold Medallist, to backfill, and he did so with commitment and enthusiasm, enabling the team to gain more experience. The team finished fourth, with our overall points heading in the right direction, and the team continuing to enjoy competing together.

I was thrilled when the team decided to do Aussies. Our preparation was a little disrupted, but with Leigh signed up to swimming training, and the lovely Millie de Kort (!!!!) helping out at R&R training whenever she could, the team was ready for the trip up to the Sunshine Coast.

For the first time in many years, R&R was held on the Friday at Aussies. The team and I will never forget the amazing support from Team Collaroy, particularly the Boaties who were not competing that day and so came to watch. I so appreciated many of them asking questions about the event, and commenting that it was different, and a lot harder, than they expected.

The Collaroy Open Men's Team, including our two new recruits with only three previous carnivals under their belts, achieved a very respectable fourth position, losing only 2.98 points (including 0.98 swim points) against some highly regarded and experienced teams.

The Collaroy Open Men's Team is the recipient of the "Paul & Jacqui de Kort R&R Team of the Year" - congratulations to you

all. Leigh Brennan is the recipient of the "Ray Barker Memorial R&R Trophy", not only for his efforts in learning the R&R event, but also for being a great Surf Club member, willing to get involved and help out wherever he can - congratulations Leigh.

I would like to extend thanks as follows – to Paul (Ort) de Kort for your Belt Lay Masterclasses with Leigh and for your guest coaching appearances at titles time, to Nic Bridges for your encouragement and coaching support, to Millie de Kort and Christian Loone as honorary team members, to Jake/Jesse/Plucka for your patience with me as your coach and with Leigh and Dee on their steep learning curve, to Jon/Tim Ducker from Ducker Constructions for sponsoring our great gear and Aussies Team Dinner, to Will/Gav from the Boaties for our toasty-warm rain jackets, and to Team Collaroy for your awesome support.

By all accounts, the team is keen to compete again next season, and there are even some rumours about other past team members being keen to don the red caps again. R&R is back at Collaroy, woohoo!!

MARCH PAST REPORT

What a great sight it was to see three Collaroy march past teams competing in the Opens event this year with the boaties joining the fold and forming a team called the 'Collaroy Comebacks'. The team mainly comprised of boaties who had marched in a previous life and were coached by the very capable Deb Trim who did a tremendous job to help them achieve some outstanding results including a bronze medal at Branch and a 5th place at State. To have three Collaroy teams take out the top three places at Branch, in the top 5 at State, and two teams on the dais at Aussies shows just how strong we currently are in this event

COLLAROY LADIES MARCH PAST

The Ladies first hit the sand at the Manly and Freshwater carnivals and came away with wins at both carnivals which was a great result as they had not trained since last season. A new carnival was introduced this year called 'Weekend @ The Roy' that saw the Ladies take out the inaugural March Past event. It also saw the birth of the 'Collaroy Comebacks' who were marching together for the first time and ended up winning the 'highly prestigious' Handicap point score.

With Jake and Millie getting married on the same weekend of the Branch Titles, the Ladies team was depleted of team members who attended the wedding, so we had to make some emergency calls to Tara Bowyer and Jordan Monnock to help us out. Considering they had never marched in those positions before, they did an outstanding job and helped the team to a silver medal. Everyone was available for the State Titles and the Ladies produced an excellent effort to win the gold medal and be crowned State Champions ahead of Caves Beach and North Cronulla.

Brooke Perry was unable to attend the Aussies, so Nicole Bridges was given the job of replacing her and did an outstanding job with limited training in the outside drum position. Our training sessions leading up to Aussies were disrupted for various reasons but once we got to the Sunshine Coast we were able to get some solid sessions in and everything started falling into place. On Saturday, we received the unfortunate news that Ann-Maree was unable to march due to COVID, but luckily for us, we had Karen McKie available who had often trained and competed in that position.

Due to the lack of sand at Maroochydore, the march past area was set up on the edge of the waterline which wasn't ideal as it meant we had waves washing into the arena during the event. Nevertheless, the march went on and the rest they say is history with the Ladies marching to their 5th Australian Title in 8 years, winning the gold medal on countback to the Bears who also had an excellent march to take the silver medal. What a great result for the Surf Club to have both teams standing at the top of the dais together at an Australian Titles.

Once again, I would like to thank John Fahey for all his help this year and for being another set of eyes for me on the beach

which he has done for many years now. Also, thanks to Janine Fahey for looking after the entries for us and to Alison Ducker for taking care of the team's finances.

The Ladies had an exceptional season, and they should be very proud of themselves and all their achievements. To go through the season virtually undefeated, except for Branch, is an amazing effort and shows how dominant they were this year. Congratulations Ladies on such an impressive year and hopefully we can keep the momentum going into next season.

Paul de Kort

Ladies March Past Coach

COLLAROY BEARS MARCH PAST

It was a good year for us, not great, but good. We had a few new teammates this season. We tried a few new positional changes throughout the year, and our results were a little up and down, with a 5th at Manly, Bronze at Freshie, Gold at Branch, 5th at State and finishing with Silver at Aussies.

We still have one more event to go, defending our World Champions title at Kurrawa in September.

The Comebacks (coached by Deb Trim) entered the area this year and performed well, and of course, the Ladies team (coached by Paul de Kort) set the benchmark of excellence for the year. I cannot see another club ever replicating that photo of the three teams on the dais at Branch.

It's not just those three teams from Collaroy contributing to the success of the March Past Area. Collaroy Members Ray and Jeannette Isaacs, Tara and Andrew Sole, Tim Loone, Gary Milsted, Marianne Troop and John Fahey all give up their time officiating in our area. Gary Milsted is also the Branch March Past Coordinator, and the events since he has taken it up are at a new level with the carnivals being efficient and well-organized.

Thanks also to Greg MacMahon for organising all our gear for the carnivals, along with Dave Macintosh, Greg Broome and Barry Munke arranging for our team clothing.

Unfortunately, this year, we lost two former team members, Ricco Cooper and Norm Chaffer. Both were remembered at memorial services at the club. They will be missed.

Having someone like Tim Loone as the team manager with his background in the event made it very easy to navigate all the issues getting the team ready for carnivals during the year. Thanks, Tim.

I'd also like to thank Greg MacMahon and Col Newman for their guidance and assistance with the coaching this year; it was a surreal experience for me this year to coach a group of guys who I have looked up to my whole career, and it made it easy to have these two legends to bounce ideas off.

To Janine Fahey, thank you for making sure we were all sorted



for our carnivals throughout the year and for sharing all your information gathering with us.

Thanks also to Mark Anderson and the committee for supporting our area and teams throughout the year.

Congratulations to Kelly Trim, who was awarded the Col Newman March Past Competitor Award, well done Kel.

Well done also to Gavin Scott and the team for the 'Weekend @ The Roy' carnival weekend. We often comment that our teams are full of Distinguished Service Members, Life Members, Former Office Bearers, and an Honour Blazer recipient who have given so much time to the club and its members. We would probably lose people like that from the club without events like ours, thanks Gav.

And finally, over the Collaroy weekend along with Branch, State and Aussies, I was so proud to see so many outstanding young men and women from the Comebacks representing our Club in March Past, many of course with an R&R pedigree. How they carried themselves in competition, were so competitive and how they respected not only the event, but our club, shows me that our future is very bright.

Paul Ducker 'Plucka' Collaroy Bears

COLLAROY 'COMEBACKS'

A fantastic season for Collaroy March Past - we made history!

The Col Newman Most Outstanding March Past Competitor was Kelly Trim, who, with help, instigated the new open march past team this year called, the COMEBACKS.

Kelly mentioned that she was going to try and organise a new march past team, to compete at the inaugural 'Weekend @ The Roy' carnival, that was to encompass 'Team Collaroy' and that she did.

Reaching out far and wide to find the numbers, Kelly asked her friends, fellow boat rowers, past marchers and long term club persons. She got an overwhelming response and the Comebacks were formed. Some team members had never marched before but were eager to represent Collaroy and have a go.

There are too many names to mention, because of availability at carnivals due to life commitments, not excluding the new mums and pregnant mums, but this large group of marchers touched the hearts of a lot of Collaroy onlookers - a very special group.

The name Comebacks was well suited, because it can be an instruction in a boat race and half the marchers were coming back to the sport.

The Comebacks marched at 'Weekend @ the Roy' where they did us PROUD. The team loved the experience and decided to give Branch a go at Newport. At this carnival Collaroy made history with 3 teams on the podium. 1st Collaroy Bears, 2nd Collaroy Ladies and 3rd Collaroy Comebacks, WOOHOO! First time ever.

They shuffled positions due to availability and ever changing schedules, did one training session and marched at State at Queenscliff. They came a credible 5th!

Fortunately, due to a last-minute program change, they were also able to march at the Australian Titles. We must thank Paul Ducker for making their flag at Aussies with his Collaroy red and white towel and a training pole. It did the trick. The Comebacks marched with their heads held high in terrible conditions, torrential rain, through water and with a very heavy RnR reel.

I was so proud to coach, albeit a couple of sessions and proud of everyone that marched representing Collaroy, flying the flag high at all of the carnivals.

We can't wait to see what the Comebacks can do next year.

Coach

Debra Trim



CHIEF TRAINING OFFICER'S (CTO) REPORT

At the outset I would like to thank your training team Liz Green, Tara Sole, Marianne Troop, Andrew Sole, Clive Thompson and Alex Fiedler.

Over the season I have been assisted by several very valuable club members but firstly my apologies if I miss someone here. Firstly, Janine Fahey who is a massive help with the Surfguard and paper warfare. Trish Hamilton, Luke Hochkins, Jesse Bowyer, Peter MacMahon, Greg Broome, Dave Macintosh, Mark Anderson, Fiona Hall, Jan Lysaght, Bailey Dwyer and Ken Gittoes for their help in bronze/SRC training and updates. Luke Hochkins, Ben Crabbe, Jye Tattersall, Stu Paris, Chelsea Tattersall for IRB training and water safety and back up with Bronze/SRC courses.

My last two reports have had the following in them "next season I will not be filling the role of CTO I believe it is time for some younger members to put their hand up to assist and it seems I have not been able to convince anyone to do this". We are in desperate need of some more trainers. I know we have some members of the club who are currently holders of the Cert IV In Training and Assessment or similar qualifications". This situation cannot continue.

I am happy to say that our Club Captain Jesse Bowyer has enrolled to complete his Training Officers award as has Ben Crabbe. This is a small but encouraging start and hopefully a couple more will put their hand up over the next 12 months. I look forward to welcoming Jesse and Ben as trainers.

This season we have completed 7 SRC and 18 Bronze, and 70 SSV Inductions. Over the "off" season we started an IRB driver & crew course unfortunately the surf gods did not smile on us as we did not have sufficient surf to complete the course. We are still waiting on that magic break to appear to complete the course.

We will also be completing the upgrading of all our Advanced Resuscitation holders to the new award and criteria. This will hopefully be completed by the time you read this report.

Don't forget, if everyone has the awards needed to fulfil our patrol obligations you would be doing half the time that you are now on patrol, so well worth making the effort to get the awards.

Yours In Surf Life Saving

Greg MacMahon

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SPONSORSHIP REPORT

We commenced our fundraising efforts this season with our annual Ocean Swims event, held on a sunny Sunday in November. Substantial funds were raised due to the large contingent of keen swimmers and our fabulous team of club members and volunteers

Our annual McWilliam's - Collaroy SLSC Golf Day fundraiser was held on January 5th at Long Reef Golf Club. With the support of Stephen McWilliam and our event sponsors, Calabria Family Wines who owns McWilliam's Wines, we held a fabulous event and celebrated 100 years of association between McWilliam's and Collaroy SLSC.

Many thanks also to all our golfers, generous Hole Sponsors and the many volunteers who assisted to make the day a great success. The net fundraising result from the day was approximately \$18,000.

Great work and thanks to the Golf Day organising committee, Martin Bowyer, Greg Broome, Luke Hochkins, Daryl Gilmartin and Graham Hart.

The inaugural Weekend@The Roy took place on Sat 27th & Danuary, incorporating our annual Collaroy Young Guns Boat Carnival. It was truly a fabulous club and community event thanks to the main coordinators, Gary Milsted and Gavin Scott.

Well done also to all the club members, volunteers and friends who contributed to the amazing event held over the two days so successfully.

Our main event sponsors were again, The Beach Club Collaroy,

Coopers Brewery and ASRL(Australian Surf Rowers League).

The Blue Oysters and Pearls were again always keen to assist as helping hands for our various events and carnivals during the season. The Oysters also regularly sold tickets on a Saturday at The Beach Club - Surf Club Raffles. They are an enthusiastic bunch, well led by Kieran and Sue Gavin.

Thank you all for your involvement and support of our club.

The Collaroy Ladies Day was held on February 24th and was a huge success socially and financially. Congratulations to the organising team who put together a fun event that attracted club members and friends alike.

Collaroy SLSC is very fortunate to be loyally sponsored by many local businesses and community partners.

Our most significant financial partner is The Beach Club Collaroy, and we thank them sincerely for their sponsorship and partnership, which is long standing and much appreciated.

A full list of all our Sponsors and Donors is contained separately in this report.

We thank them all very much and value their support.

Please review the complete list of our Sponsors and Donors and make every effort to acknowledge their support and to do business with them where possible.

Barry Muncke
Sponsorship Officer



























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VENUE MANAGER'S REPORT

This year numerous successful functions, carnivals and events have contributed to a great outcome for the venue. The inclusion of 'Weekend at the Roy' was a sight to be seen, I personally have never seen the bar so busy on both days of the carnival.

Our regular events – State of Origin, Melbourne Cup Day, Young Guns, Life Members Lunch, the return of Ladies Day and Presentation Night all helped contribute to a great year for us. Livestreaming Aussies was once again a highlight for us, and we were so proud to be able to show the Cannons and Crusaders winning a silver medal. There is an omen there, but we are staying quiet about that....

Moving forward, we are looking at having all the above functions and more. The NRL Tipping Competition has a very healthy participation rate, almost doubled from last year with 93 members and friends joining in.

I'd like to thank our hardworking volunteer bar team, especially those that help me with running the bar and day to day activities – Kate Dampney, Bella Dunkin, Alex Hoatson and Chelsea

Tattersall. These members are always there to help me, provide commentary and jump in when needed to ensure the bar is open every Sunday, and ensure that functions run smoothly to bring repeat clients.

We would like to thank Coopers Brewery for the ongoing support, Alimento Pizza, Blatchford's Kitchens and Gurtaj Indian for supplying food at club functions where needed.

Lastly, we would like to thank the membership base, who not only give us feedback when required, but also support the operations of the bar. All profits from the bar go directly into helping our club succeed, whether through the purchase of new oars, IRB equipment or patrol gear. Through your support we keep the club running, whether through a drink or many, we thank you.

Cheers,

Luke Hochkins



PREMISES COMMITTEE REPORT

The Premises Committee for this 2023/24 season comprised Geoff Small (Chairman), Gerry Cooney (Secretary), Greg Broome, Tricia Hamilton, Graham Hart, Rob Maloney, Doug Patrick and Tyler Stowe.

Although it was a quiet year this year with no major items in need of repair or replacing, for this committee of diverse individuals, experienced in a wide range of fields and expertise, we worked very well together in maintaining and upgrading where and as required the Club's premises.

The following are a list of projects amongst others that have been undertaken and completed this past year by the Premises Committee:

Key Accomplishments:

- 1. Internal hall re-paint: Completed in October, refreshing the appearance after 10 years of wear.
- New Military Honour Board: Installed to acknowledge members who served in conflicts post-1945. Unveiled by Tim Loone at the Life Member Luncheon on April 28th.
- 3. Air conditioning repair in caretakers' flat: Replaced under warranty during a February heatwave.
- 4. Caretakers' washing machine replacement: New machine obtained at a discounted price.
- 5. Open-air storage compound renovation: Sponsored by Whittaker Civil (value \$5K), involving excavation and resurfacing with crushed concrete.
- 6. Wheelchair access improvement: Rubber ramps installed on

both sides of the sliding door between hall and balcony.

 Photographing memorabilia (honour boards, framed photographs and other items) stored offsite for record keeping and future (digital) display.

Ongoing Projects:

- 1. Cool room and compressor upgrade: Addressing urgent needs due to aging equipment and ventilation issues.
- Balcony construction: Pursuing plans following discussions with Northern Beaches Council CEO Scott Phillips.
- 3. Gym extension: Under consideration as a potentially achievable target.
- 4. Memorabilia display modernisation: Planning to utilise modern technology for showcasing historical photos and items.
- 5. Window tinting in lounge area: Obtaining quotes to protect memorabilia from sun damage.

As usual, the Premises Committee do receive assistance from many individuals from many sections of the Club. It is pleasing to report that a lot has been achieved and that various projects are planned right up to the conclusion of this season and beyond.

Collaborations and Acknowledgements:

- Northern Beaches Council: Responsible for external maintenance and approvals for internal changes.
- Jamie Crichton: Continued support with signwriting needs, including equipment, safety signage, and honour boards.

- Gym users: Special thanks to the "Blue Oysters" and midweek users for maintaining cleanliness.
- Caretakers Eugene Swanepoel and Jodie Trim: Appreciated for their commitment despite challenges with anti-social behaviour.
- Various club members and sponsors: Including Stu Spencer, David Macintosh, Barry Munke, and others for financial and practical support.

The Committee expresses sincere gratitude to all involved in maintaining and improving the Club premises, including the Executive Committee and numerous individual contributors. Their expertise and enthusiasm have been crucial in keeping the 75-year-old building functional and up-to-date.

Geoff Small

Chair

Premises Committee

FIRST AID REPORT

I would like to thank Liz Green and Greg MacMahon for all their support and hard work behind the scenes. The First Aid Team including Maz Troop, Tara Sole, patrolling members on the day and all those who put their hand up to help out during the season including some of our newest bronze members.

Everyone worked hard to ensure we were able to provide first aid at carnivals and events that were held at Collaroy over the season. We couldn't do it without you!

Looking forward to the next season and working with you all again for patrols and competition hosting, 'thank you' for all you do in our community.

Jan Lysaght
First Aid Officer

SNB BRANCH SUPPORT

Several Collaroy members also support Sydney Northern Beaches Branch, SLS NSW and SLSA in various roles through the 2023/24 season.

Board of Surf Sports Members (SLSA Officials)

Ben Crabbe Paul Ducker Janine Fahey John Fahey Dougal Forsyth Jeannette Isaacs Ray Isaacs Jackie King Glenn Langley Phil Mickan Tenile Miles Anna Mickan Josh Petersen Yana Salbieva Gary Milsted Andrew Sole Tara Sole Craig Thomas

Marianne Troop

Branch Board of Surf Sports (BOSS)

Janine Fahey Gary Milsted

Board of Education and Assessment (BOEA) Members – Trainers, Assessors, Facilitators

Alex Fielder Liz Green Greg MacMahon

Andrew Sole Tara Sole Clive Thompson

Marianne Troop

Branch Trauma Incident Peer Support (TIPS) Team

Tara Sole

Branch Support Operations (RWC)

Ben Crabbeq Andrew Sole Clive Thompson

Branch Duty Officers (DO)

Richard Andjelkovic

Sydney Northern Beaches Branch History Panel

Janine Fahey (Secretary)

SLS NSW Meritorious Awards Committee

Peter MacMahon

SLS NSW Surfcom

Chris Roberts

OBITUARIES

Over the past season and beyond we have lost thirteen respected members and supporters of the club.

In the compilation of these obituaries, I ask that you take time to consider and reflect on the now rapid demise of the older members of our Surf Club. As they pass on, with them goes the unrecorded history of times past, a situation I have identified as I researched their individual stories.

The Club Executive and General Committee members join with the Membership of the Surf Club to extend our condolences and deepest sympathy to the families and friends of these late members.

Thirteen further links in the history chain of the Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club and indeed our movement in general, have been severed.

Geoff Small.

Life Member.

Doug Newman



There was a touch of sadness around the club as we were informed by Life Member, Col Newman, of the passing of his brother Doug in Queensland, following a short period of illness, on June 4th, 2023, aged eighty-three years.

Without doubt, Doug Newman was one of our finest beach competitors.

He obtained his Bronze Medallion with Dee Why Surf Club in December of 1958. Recognising his remarkable beach sprinting ability, he was soon encouraged to join Collaroy and its stable of runners by Honour Blazer Member, the late Neil Montgomery. His feats legendary, Neil himself was a National Champion in Beach Sprint and Beach Relay and had a very keen eye for talent.

The following is a summation of his achievements.

Doug was extremely competitive and would spend almost ten years at the highest level, running for Collaroy and gaining remarkable success. Some notable achievements –

- In 1963, Doug was a member of Collaroy's first ever Gold Medal winning March Past Team at that years Australian Titles.
- He won the Australian Open Beach Sprint Title in 1966 and at the same Australian Titles, was a member of the victorious Collaroy Open Beach Relay Team.
- The only Collaroy S.L.S.C. beach competitor to be selected in the S.L.S.A. National Representative Team, alongside Collaroy swimmer Chris Bradford in 1967 – a test against New Zealand.
- In 1970, Doug was a member of Collaroy's Premiership winning Beach Football Team.

A dominant figure on the beach throughout the 1960s, Doug Newman won or was placed innumerable times at Australian, State and the then Manly-Warringah Branch Championships in Beach Sprint, Flags and Beach Relay events.

Along with his Australian Blazer, he represented our State and Branch several times too – including the Branch Tour to South Africa in 1965.

His extensive list of achievements is listed beneath his photograph in the Club's lounge.

Doug was only too happy to assist with coaching and to mentor fellow runners. Chris Montgomery recalls how he and Rob Senior consistently helped the younger members, refined their skills to become more proficient athletes.

Administrative wise, Doug spent time on the General Committee and the Club's Executive Committee. He was Club Captain 1964-1965.

Away from Surf Life Saving, Doug and Col were founding members of the Warringah Rugby Club, a club formed during 1963 due to the high number of young ruby players on the Northern Peninsula searching for a club to join. Doug played through the grades ending his rugby days in the 1st team.

Utilizing his running skills and to earn some money, for a time

Doug ran in the Annual North Sydney Foot (sprint) Race, one of the many professional foot races run at the time by athletic clubs throughout the country.

Doug would be remembered as a quiet, honest clubman who was fiercely competitive.

In his professional life Doug was an accountant, on the board of several companies.

Married three times, Doug is survived by Charmaine, his wife of twelve years, five children from previous marriages and eleven grandchildren.

One of Doug's last wishes was his request to have his ashes scattered off Collaroy Beach. A beach with which he had such an affinity, in an environment and mateship that he enjoyed and gave him so much success and indeed pleasure over a long period of time. Col, on behalf of the Newman Family, hopes for this to happen where he would be joining his father and former Club Legal Officer member Geoffrey "Max" Newman (1964-1975), whose ashes were scattered off Collaroy on March 17th.1996.

The Executive and Membership of the Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club extends condolences to Col and Glenys, Charmaine, and their families.

Anthony (Tony) Haworth



On Saturday, September 25th our Club's oldest continuous member, Tony Haworth, who was affectionately known throughout his 71-year membership by his mates as 'Horse', passed away following a long period of illness, age 91 years.

Tony joined Collaroy in 1952 and obtained his Bronze in March 1953.

He became one of the first holders of the Club's Distinguished Service Membership Award, which he received at the clubs 75year Anniversary Dinner during 1986. During the 1950s he was a member of the Club's March Past Team and a member of the Club's successful beach football team

He was Club Captain from 1960 – 1962 and a member of our Club Executive Committee during this tenure.

In 1964, Collaroy hosted the Australian Championships. In the lead up, Tony held the title of Championship Co-ordinator, a role he took so seriously that, together with Dick Twight, he devoted almost two years (along with his eight other fellow organising committee members) to ensuring the club ran a successful Championships – which they did.

During the early to mid-fifties when the Club was in the middle of the major building programme, Tony, being an apprentice plumber with a young family, spent as much time as possible with the plumber/s enlisted by the Club's Building Committee, ensuring all the plumbing was completed on time. This building is the building that we all enjoy today – built over seven years entirely with voluntary Club labour.

Most of us who knew Tony were aware of his love of the Surf Club and the Surf Life Saving movement in general. I know how much he looked forward to our Club's Annual Life Member Luncheon, where he could spend a Sunday afternoon to enjoy the camaraderie, reminiscing and sharing a laugh with his mates. He was able to do this until a year or two ago when his health became an issue.

Tony is survived by two of his four daughters, eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Norm Chaffer



It has been well documented that Norm, or as he was affectionately known 'The Foreman,' passed away peacefully on October 1st, 2023, following a brief period of illness bravely fought, aged 83 years.

Norm became an unwitting member when the late Billy Whitnall, under the instruction of Neil Montgomery, needed to find five

others to make up the six to sit for their Bronze Medallion. Billy was up for the task and approached the Beach Club, managing to persuade Alan Lance, Norm Chaffer, Dave Williams and although they had their Bronze with other surf clubs, Vince Holdt and Ritchie Lytham agreed to assist and made up the six, initially joining as associate members. On February 2nd, 1984, all obtained their Bronze Medallion and the rest is history.

At the time, the Club was desperate for administrators. Five of those six men went on to work tirelessly for the club and accordingly received either Life Membership or the Club's Distinguished Service Member Award.

From the outset, Norm became heavily involved in patrolling and over many years was a constant support for Ritchie as the Club's Social Convenor.

In 1985, Norm became our Chief Gear Steward, a position he held for many years, with the role also a General Committee position.

It is acknowledged throughout our Annual Reports at the time that by way of appreciation, Norm was continually being thanked or congratulated on the manner in which our Club gear was maintained in excellent condition (2nd in the Branch in 1985), always fairing very well at the annual branch gear inspections or as required throughout the seasons.

In December 1984 he obtained his Silver Medallion IRB Driver's Award and the Advanced Resuscitation Certificate. In 1988 he was the Club's Vice-Captain. 1991 and 1992 saw Norm win the Club award for Most Outstanding Patrol Member.

At the commencement of the 1994 season, Norm joined the Men's March Past Team with whom he marched for twelve years until 2006 – with his mates winning medals of all three colours at all major surf carnivals around our Branch, State and Australia.

In 1998 Norm was awarded the Club's Distinguished Service Award for his contribution to the club. Norm was a great supporter of Club and Memorial Days, in team events winning several awards over the years. In April 2009, Norm received his 25-year S.L.S.A. Service award and 30-year award in 2016.

In 1991 Norm introduced his friend Jim Lawson to the Club. Jim owned a freight forwarding company called JJ Lawson P/L. Some 30 years on, the company are still sponsors of our Club. As well as assisting us over the years when our gear has been required to be shipped interstate, they continually look after our Men's March Past Team, known as the 'Bears', after the logo of a bear head on the side of all his trucks. Jim was a mad keen North Sydney Bears supporter and his colours matched theirs and that of our Surf Club. Whilst Jim is in failing health, right up until last year Norm, on behalf of the club, was the principal go between renewing the sponsorship with Jim's two sons.

Over the years, whenever manpower has been required for carnivals, Norm always put his hand up to assist and as a member of the work party, played a major role on assisting when Collaroy hosted the 1992 Australian Championships and many other major carnivals over the years. Even with a young family, Norm would assist frequently with our voluntary Christmas Day patrols.

Away from the club, for over 60 years Norm was a member of the Collaroy RSL Sub-Branch, serving as their Vice President for eighteen years, standing down a couple of years ago. In recognition of his contribution to the wellbeing of their members, he was awarded N.S.W. RSL Life Membership in 2019.

A little-known fact is that in his younger days, Norm was an amateur boxer who enjoyed 'putting on the gloves.' So handy was he that in his final year at Christian Brothers School in Balmain in the early 50's, he was their school's Boxing Champion.

Along with a game of golf and golf trips away with his mates, Norm did enjoy a social beverage or two and the odd punt on the horses during the week with brother and his close friend, Gary.

One of Norm's last requests was for his family to scatter his ashes off Collaroy Beach. When this occurs, it will be a fitting way for us to farewell a true clubman who health wise, always looked after himself, dressing impeccably, and was always interested in how others were travelling.

Whilst he did not suffer fools easily, he valued the company of his friends and he too was great company, a man who would do anything for anyone. Even with his caring, fun loving and mischievous nature, combined with a quick retort, you always knew where you stood.

Norm is survived by his wife Barbara, and three children, Cara, Celina, and Adam, and seven grandchildren. One of seven siblings, Norm is also survived by three brothers and one sister.

It would be a fair statement to say that Collaroy is poorer for Norm's passing, as with him goes a gentleman with a terrific sense of humour, ability to banter and a zest for life that are a healthy ingredient in today's society. He is sorely missed by all.

Alan Lance



Alan Lance, the first joint recipient of the Club's Distinguished Service Membership Award, passed away suddenly at his home on the Queensland Sunshine Coast, on Tuesday, 9th January, 2024 age 73 years.

Alan joined the club as an Associate Member in 1978 and obtained his Bronze Medallion on February 5th, 1984.

It would be a true statement to say that he then threw himself into the role of being a Life Saver, not only patrolling duties but assuming the role of IRB Captain and obtaining 8 other Awards. He was the recipient of the Club's Most Outstanding Member Award in 1992.

He was a major club sponsor through the then family business Plateau Enterprises P/L. Being a local businessman, his organisational talents were noted by the senior boaties in our club and in 1985, with the club meandering along and lacking the necessary individuals with drive and administrative skills to run the club. Alan was approached to stand for Club President.

History will say that at the 1985 AGM, Alan become President, Steve Scott his Deputy and Vince Holdt became Club Captain.

By the late 1980s, through dedicated teamwork led by Alan, living by the mantra of his favourite saying 'never seen it bigger, better or brighter" the Club was firing on all cylinders, having left the troubled times of the early 80s in the Club's history behind them.

With the club going so well with an abundance of confidence, attention was turned to applying to host two major Carnivals - the 1987 State Life Saving Championships and the 1992 Australian Surf Life Saving Championships. Despite a mountain of red tape, the Club met all contingencies and was ultimately successful with both applications.

Alan became a Committee Member on the 1987 State Championships under the guidance of Carnival Controller, the late Neil Montgomery, OAM.

Neil had put together a powerful committee of experienced members to run these Championships and they were a great success. Officials at Surf Life Saving Australia and New South Wales were impressed and confirmed that Collaroy had won the rights to host the 1992 Australian Championships over Queensland's, Kurrawa Beach.

At the 1988 club AGM, Alan stood down as President with John McGennan assuming the position. In 1989 John appointed Alan as Chairman of the Local Organising Committee as well as Carnival Organiser.

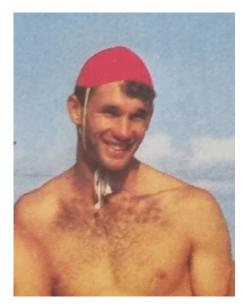
With 18 months of full-time effort to prepare for what was to become one of the most successful Australian Championships ever staged, over 200 past and present members along with an army of local volunteers dedicated themselves in true Collaroy spirit for 4 full days to ensure that those who attended the 1992 'Aussies' witnessed something special and indeed memorable. As a reward for effort, a profit of \$90,000 was realised.

Following these Championships, in 1993 the Club took over hosting the Annual East Coast Masters which ran successfully for almost thirty years, when dwindling numbers forced the Club to stop hosting the event.

Alan remained on the Premises Committee and was the Branch Delegate until 1996 when his thriving business, Plateau Enterprises P/L, required his full-time attention.

Alan is survived by his wife Tina, two children – Rebecca, Michael, Michael's partner Lesley and 2 grandchildren Travis and Sofie.

Leon Pendergast



There was great sadness around the club when we were informed of the sudden loss of Leon Pendergast, who unfortunately passed away on Wednesday, 7th February 2024, whilst on a business trip to Melbourne. Leon was 52 years of age.

Whilst still a pupil at Chatswood High School in 1986, and with the encouragement of his then teacher, Club member and DSM Award holder Steve Scott, Leon joined our Surf Club. As a Junior, Leon attained his Bronze Medallion on 23rd November 1986.

Not one to sit around, Leon quickly became involved in the beach / patrolling side of the club and the following year, 1987, he was promoted to be one of the Club's Patrol Captains, a role he was to fulfil with distinction for some five years.

Other Surf Life Saving Awards Leon attained included Advanced Resuscitation Certificate; First Aid Certificate; Training Officer Bronze Medallion; Silver Medallion IRB Driver; Marine Safety Certificate and Radio Officer Certificate.

During 1986, with a new Club Executive in place, the Club was working its way out of quite a turbulent period in its history. This group of men were progressive and looking for talented youngsters to join the Club's General Committee. In 1987 at the age of 16, Leon was approached to join it with the view to being the voice on the General Committee for Collaroy's growing numbers in the Junior section. Leon duly joined the Committee and fulfilled the role admirably for three years.

As mentioned above, Leon enjoyed the patrolling aspect of our movement and with it he took to the IRB scene with vigour. Collaroy had a youngish IRB Team who not only patrolled but enjoyed each other's company, racing IRBs at local, Branch and

State Championships with an outstanding amount of success. Being a team player, Leon really enjoyed this form of training and with it a high standard of competition. Perhaps their most successful competition was the 1990 State IRB Champs where Collaroy as a team swept all before them enjoying a terrific amount of success.

At the time, the Club IRB Captain, Peter MacMahon, had Leon as his IRB Vice-Captain and in the 1990 Annual Report, penned these words - "As Vice-Captain, Leon has served his apprenticeship well and would be an outstanding IRB Captain for the 1989-90 season". Leon did become our club IRB Captain.

Given Leon's height, athleticism, and general fitness, it was during this period that he started trying his hand at surf boat racing. By all accounts, he had all the attributes possessed by natural oarsmen. It was at this time with work, training, competing and other club activities that Leon had to decide which path suited him best.

He chose work and surf boat racing. With Steve Scott sweeping, Leon (known often as 'Leroy') was joined by three of his fellow Chatswood High School buddies, those being Brendan (Dunks) Dunkin, Paul (Meggsie) Daniel, and an import from Victoria in Brent (Floppy) Coulston. This crew had an amazing all-round attitude and a camaraderie that led to a phenomenal amount of success. In 1990, Leon's Reserve Crew rowed in the 'Brewarrina to Bourke' Surf Boat Marathon over three days and several hundred kilometres. The Reserve Crew was joined by the A Crew and finished fifth overall, a truly gruelling event. The success of the Reserve Crew with Leon in second bow culminated in winning the 1991 NSW Reserve Grade Gold Medal at Bondi Beach, followed by winning the 1991 Australian Reserve Grade Gold Medal at Scarborough Beach in WA. Yes - Gold in both the State and Aussies in the same year.

In all, Leon was to win five major gold medals at the Inter-Cities, State and Australian Championships. In 1992, Silver at the Australian Championships with his Colts A crew and a Bronze Medal at the 1990 State Championships in the U21 Boat.

1993/94 saw Leon and his teammates represent Collaroy in the televised, Uncle Toby's Surf Boat Series, travelling around Australia, competing on some of Australia's best beaches coming a creditable 4th overall. Perhaps a highlight was their win on Torquay Beach, Victoria.

In 1995, Leon was named Collaroy's 'The Frank Hall Boatman of the Year', as a member of the Open A Boat Crew.

In 1996/7, Leon was a member of the Collaroy crew chosen to represent our Branch at the Inter-Branch Open Boat race.

Leon really enjoyed the environment of the surf movement, in particular the camaraderie of the membership within the Collaroy Surf Club and whilst not active for several years, was never far away.

Leon will be remembered as a gentleman with a great sense of humour, a committed team player who was reliable, very generous and fun to be around - always interested in the wellbeing of others.

A significant part of Leon's professional life involved the

importation of handbags. After his marriage, he and Kylie became heavily involved in the wine industry in South Australia's Barossa Valley, continuing her family's legacy in this region. As wine producers, they were continuing to grow their business, producing a select range of premium wines under the label 'Kyara' for Australia and the world to enjoy.

The Club Executive and membership of the Collaroy Surf Club extends its condolences to his wife Kylie and their children – Grace, Lachie, and Liam.

Ricco Cooper



Long-time member, Ricco Cooper, passed away unexpectedly at Liverpool Hospital on Saturday, 24th February 2024, whilst undergoing treatment for a recent illness. Ricco was 75 years of age.

Ricco became part of our Club in the mid-90s as a nipper parent, to enjoy watching his daughter Nicole compete and be among the nipper camaraderie with her Club teammates. However, not one to stand around, it was not long before Ricco could smell a sausage cooking, volunteered to assist and was soon a permanent member of the Sunday Nipper BBQ Team, who could be seen each Sunday morning doing shifts cooking the food for the hungry youngsters.

In 2001 Ricco, along with Ron Levy and Tony Aouad, answered the call and joined the senior ranks, becoming part of the Collaroy Men's March Past Team. Ricco would be a permanent fixture in that team for 11 years before he retired from competition in 2012. Long term Marchie and M/P Coach Greg MacMahon highlights that Ricco and his good mate Ron, became known as "the bookends", due to their positions in the team being inside and outside drum — no doubt their comparable size came into the equation as this made it difficult for the judges to accurately examine team discipline and assess aspects for points deduction as the team completed the course.

Over those 11 years, Ricco and his teammates enjoyed a phenomenal amount of success, winning 28 medals of the

3 colours at our 3 major competitions - the Australian Titles, State, and Northern Beaches Branch Championships. In all, they won 12 Gold, 12 Silver and 4 Bronze medals. Perhaps two competition highlights would be the winning of their gold medal as Australian Champions in the Open March Past in 2005 and then in 2006 when they won silver at the World Championships held at Lorne Beach in Victoria.

In 2005, following their Australian Championship victory, Ricco capped off a fine season when he was awarded the clubs 'Most Outstanding March Past Competitor'.

Being a team player, Ricco never shirked the opportunity when requested to assist, be it at working bees or assisting at carnivals with work party duties, such as setting up the beach and yes, a stint on the BBQ or his favourite of pulling beers at our Annual East Coast Masters Carnival, with other volunteer barman who were known to enjoy friendly banter, gentle ribbing, the odd joke and be most comfortable with a cold beer in their hand.

Away from the Club Ricco really did love his sport, all sports especially rugby where it would be fair to say he was an absolute rugby tragic. It was whilst playing rugby in the UK that he was persuaded by a gentleman or two from the southern hemisphere to venture down under, enjoy decent cold beer, decent climate and play rugby.

The offer was too good to knock back and in the mid 70's, he found himself here in Sydney enjoying the above 'teasers' and playing good rugby for Haberfield in the Sub Districts. It was during this time that he formed a lasting friendship with fellow March Past Team member Greg Broome, as both being 'speed merchants', would have had ample time to have a chat and get to know each other as they made their way to each line out or scrum - as we know in the game of rugby, there are plenty of both.

Ricco is survived by his wife Gloria, daughter Nicole, son-inlaw Brendan, four grandchildren and his siblings, twin brother Charlie, Edward, Deirdre and predeceased sister Priscilla.

For this quiet, humble man the Collaroy Surf Club was his extended "family", a phrase that we hear so often within our surf club. Ricco was the embodiment of true grit, his intestinal fortitude was the embodiment of a tough, yet gentle Irishman whose family meant the world to him.

Ritchie Lytham OAM



On Tuesday 7th May 2024, Collaroy Surf Club lost respected Life Member Ritchie Lytham, who has passed away following a long period of illness aged 78 years.

Ritchie initially joined Collaroy as an associate member at a time when the club was experiencing a crisis in senior active membership. When fellow member Bill Whitnall needed five more members to make a six-man squad to sit for the Bronze Medallion, he enlisted Ritchie and, from the Beach Club, he enlisted four more – Alan Lance, Vince Holdt, Dave Williams and Norm Chaffer

History will highlight that on February 2nd, 1984, all six qualified and their contribution to the club over ensuing years can never be understated - from this crop came two Club Presidents, a Life Member, and four DSM Members rewarded for their services to the club.

Whilst Ritchie was a strong swimmer, he was not a competitor, instead devoting thirty years of his energy as an administrator and a tireless worker not only for the Collaroy Surf Club but also our local Sydney Northern Beaches Branch, Surf Life Saving NSW, and Surf Life Saving Australia.

Along the way Ritchie was awarded some 22 other awards; thirteen for training/officiating and examining, and nine lifesaving and service awards.

Ritchie's list of achievements over three decades are indeed impressive. In 1984 he took on the role of Social Convenor and with his side kick Norm Chaffer introduced the legendary 'Friday Night Sippers', which not only worked wonders for the Club camaraderie it also saw a healthy \$5,000 profit – a large sum of money in 1984. He was the Club's Social Convenor for eight years 1984 – 1992.

With Collaroy as host club, he became an important member of the Organising Committee for the successful running of the 1992 Australian Titles.

He was a member of the Clubs Premises Committee for nine years 1988-1996 and the Organising Committee for the 1987

State Championships held at Collaroy.

He was Carnival Organiser for six years through the 90s of the Annual East Coast Masters held at Collaroy.

Working on the harbour for Stannard Brothers, Ritchie was in a position to utilise their ferries for a day on the harbour, as a fund raiser and an opportunity to thank club sponsors, donors and office bearers, following either the Pier One boat races, Harbour Bridge to Manly or the harbour Surf Ski races. This he did from the late 1980s into the 90s.

Whilst Ritchie was on the General Committee for several years through the late 80's, at the AGM in 1992 he became our Club President, a role he held for three years to 1995.

He was the Club's Most Improved Member in 1986 and was awarded the President's Trophy in 1991. In 1987, he was awarded Distinguished Service Membership and in 2007, Life Membership at Collaroy Surf Club.

Whilst he was extremely active at Collaroy somehow, he found time to fulfill roles at Sydney Northern Beaches' Branch, Surf Life Saving New South Wales and Surf Life Saving Australia.

With our SNB Branch he did get heavily involved for twenty-three years, two years as Deputy President followed by four years as President. Two decades on the Board of Examiners, eight years on the rules and regulations committee and a four-year term as Director of Competition. He was awarded Branch life Membership in 2001.

With Surf Life Saving NSW he was involved for twenty-three years; ten years as State Surf Sports Advisor and Deputy President. He was on multiple committees, including chairing the State's Life Membership Review Committee and was awarded NSW State Life Membership Award in 2005.

He was involved with Surf Life Saving Australia for twenty-nine years; including twenty-four years as a Surf Sports official; five years as Referee and starter in the boat area at the Australian Championships and a member of the Life Membership and Honours Committee. He was awarded Life Membership with Surf Life Saving Australia in 2011

Whilst he was never one to seek the limelight, perhaps a highlight for Ritchie's lifetime of achievements would be the community awards he received from the wider community for his total commitment to Surf Life Saving:

- · 2000 Australian Sports Medal.
- 2002 Warringah Council Citizen of the Year.
- 2013 awarded the Order of Australia Medal (OAM).

In amongst the above he co-founded 'Dads Army' – a group of retirees from various clubs who do so much for Surf Life Saving NSW repairing and maintaining gear and equipment amongst other thankless tasks. In 2018 due to ill health, Ritchie called it a day, however his legacy lives on with the current "Dads Army' members carrying out needy tasks around the SLSNSW Head Office in Belrose.

Having been Club Secretary during his tenure as our Club President in the early 90s, working with him I saw first-hand his

determination to continue the legacy of John McGennan and Alan Lance, both Club Presidents before him. Whilst one may say he did not suffer fools easily with his manner a little rough around the edges, his straight-shooting approach, lead from the front and loyalty to those under his watch could never be denied as he went on to serve our Branch, State and SLSA in the same manner, earning immense respect from the Surf Life Saving Community for over three decades along the way.

Ritchie is survived by his wife Annette, children Amber, Brooke and Hayden, their partners and four grandchildren.

Craig Cunningham



Craig 'Cungy' Cunningham, passed away suddenly on Friday, 1st December 2023, aged 83 years.

Craig obtained his Bronze Medallion in 1958 with North Bondi. At the time, he was a strapping young police officer and a fierce competitor, having a similar determined approach to competition and Surf Boat rowing 'the North Bondi way' from tuition by the legendary Keith 'Spaz' Hurst. Amongst other successful competition results with North Bondi, Spaz had swept Craig and his mates to gold medals in the Open Boat Race Championships at the Aussies in 1959 and 1966.

Soon after, Craig was mentoring and sweeping his own North Bondi crews, enjoying a considerable amount of success. The Collaroy boys met with Craig at the Strata Hotel in Mosman over a long drink, to discuss him joining Collaroy, coaching, and sweeping these dedicated Collaroy boaties.

In 1978 Craig moved his competition membership to Collaroy. Being a fitness fanatic, he brought with him a no-nonsense approach to discipline and commitment to bring out the best in every rower committed to achieving success. Whilst the winning of the elusive Gold Medal in the Open Men's Boat race final at the Aussies in 1979 and 1980 eluded our men, the crew of Rod Macqueen, Paul Booth, Peter Bott, Barry Cox along with Craig, had to settle for a very close silver medal in each final behind the crack crew from Warriewood.

During 1979/80 this Collaroy crew were selected and went on to represent New South Wales at the Interstate Championships. They not only won the Interstate Surf Boat Championship defeating all other State Representative Teams, they were also 1st in the Interstate Teams Championship.

During the 1980/81 season this crew performed to their usual high standard, winning eight open boat race finals including the Manly-Warringah Branch Title with Craig captaining the Manly-Warringah Representative Team to the Interbranch Championships. In 1982, Craig swept our Reserve Boat Crew to a Bronze at the Aussies.

In June 2006 Craig was inducted into the NSW Australian Surf Rowers Hall of Fame.

Craig went on to become a member of Surf Life Saving Australia's Coaching Panel as a Level III Coach. For many years he travelled to Surf Clubs around Australia holding coaching clinics, sharing his knowledge with clubbies wishing to learn the skill of surf boat rowing and the art of sweeping surf boats.

Away from Surf Life Saving, during July of 1956, Craig became a Police Officer, initially commencing his employment as a cadet rising through the ranks in a career spanning forty years. He was a highly decorated NSW Police Officer, retiring in 1996 as Chief Inspector.

Right up to his passing, he could be best described as a gym junkie who liked to maintain a high degree of fitness, and a keen golfer enjoying a couple of rounds a week with his mates.

Craig is survived by his wife Dianne, two children, three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Michelle Ison



It really did come as a shock to all when Michelle Ison passed away on Thursday, 1st December 2023, following a period of illness aged 64 years.

Michelle Ison joined the Collaroy Surf Club in the early 80s

through her late husband John (who passed away in 2005). Iso, as he was known, was a larger-than-life figure within the Club, including being the President 2002-2004. Although Michelle was forming her own path within the Club, enjoying her patrolling after obtaining her Bronze Medallion in February 1986, she was his rock, 100% supportive of his extensive involvement.

Being an extremely supportive mum to her three daughters Brooke, Brianna and Courtney, Michelle involved herself in the Club and other activities over the years. Although not one for being on committees, Michelle was very approachable and never turned down any request for assistance.

Notable achievements:

- In 2002, when the ladies at Collaroy formed a March Past team Michelle was an inaugural member marching with the ladies for three years to 2005
- At the 1992 Australian Titles hosted by Collaroy, Michelle assisted Denise Booth in the apparel tent selling and organising stock and orders for the entire five days. The ladies moved so much apparel it became the main source of revenue, contributing greatly to the club, with \$90K profit still invested.
- In 2005 as her daughter, Brooke was selected in the team Michelle became a Touring Team chaperone for Collaroy's three-week U19 Tour to the North Island of New Zealand led by Greg Broome.
- For a period, Michelle assisted Vicki Broome with function co-ordination, then became the Club's Function Co-ordinator in her own right for a few years. Positive comments were frequent from hirers of the venue, principally at the way Michelle handled the entire process, from showing potential hirers through the building, booking, follow up and ensuring any special requests were met without any fuss.
- Around 2012 Michelle took a competition transfer to Warriewood Surf Club and marched for a few years with the Warriewood March Past team.
- · Received her SLSA thirty-year Long Service Award in 2016.

Away from Surf Life Saving, Michelle loved to snow ski and during the 90s, along with John, was an early member of the Burrawong Ski Club (Secretary and booking clerk respectively) based in Charlotte Pass. Michelle just loved to ski and taught her daughters to ski and enjoy the pleasures of 'skiing the slopes'

Michelle was introduced to golf through her partner Steven and in 2016 joined the Long Reef Golf Club, enjoying the competition aspect of pennant golf.

Michelle will be remembered for her wicked sense of humour, her light-hearted manner, her generosity, kindness to others and above all, her caring nature.

Michelle is survived by partner Steven, sister Leanne, children Brooke, Brianna and Courtney, their partners and five grandchildren. The Collaroy surf club extends its condolences to the Ison family on the passing of Michelle - a lady with an infectious smile and a joy for living; who gave so much and asked for little in return.

Ken Hyde



Ken Hyde [Front left] Swept by Stan Twight

In 1950, Ken was a fellow Rugby League player with North Sydney Bears who took up coach Hector McDonald's offer to join the Collaroy Surf Club with six of his mates, as a summer activity and to maintain their fitness. Having been a cadet with North Bondi Surf Club, Ken was the only one with surf lifesaving experience. Ken obtained his Bronze Medallion with Collaroy on November 18th, 1951.

Like all others joining the Club, he enjoyed the comradery of weekend patrolling with mates and with the competition side of the movement he took to the art of surf boat racing with immense pleasure. So much so that for three years in 1955 to 1957 he was the Club's Boat Captain and on the General Committee.

In 1959, Ken was a member of the crew that rowed in the inaugural Surf Boat Marathon from Bondi to Wollongong. He also devoted an immense amount of his weekends through the early 50s to maintain the momentum with the construction of the new Clubhouse.

Ken, with a nickname of 'Bodgie,' may have been brought up through life with a few rough edges, however fellow members remember him as a pleasant, jovial person who was down to earth, honest - what you saw is what you got – never one to draw attention to himself.

This was highlighted during 1994/95 when John McGennan and John Ison, knowing that Ken was in the publishing business, sought him out at his factory in Balmain for advice and perhaps a price to print the forthcoming club history book Vigilant & Victorious.

What was to happen next was indeed humbling, as Macca describes it:

"Ken was indeed happy to see them and was given an overview of the book. Ken went on to describe his love for the Collaroy Surf Club and its values, its community involvement; the way members come together to patrol with the intent to looking after the beach going public; the support for each other in competition and when things may not be going well in life, etc." then his quote came: "If I had not been given the opportunity to join the Collaroy Surf Club from Hector, I would have definitely ended up in jail" so, it would be my pleasure to give the club a donation by way of paying for the printing of the book. On the spot he wrote and gave the boys a cheque for \$18,000 (a lot of money in 1994/5), to pay for the printing, as his company was not geared up for the required style compilation and binding.

With limited information and contacts, Ken passed away sometime during 2022/23 season.

The Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club extends its condolences to the Hyde family and friends on the passing of Ken 'Bodgie' Hyde.

Ken 'Sava' Lloyd



From left, Mal "Ticky" Ticehurst, Mick Beasley, Tom Whelan, Ken Lloyd

'Sava' (as he was affectionately always known), joined our Surf Club early in 1953 and obtained his Bronze Medallion later that year on 20th December 1953.

He was a member of the March Past Team in the 1955 Australian Championships held on Sydney's North Steyne Beach.

He was the club Gear Steward in 1956.

Like all members in the Club at that time who were expected to assist; Sava was always putting his hand up and turning up at the regular weekend working bees, as the Club worked to complete the club building that we all enjoy today.

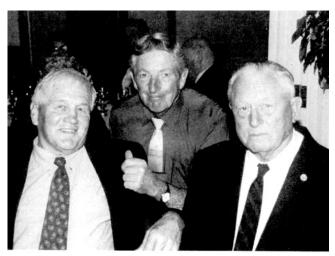
Initially starting his working life as an apprentice plumber to long time Club Member Bob Maladay, Sava ultimately left that trade and turned his skills to that of tiling and perhaps assisted with the necessary tiling as the building was nearing completion in 1956.

Along with Club members Mal 'Ticky' Ticehurst, Mick Beasley, and Tom 'Tuck' Whelan, Sava was a member of the popular four brothers singing quartet who entertained audiences and entered singing competitions around Sydney for several years. They were runners up in the popular singing competition at the time known as 'Australian Amateur Hour.'

Although known to be a little eccentric but with such a pleasant personality, Sava never had a bad word to say about anyone.

Ken (Sava) Lloyd passed away after a brief period of illness in Tamworth Base Hospital on Monday, September 11th, 2023, aged 85 years.

Robert (Bob) Compton Cooley



Bob Cooley (left), Mal Ticehurst, Bill Abbott

Bob joined the club in 1950 and obtained his Bronze Medallion later that year on 12th December 1950.

It would be a fair assessment in saying that Bob was a Rugby League tragic who gave a large portion of his spare time to the North Sydney Bears Rugby League Club, both as a player (player number 557 and teammate alongside the great Ken Irvine) and as an administrator.

Bob's association with Collaroy came through playing grade football with the North Sydney Bears in the North Sydney Rugby League Competition. His coach at the time was Collaroy Life Member, Hector McDonald. Hector suggested to the team that for a summer sporting activity and to maintain their fitness they may like to join the Collaroy Surf Club. Six took up the offer and Bob was one of them.

Bob enjoyed the patrolling and beach safety side of the movement and was a member of the Collaroy March Past Team in the 1955 Australian Championships held on North Steyne Beach.

One notable occurrence which involved Bob, a serving police officer, was in 1961/1962 season when tension between club members who were board riding enthusiasts and those clubmen who were not was high. With surfing gaining in popularity,

keeping surfers from entering into the patrol area was rapidly becoming an increasing problem. Confrontations were frequent and on more than one occasion violence erupted on the beach.

One memorable encounter near the rock pool was between board rider and Collaroy member at the time and future surfing legend, Nat Young, with surf club members led by Bob Cooley.

Bob went on to have a distinguished career in administration with the North Sydney Bears. He served a term as their Club President and on his passing, he was a Life Member.

Bob passed away one month shy of his 90th Birthday on 26 June, 2022.

The Collaroy Surf Club extends its condolences to Bob's wife Wendy and their children Matthew and Amy.

Bryan Hector Heron



Although following a period of illness, it still came as a complete shock to surf life savers on both sides of the Tasman when all round good guy and philanthropist, Bryan Heron, passed away on Wednesday, 14th February 2024, aged 90 years.

Some thirty years ago during 1993, Bryan and his wife Pat first met the Collaroy Surf Club when, along with the Red Beach Surf Club in Auckland, NZ, both clubs agreed to the formation of a sister club arrangement between our respective surf clubs and countries. A relationship which still operates.

1994 was the commencement of the exchange programme between the two clubs. For fifteen years, during December two U19 Red Beach youngsters would come to Collaroy and be billeted by the families of our chosen two youngsters and enjoy local competition. In turn, they would reciprocate and head to Red Beach during January and stay with their billet's families. Whilst this programme was so successful, it ended in 2010 when the Red Beach Committee decided to head in a different direction and send competitors to the Australian Surf Life Saving Championships.

The generosity of Bryan and Pat, under their banner 'The Flying Herons', contributed over those years by way of sponsorship to sending fully outfitted thirty Red Beach youngsters to Collaroy.

Bryan and Pat became involved in surf boats with Red Beach during the mid-eighties. They seized the opportunity in the early 2000s and sought assistance from Collaroy by way of borrowing a boat and all the accessories, so Red Beach Boaties could regularly travel to Sydney and basically have a boat ready to go for them. At our end, Paul Booth and Gavin Scott were only too happy to assist. The arrangement did work well with some excellent results for Red Beach at our Annual Young Guns Boat carnival and the Ocean Thunder Surf Boat Series, held over four separate days each year on Dee Why Beach.

Bryan's contribution included:

- Over the years assisted many individual Red Beach competitors representing Red Beach at our Australian Champs, or on several occasions, boat crews representing N.Z. with Collaroy's assistance.
- In 2008, Collaroy's Young Guns Surf Boat carnival commenced. This annual event consistently draws over eighty surf boat crews. Red Beach were the overseas drawcard and Bryan encouraged other NZ clubs to travel and compete. One such club was Piha situated on Auckland's West Coast.
- 2011 and Collaroy celebrated their Centenary. Along with Bryan and Pat, several Red Beach members and their wives joined us in three days of festivities.
- 2000 and 2005 Red Beach hosted the Collaroy Surf Club U19 Touring Team during their N.Z. tour.

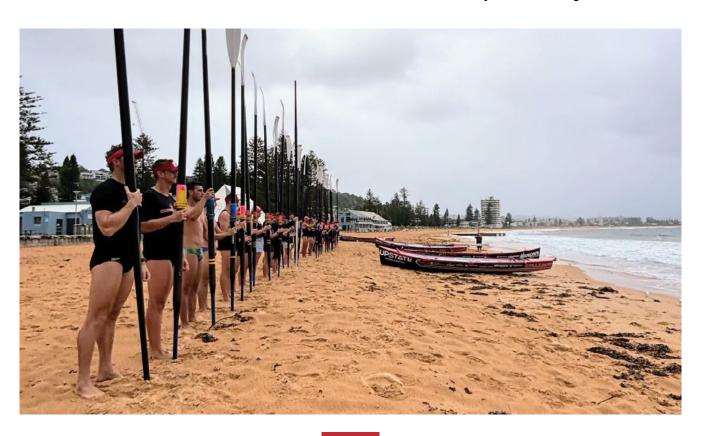
- 2001 Collaroy reciprocated and hosted the Red Beach Touring Team during their NSW visit.
- Over the years Bryan and Pat hosted several surf boat rowing boat sweep clinics with Australian sweeps being invited to participate with costs covered.
- Bryan and Pat have over the years been very generous in giving to others (several years ago Bryan was recognised by the NZ Government with the Award of MNZM for his service to the community and philanthropy to many causes). Over the years the membership of the Collaroy Surf Club has benefitted from their philanthropy. Three of our last four surf boats have been part sponsored by 'The Flying Herons,' Red Beach. Before Bryan passed away, he pledged and via Pat deposited several thousand dollars towards our next boat, which has now been ordered and will be delivered to the club later in the year.
- Anzac Day, 2015. Our then President, Greg Broome invited Bryan and Pat to be Collaroy's guests of honour when the Collaroy Surf Club hosted the 100 years - 100 Surf Boats event. We were officially celebrating 100 years since the landing on Gallipoli.

On the Sunday 18th, February 2024 boat rowers from our eleven crews lined the shoreline facing N.Z. with an oar raised for a moment as a mark of respect to Bryan. Boat Captain, Jess Layton quoted – "both these men played a huge part in our history and also continue to contribute to our ability to row today and ongoing."

Geoff Small

Life Member

Red Beach and Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club



FINANCIAL REPORT

The Club recorded an accounting profit of \$59,727 for the year ended 30 April 2024. The Club's Cash Reserves increased over the same period by \$22,865 to \$561,558. We have consistently added to our cash reserves in recent years whilst the components of our surplus have moved cyclically.

The salient points are;

- decreases in Operating Income (\$28K) and Sponsorship (\$23K) have been largely offset by increases in Donations, Fund Raising and Interest Income (\$29K) and decreases in Operating Expenses and Depreciation (\$13K). As above, surplus for the year was \$59,727.
- the investment in an electric "Side by Side Vehicle" (SSV).
 This expenditure was a massive help for hosting events at the beach and on patrols. More than one member commented "we should have got one sooner". To the best of my knowledge, the Club is the first in Australia to have an electric SSV.
- As above, our cash reserves increased to \$561,558. The Club directly benefits from the recent increases in interest rates too

Our annual Club subscriptions have increased again this year reflecting the efforts of all members. Craig Thomas and the JAB committee have done an amazing job. People wouldn't keep coming back if our Nipper Section wasn't run so well. Or maybe they just come back as our Club BBQ is so awesome every Sunday morning.

Thanks to our generous Sponsors and Donors who have supported the Club through the year. Most of these are locally based, reflecting the important role the Club plays in the community.

Also, thanks to the members who drove our Fund Raising and member events this year. Our traditional Golf Day and Ocean Swim events were successful again as were the monthly Beach Club raffles. We also held a brilliant Ladies Day this year and a Bunnings BBQ at Narrabeen which helped contribute to our bottom line. Luke and the Bar Team also provided a top-class facility and hospitality for our members and guests. I don't know of any venue that can match them on a Sunday afternoon throughout the year.

This year we debuted the 'Weekend At The Roy' which was a mixed 2-day Carnival of R&R, March Past and Surf Boats including the Young Guns. It was a massive success which was due to the efforts put in by the organising team. Needless to say, it will be repeated in the 2024/25 season.

To all Patrolling Members, thank you for being the backbone of the Club

Aside from the Club Membership, I would also like to thank SNB, SLSNSW, SLSA, The Surf Life Saving Foundation, Northern Beaches Council, the NSW Government and the Australian Government for their support directly and indirectly during the year.

Thanks as always to Jack McCann and his colleagues for auditing our accounts so promptly and professionally.

Finally, I thank the Executive, General Committee, Expenditure Review Committee, Premises Committee, JAB Committee, and all members of the Club for their efforts during the year.

Stuart Spencer Honorary Treasurer

COLLAROY SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC.

ABN 66 023 772 886 FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2024

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COLLAROY SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC. ABN 66 023 772 886

COMMITTEE'S REPORT - FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2024

Your committee members submit the financial report of the Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club Inc. for the financial year ended 30 April 2024.

Principal Activities

The principal activities of the association during the financial year were surf lifesaving.

Significant Changes

No significant change in the nature of these activities occurred during the year.

Operating Result

The operating surplus for the year was \$59,727. (2023 \$67,116)

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Members of the Committee.

Vice president:

Mark Anderson

Committee Member:

Stuart Spencer

Dated this: 8 July 2024

COLLAROY SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC. ABN 66 023 772 886 FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2024

AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

UNDER SECTION 307C OF THE CORPORATIONS ACT 2001 TO THE COMMITTEE OF COLLAROY SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC.

I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the year ended 30 April 2024 there have been:

- (i) no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements as set out in the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the audit; and
- (ii) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

Name of Firm: McCann Accounting Pty Ltd

Name of Auditor: Jack McCann

Registered Auditor 3413

Address: 11/635 Pittwater Road, Dee Why, NSW 2099

Date this: 8 July 2024

Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club - ABN 66 023 772 886 Financial Report for the year end 30 April 2024

Statement of Comprehensive Income for the 12 months ended 30 April 2024

Statement of Comprehensive Income fo	r the 12 months e	ended 30 April 20	24
	Note	2024	2023
		\$	\$
Operating Income	4	174,265	202,677
Donations		21,006	12,704
Grants & Subsidies	2	33,792	32,667
Sponsorship		43,531	66,708
Fund Raising	3	72,509	61,181
Interest		13,917	4,671
Total Income	_	359,020	380,608
Operating Expenses	5	252,738	258,051
Sponsorship		0	442
Fund Raising	3	30,215	31,917
Depreciation	11	16,340	23,082
Total Expenses	_	299,293	313,492
Profit / (Loss)		\$59,727	\$67,116
Statement of Financial	Position as at 30	April 2024	
	Note	2024	2023
Current Assets		\$	\$
Cash at Bank		162,763	264,693
Term Deposits at Bank		398,795	274,000
Sub Total - Cash and Term Deposits at Bank	_	561,558	538,693
Inventory - Social Fund stock		13,928	11,263
Inventory - Apparel stock		11,702	8,814
Trade Debtors		0	0
Other Debtors - GST		1,851	2,551
Total Current Assets		589,039	561,321
Non-Current Assets			
Equipment - Surf Boats	11	67,453	35,744
Total Non-Current Assets		67,453	35,744
Total Assets	_	656,492	597,065
Current Liabilities			
Venue Hire Deposits & Bond		200	500
Trade Creditors		0	0
Total Current Liabilities		200	500
Total Liabilities	_	200	500
Net Assets	=	\$656,292	\$596,565
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Equity Retained Earnings		656,292	596,565
Total Equity	_	\$656,292	\$596,565
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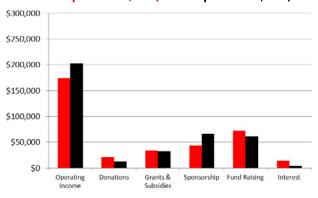
The above Statements should be read in conjunction with the accompanying Notes.

Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club - ABN 66 023 772 886 Statement of Cash Flows for the 12 months ended 30 April 2024

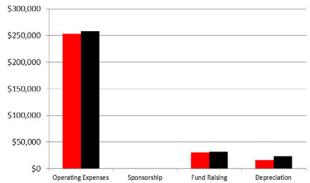
	Note	2024	2023
Cash flows from operating activities		\$	\$
Cash receipts		468,010	480,907
Cash payments		-411,013	-419,058
Net Cash flows from operating activities	12	56,997	61,849
Cash flows from investing activities			
Interest received		13,917	4,671
Equipment - Surf Boats		-48,049	-40,020
Net Cash flows from investing activities	_	-34,132	-35,349
Net Cash flow	_	\$22,865	\$26,500
Cash at beginning of year		538,693	512,193
Cash at end of year		561,558	538,693
Net Cash movement	_	\$22,865	\$26,500
Statement of Changes in Equity for the 12 mon	ths ended	30 April 2024	
	Note	2024	2023
Equity		\$	\$
Opening balance		596,565	529,449
Surplus / (Loss) for the year		59,727	67,116
Equity - Closing balance	_	\$656,292	\$596,565

The above Statements should be read in conjunction with the accompanying Notes.

Income - April 2024 \$359,020 v April 2023 \$380,608



Expenses - April 2024 \$299,293 v April 2023 \$313,492



Notes of the Financial Statements for the 12 months ended 30 April 2024

Note 1 - Summary of significant accounting policies

a) Basis of Accounting

These financial statements are a special purpose financial report prepared for use by the Executive Committee and members of the Association. The Executive Committee has determined that the Association is not a reporting entity. The Association is a not-for-profit entity for the purpose of preparing the financial statements. The financial statements satisfy the financial reporting **requirements** of the Australian Charities and Not-For-Profits Commission Act 2012 (Cth), the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 (NSW), the Associations Incorporation Act 2009 (NSW) and the Club's Constitution.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the following applicable Accounting Standards and other mandatory professional reporting requirements.

AASB 101 - Presentation of Financial Statements

AASB 107 - Statement of Cash Flows

AASB 108 - Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors

AASB 110 - Events after the Balance Sheet Date

AASB 124 - Related Party Disclosures

AASB 1031 - Materiality

AASB 1048 - Interpretation of Applicable Standards

AASB 1054 - Australian Additional Disclosures

AASB 15 - Revenue from Contracts with Customers

AASB 16 - Leases

AASB 1058 - Income of Not-for-Profit Entities

No other applicable Accounting Standards or mandatory professional reporting requirements have been applied.

The statements have been prepared on a cash basis using historical costs with adjustments for depreciation and year end stock values.

No material estimates were required for the 30 April 2024 financial statements.

The following specific accounting policies, which are consistent with the prior year unless otherwise stated, have been adopted in preparing these financial statements.

b) Assets and Equipment

Assets and Equipment are included at cost. All assets are depreciated at a rate estimated to write off the cost of those assets over their estimated useful life.

c) Income Tax

No provision for income tax has been raised as the Association is exempt from income tax under Div 50 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.

d) Inventory

Inventories are carried at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

e) General

- * The financial statements consolidate the financial aspects of all components of activity of the Association including Junior activities.
- * A schedule of reportable fundraising activities under the Charitable Fundraising Act is shown at Note 3.
- * In-kind sponsorship is not recognised as Income in the financial statements.

	Note	2024	2023
		\$	\$
Note 2 - Grants & Subsidies			
SLSNSW		10,489	8,647
SLSA - includes BSEF Grant		10,961	10,000
Northern Beaches Council		6,842	6,842
NSW Govt		0	7,178
Australian Govt		0	0
Grant - The Collaroy Services Beach Club		2,500	0
Grant - BE Campbell Pty Ltd		3,000	0
Total Grants & Subsidies	_	33,792	32,667
Note 3 - Fund Raising			
Golf Day Income		46,130	39,593
Beach Club Raffles Income		11,409	9,316
Ocean Swim Income		13,836	12,273
Bunnings BBQ Income	_	1,134	0
Total Fund Raising Income	_	72,509	61,181
Golf Day Expenses		24,294	23,482
Beach Club Raffles Expenses		2,060	2,250
Ocean Swim Expenses		3,245	6,185
Bunnings BBQ Expenses	_	616	0
Total Fund Raising Expenses	_	30,215	31,917

Net Fund Raising is applied to the operational expenses of the Club, its core lifesaving activities and the charitable purposes of the Club. During the year, the Club undertook its Fund Raising activities under the SLS NSW Fund Raising Number CFN11033.

Note 4 - Operating Income			
Subscriptions		73,700	63,900
Apparel Sales - Net	6	1,963	1,202
Social Fund - Net	7	35,138	63,520
BBQ		30,825	32,867
Ways & Means		3,590	2,841
Member Event - Ladies Day		8,611	0
Member Event - Nippers Raffle		0	1,655
Member Event - Trivia Night		0	4,604
Member Event - Coopers Lunch		0	2,878
Trophies & Prizemoney		409	1,280
Carnivals Hosted		15,211	25,541
Aust & NSW Carnivals - Tour Levies	_	4,818	2,390
Total Operating Income	_	174,265	202,677
Note 5 - Operating Expenses			
Audit Fees		1,750	1,750
Bank Charges		2,365	2,166
Administration		11,646	12,629
Equipment & Patrol Supplies	9	60,122	69,034
Repairs & Maintenance	10	35,662	36,123
Apparel - Not For Resale		17,224	12,003
Insurance	8	13,146	12,320
Capitation Fees - SNB & SLSNSW		24,183	22,643
BBQ		20,370	18,973
Ways & Means		2,837	1,756
Member Event - Ladies Day		1,035	0
Member Event - Trivia Night		_	2.12
Wielliber Event - Illvia Night		0	848
Member Event - Coopers Lunch		0	848 2,064

	Note 2024	2023
Note F. Operating Eupenges (continued)	\$	\$
Note 5 - Operating Expenses (continued) Trophies & Prizemoney	8,684	15,179
Carnivals Hosted	18,984	6,788
Aust & NSW Carnivals - Entries & Costs	14,120	19,951
Carnival Entries (except Aust & NSW)	12,772	14,334
Competitor Support	3,100	7,818
Total Operating Expenses	252,738	258,051
Note 6 - Apparel Sales		5.005
Sales	5,244	6,936
Opening Stock	-8,814	-6,539
Purchases	-6,169	-8,009 8,814
Closing Stock	11,702	8,814
Surplus	1,963	1,202
Note 7 - Social Fund		
Sales	92,651	91,329
Opening Stock	-11,263	-6,974
Purchases	-73,960	-53,222
Closing Stock	13,928_	11,263
Sub Total	21,356	42,396
Venue Hire	16,054	24,122
Expenses	-2,272	-2,998
Surplus	35,138	63,520
Note 8 - Insurance		
Directors & Officers Liability	507	490
General Insurances inc Contents and Trailers	12,360	11,592
Workers Compensation - Caretakers	279_	238
Total Insurance	13,146	12,320
Surf Life Saving NSW maintains Public Liability insurance on I This is part of the annual Capitation levy the Association pay		
Note 9 - Equipment & Patrol Supplies		
Gym	4,000	4,020
Premises	4,320	35,561
Patrol	12,544	70
IRB _	200	2,507
Surf Boats	22,122	13,956
March Past and R&R	0	140
Patrol & First Aid Supplies	4,450	2,570
Nippers Total Equipment & Patrol Supplies	12,486 60,122	10,211 69,034
Total Equipment & Patrol Supplies	00,122	69,034
Note 10 - Repairs & Maintenance	22.524	22.224
Premises	22,684	23,291
Patrol Equipment	1,305	2,490
Surf Boats	1,408	3,175
IRB Trailers	5,665 3,570	5,063
railers Surf Boards	2,579 2,021	1,145 958
Total Repairs & Maintenance	35,662	36,123
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	Note	2024 \$	2023 \$
Note 11 - Non-Current Assets and Depreciation			
Equipment - Surf Boats & SSV			
Opening balance		35,744	18,806
Additions		48,049	40,020
Depreciation		-16,340	-23,082
Closing balance	_	67,453	35,744

Other Non-Current Assets

All Other Non-Current Assets, including any Leasehold Improvements, have been fully depreciated or expensed in the year they were incurred. Since 20 April 2004, all expenditure on the Clubhouse has been expensed.

Note 12 - Reconciliation of the result for the year to cash flows from operating activities

Profit for the year	59,727	67,116
Adjust for non-cash items - Depreciation	16,340	23,082
Less Investing Activities - Interest received	-13,917	-4,671
Inventory decrease / (increase) - Apparel	-2,888	-2,275
Inventory decrease / (increase) - Social Fund	-2,665	-4,289
Trade debtors decrease / (increase)	0	2,475
Other debtors decrease / (increase) - GST	700	-1,923
Trade creditors increase / (decrease)	0	-17,466
Other creditors increase / (decrease) -Venue Hire Deposits	-300	100
Net Cash flows from operating activities	56,997	61,849

Note 13 - Related parties

Transactions with committee members or their related entities occurred within a normal member or supplier relationship on terms and conditions no more favourable than those which it is reasonable to expect that the entity would have adopted if dealing with the committee member at arms-length in the same circumstance.

Note 14 - Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgments

Those charged with governance make estimates and judgements during the preparation of these financial statements regarding assumptions about current and future events affecting transactions and balances. These estimates and judgements are based on the best information available at the time of preparing the financial statements. However, as additional information is known then the actual results may differ from the estimates.

As noted in Note 1, no material estimates were required for the April 2024 financial statements.

Note 15 - Administration

Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club has no employees. All work related to the running of the Club is voluntary. Accordingly, Administration expenses relate to services and supplies required for the day to day operation of the Club such as electricity, gas, telephone & internet and office expenses. All key management personnel and volunteers are not compensated.

COLLAROY SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC. ABN 66 023 772 886 FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 April 2024

STATEMENT BY MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE

In the opinion of the committee the financial report as set out on pages 3 to 8:

- Present fairly the financial position of Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club Inc. as at 30 April 2024 and its performance for the year ended on that date in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, including Australian Accounting Interpretations of the Australian Accounting Standards Board.
- 2. At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club Inc. will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.
- 3. In accordance with the NSW Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 and the Charitable Fundraising Regulation 2008:
 - (a) The Statement of Financial Performance gives a true and fair view of all income and expenditure of the organization with respect to fundraising appeals; and
 - (b) The Statement of Financial Position gives a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the organization; and
 - (c) The provisions of the Act, the regulations under the Act and the conditions attached to the authority have been complied with by the organization; and
 - (d) The internal controls exercised by the organization are appropriate and effective in accounting for all income received and applied by the organization from any of its fundraising appeals.

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

President:	Mark Anderson	
Committee Member:	Xtm M	
	Stuart Spencer	
Dated this:	8 July 2024	

COLLAROY SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC ABN 66 023 772 886 FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2024

PRESIDENT'S DECLARATION UNDER THE CHARITABLE FUNDRAISING ACT

- I, Mark Anderson, Vice President of the Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club Inc. declare that in my opinion:
- a) the financial statements (accounts) give a true and fair view of all income and expenditure of the Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club, with respect to fundraising appeals; and
- b) the Statement of Financial Position (Balance Sheet) gives a true and fair view of the state of affairs with respect to fundraising appeals; and
- c) the provisions of the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991, the Regulations under the Act and the conditions attached to fundraising appeals have been complied with; and
- d) the internal controls exercised by the Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club Inc. are appropriate and effective in accounting for all income received and applied by Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club Inc.from any of its fundraising appeals.

Mark Anderson President

Dated this: 8 July 2024

RESPONSIBLE ENTITIES DECLARATION

Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club Inc. declares that in its opinion

- a) there are reasonable grounds to believe that Collaroy Surf Life Saving Club Inc. is able to pay all of its debts as and when they become due and payable; and
- b) the financial statements and notes satisfy the requirements of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012.

Signed in accordance with sub section 60.15(2) of the Australian Charities and Not for Profits Commission Regulations 2013.

Mark Anderson President

Dated this: 8 July 2024

McCann Accounting

Chartered Accountants ABN 47 120 772 143

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF COLLAROY SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC. ABN 66 023 772 886 YEAR ENDED 30 April 2024

Report on the Financial Report

I have audited the accompanying financial report of Collaroy Life Surf Saving Club Inc. (the Association) which comprises the Statement of Financial Position as at 30 April 2024, and the Statement of Financial Performance for the year ended on that date, a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes and the statement by members of the committee.

Committee's Responsibility for the Financial Report

The committee of the Association is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian accounting Interpretations) and the Associations Incorporations Act NSW 2009. This responsibility includes designing, implementing and maintaining internal controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Auditors Responsibility

My responsibility is to express my opinion on the financial report based on my audit. I have conducted my audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that I comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagement and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risk of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the committee, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

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TO THE MEMBERS OF COLLAROY SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC ABN 66 023 772 886 YEAR ENDED 30 April 2024

Independence

In conducting my audit, I have complied with the independence requirements of Australian professional ethical pronouncements.

Auditor's Opinion

In my opinion:

The financial report of Collaroy Surf Lifesaving Club Inc. is in accordance with the Associations Incorporation Act of NSW 2009 including:

- giving a true and fair view of the Association's financial position as at 30 April 2024 and of its' performance and its cash flows for the year ended on that date; and
- complying with the Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Associations Incorporations Act NSW 2009;
 and
- that the financial statements show a true and fair view of the financial results of fundraising appeals conducted during the year; and
- (iv) that the financial statements and notes meet the requirements of the Australian Charities and Not-for- Profit Act 2012.
- that the accounting and associated records have been properly keeps during the year in accordance with the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 and the regulations;
 and
- (vi) at the date of this report there are reasonable grounds to believe that the club will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

Signed:

J A McCann Registered Auditor 3413

Sydney 8 July 2024

McCann Accounting

Chartered Accountants

COLLAROY SPONSORS AND DONORS 2023 – 2024

COLLAROY KITCHEN

CENTRE

COOPERS BREWERY

KAIPARA PROPERTY

GROUP

LANDSCAPE SOLUTIONS

MACINTOSH FOUNDATION

McWILLIAM'S (Calabria Family Wine Group)

PMC PROPERTY BUYERS

PRO AV SOLUTIONS

SCOTT'S MERCANTILE

TASTE ESPRESSO

THE BEACH CLUB

COLLAROY

UPSTATE

VIVAX METROTECH

WAGECOVER AUSTRALIA

AJ Aluminium

ASRL

Australian Sports Climate

Bartercard Sydney North

Blatchford Kitchens

Brett Sandvoss

Chillax Meets Alimentos

Collarov Dental

Collaroy IGA Express

Credible Security and Vision

Digital Printing Services

DJG Carpentry

& Construction

Doyle Spillane

Ducker Constructions

Exquisite Thai

First Aid Plus

Geoff Small

Landscape Services

Green Plumbing

Gurtaj Indian Restaurant

Home on Darley

JJ Lawson Pty Ltd

K&S Gavin Catering Supplies

Luke Hochkins

Millson Family

Northern Beaches Council

Piranha Golf

Platinum Constructions

Polo Smash Repairs

Precise Property

RFM Constructions

Robyn & Sigi Hill

Sargood Foundation

Smith & Sons

Surf Life Saving NSW

Guardians Raffle

Surf Life Saving Northern

Beaches

The Collaroy

The Eyecare Spot

The Flying Herons –

Bryan and Pat Heron (NZ)

Vergola (NSW)

Whittaker Civil Infrastructure

World Wide Coding Solutions

Bayview Golf Club

Blue Oysters

Cromer Golf Club

JKC Signs

KC Locksmiths

Long Reef Golf Club

Mike & Matt Bullivant Painting

Rotary Club - Brookvale

Tricia Hamilton

Wakehurst Golf Club

Warringah Golf Club

Wembridge, William (Bill) -

War Historian

W Sheridan Photographics



The Executive and General Committee

Back L to R: Greg MacMahon, Kelly Trim, Barry Muncke, Janine Fahey, Jan Lysaght, Ben Crabbe, Tricia Hamilton, Gary Milsted, Tyler Stowe, Nicole Bridges, Neil Armstrong, Charlie Jormanainen, Geoff Small, Tim Loone, Peter MacMahon Front L to R: Andrew Sole, Mark Anderson, Stuart Spencer, Craig Thomas.

Absent: Jesse Bowyer, Martin Bowyer, Greg Broome, Brendan Dunkin, Bailey Dwyer, Liz Green, Sue Hart, Luke Hochkins, Jess Layton

SYDNEY NORTHERN BEACHES BRANCH SPONSORS 2023 - 2024

Avène Surf Life Saving Australia

Dee Why RSL Club Surf Life Saving NSW

ICMS URM

Northern Beaches Council Westfield Warringah Mall

Federal Government Beach Safety Equipment Funding Programme Federal Government Community Lifesaving Equipment Grant

SLS NSW SPONSORS

Your Local Club Sharkskin Team Building With Purpose

Deputy Midford Energy Locals

Envirobank Dolphin

NATIONAL SPONSORS

Ampol DHL Isuzu
BRP Dulux Westpac

NIPPER MAJOR AWARDS

Peter Murphy Memorial Trophy

for Junior Encouragement: Reef Bridges

Chairman's Committee Award: Jackie King & Amanda Kew

Junior Boy Carnival Champion: Hudson White
Junior Girl Carnival Champion: Zara Petersen
Senior Boy Carnival Champion: Buddy Armstrong
Senior Girl Carnival Champion: Isabelle Kenna
Best Male Beach Competitor at State: Not Awarded

Best Female Beach Competitor at State: Not Awarded

Best Male Water Competitor at State: Hudson White
Best Female Water Competitor at State: Harlem White
Alana de Kort R&R Memorial Award: Not Awarded

Best R&R Team at State: Not Awarded
Lawrie McGaw Most Outstanding
March Past Competitor: Not Awarded

2023/24 Club Nipper Girls Captain: All U14's Girls 2023/24 Club Nipper Boy Captain: All U14's Boys

Under 14 Girls:

Club Champion

1st Isabelle Kenna

2nd Isabelle Reedman

3rd N/A

Beach Carnival Champion: Isabelle

Kenna

Water Carnival Champion: N/A

Surf Life Saving Award: Isabelle Kenna

Under 14 Boys:

Club Champion

1st Buddy Armstrong

2nd Mason Kaines

3rd Beau Osborn

Beach Carnival Champion: N/A Water Carnival Champion: Buddy

Armstrong

Surf Life Saving Award: Matteo

Colasuonno

Under 13 Girls:

Club Champion

1st Milla Geercke

2nd Hayley Kenna

3rd Sasha Fanygin

Beach Carnival Champion: Hayley Kenna

Water Carnival Champion: N/A Surf Life Saving Award: Hayley Kenna

Under 13 Boys:

Club Champion

1st Ethan Thomas

2nd Noah Hammond

3rd Jake Mathie

Beach Carnival Champion: N/A Water Carnival Champion: N/A

Surf Life Saving Award: Nikita Kazakov

Under 12 Girls:

Club Champion

1st Maddy Reedman/Savanah Geercke

2nd Ruby Clarke

3rd Isabella-Rose Langley Beach Carnival Champion: N/A Water Carnival Champion: N/A Surf Life Saving Award: Anica

Middlebrook

Under 12 Boys:

Club Champion

1st Hudson Geercke

2nd Massimo Colasuonno

3rd Davi Marx

Beach Carnival Champion: N/A Water Carnival Champion: N/A Surf Life Saving Award: Massimo

Colasuonno

Under 11 Girls:

Club Champion

1st Harlem White

2nd Issey Eagle

3rd Gemma Cooke

Beach Carnival Champion: Harlem White

Water Carnival Champion: N/A

Surf Life Saving Award: Veronika Istomina

Under 11 Boys:

Club Champion

1st Dash Armstrong

2nd Sam Kenna

3rd Will King

Beach Carnival Champion: Dash

Armstrona

Water Carnival Champion: Sam Kenna Surf Life Saving Award: Harrison Bauer

Under 10 Girls:

Club Champion

1st Remy Eagle

2nd Olive Thompson

3rd Alivia Cooper

Beach Carnival Champion: Zara Petersen

Water Carnival Champion: N/A Surf Life Saving Award: Remy Eagle

Under 10 Boys:

Club Champion

1st Cruz King

2nd Finlay Hess

3rd Oliver Hardy

Beach Carnival Champion: Cruz King Water Carnival Champion: Finlay Hess

Surf Life Saving Award: Duke Bealey/Reef

Bridges

Under 9 Girls:

Club Champion

1st Elsie Jackson

2nd Elle Alder

3rd Grace Westmoreland

Beach Carnival Champion: N/A Water Carnival Champion: N/A

Surf Life Saving Award: Chloe Brown

Under 9 Boys:

Club Champion

1st Hudson White

2nd Henry Mccormick

3rd Beau Moulsdale

Beach Carnival Champion: N/A

Water Carnival Champion: Hudson White Surf Life Saving Award: Hudson Miles

CLUB AWARDS 2023-2024

Dick Twight Pursuit of Excellence Award:

Gary Milsted

John Ison Memorial Most Outstanding Member:

Ben Crabbe

Bill Goodman Most Outstanding Committee Member:

Bailey Dwyer

President's Trophy:

Janine Fahey

Doug Graham Memorial Most Improved Member:

Kieran Gavin

Mick Hogan Most Outstanding Under 19 Member:

Aiyla Thomas-Smith / Hannah Bosland

Most Improved Under 19 Member:

Not awarded

Mick Chapman Most Outstanding Under 17 Member:

Chelsea Robertson

Geoff Small Most Improved Under 17 Member:

Eduardo Briones / Toby Johnston

Most Outstanding Under 15 Member:

Nikolay Fanygin

Alan Leathley Rookie of the Year:

Dietrich Benjes

Fred Hopper Memorial Shield Most Outstanding Team in Competition:

Ladies March Past Team

Macintosh Foundation

Most Outstanding Board and Ski Award:

Michael Bullivant

Neil Montgomery OAM

Most Outstanding Male Beach Competitor:

Not awarded

Most Outstanding Female Beach Competitor:

Kerry Armstrong

Most Outstanding Masters Competitor:

Miho Kawasaki

Paul Booth Boat Crew of the Year:

Cannons (Aiyla Thomas-Smith, Chelsea Robertson, Hannah Bosland, Darcy Robbins, Mark Reece (sweep)

Frank Hall Memorial Boatman of the Year:

Frankie Webster

Collaroy SLSC Most Improved Rower:

Toby Johnston

Stan Twight Rower's Encouragement Award:

Cass Hammond

Paul and Jacqui de Kort R&R Team of the Year:

Open 5 Male R&R (Dietrich Benjes, Leigh Brennan, Paul Ducker, Jake de Kort, Jesse Bowyer)

Ray Barker Memorial R&R Trophy:

Leigh Brennan

Col Newman Most Outstanding March Past Competitor:

Kelly Trim

Sigi and Robyn Hill Competitive Inspiration Award:

Ryan O'Shea

Bill Abbott Most Outstanding Patrol Captain:

Saxon Lysaght-Wheeler

Patrol of the Year:

Patrol 12 – Bailey Dwyer (Captain), Hannah Bosland, Andrew Davies, Luke Duffell, Luca Ferguson, Cameron Haigh, Matthew Hopkins, Toby Johnston, Jasper Langley, Chelsea Robertson, Tyler Stowe, Aiyla Thomas-Smith

Reid Barton Memorial Most Outstanding Patrol Member:

Jye Tattersall

Junior Patrol Member of the Year:

Cheyan Maulguet

Top Ten Patrol Hours Award (In order):

Sigi Hill, Ben Crabbe, Jesse Bowyer, Beau Maulguet, Bailey Dwyer, Chelsea Robertson, Fiona Hall, Jean-Pierre Maulguet, Jan Lysaght, Jye Tattersall

100% Patrol Hours:

Cheyan Maulguet

LIFE SAVING AWARDS

Silver Medallion Patrol Captain (1):

Marianne Troop

Training Officer (IRB) (1):

Alex Fiedler

Surf Rescue Certificate (CPR Endorsed) (7):

Elliot Anderson, Buddy Armstrong, Isabelle Kenna, Beau Osborn, Isabelle Reedman, Sofia Smirnova, Ethan Thomas Bronze Medallion / Certificate II in Public safety and Aquatic Rescue (18):

Patrick Barham, Chris Boyes Eduardo Briones, Amelie Chan, Alastair Chapman, Lily Crabbe, Matthew Hopkins, Janice Johnson, Brielle Johnston, Ella Johnstone, Sophia Karris, Cheyan Maulguet, Brett Mccormick, Greer Pollard, Yana Salbieva, Talia St Clare, Blake White, Erin White

COMPETITION RESULTS 2023-2024

Australian Surf Life Saving Championships

Maroochydore, Alexandra Headland and Mooloolaba Beaches – 13 to 21 April 2024

22nd place on 24 Points

GOLD:

Open March Past: Collaroy Ladies (Kerry Armstrong, Nicole Bowyer, Nicole Bridges, Anne Bullivant, Fran Byrne, Jacqui de Kort, Alison Ducker, Janine Fahey, Karen McKie, Anna Mickan, Sue Perry, Debra Trim, Coach: Paul de Kort)

65-69 Female 1km Beach Run: Kerry Armstrong **SILVER:**

Open March Past: Collaroy Bears (Tony Aouad, Neil Armstrong, Martin Bowyer, Greg Broome, Ben Crabbe, Luke Hochkins, Dave Macintosh AM, Greg MacMahon, Peter MacMahon, Kenyon McKie, Barry Muncke, Col Newman, Craig Williams, Coach Paul Ducker)

Under 23 Female Surfboat: Collaroy Crusaders (Lauren Deane, Bella Dunkin, Alex Hoatson, Frankie Webster, Sweep Gavin Scott)

Under 19 Female Surfboat: Collaroy Cannons (Hannah Bosland, Darcy Robbins, Chelsea Robertson, Aiyla Thomas-Smith, Sweep Mark Reece)

55-59 Female 2km Beach Run: Miho Kawasaki **BRONZE:**

65-69 Female Beach Flags: Kerry Armstrong

New South Wales State Championships

OPEN Queenscliff, North Steyne and Freshwater Beaches – 15 to 17 March 2024

Opens 25th on 24 points

Surfboats 12th on 9points

GOLD:

Open March Past: Collaroy Ladies (Kerry Armstrong, Nicole Bowyer, Anne Bullivant, Fran Byrne, Jacqui de Kort, Ann Maree Donlan, Alison Ducker, Janine Fahey, Anna Mickan, Brooke Miller, Sue Perry, Debra Trim, Coach: Paul de Kort)

BRONZE:

Under 23 Female Surfboat: Collaroy Crusaders (Lauren Deane, Bella Dunkin, Alex Hoatson, Frankie Webster, Sweep Gavin Scott)

MASTERS Queenscliff and North Steyne Beaches – 13 to 14 March 2024

29th place on 31 points

GOLD:

65-69 Female 1km Beach Run: Kerry Armstrong **65-69 Female Beach Sprint:** Kerry Armstrong **SILVER:**

65-69 Female Beach Flags: Kerry Armstrong 55-59 Female 2km Beach Run: Miho Kawasaki 55-59 Female Beach Sprint: Miho Kawasaki

BRONZE:

55-59 Female Beach Flags: Miho Kawasaki

New South Wales State Championships

AGE Queenscliff, North Steyne and Freshwater Beaches- 7 to 10 March 2024

42nd place on 4 points

BRONZE:

Under 9 Male Surf: Hudson White

Sydney Northern Beaches Branch Open and Masters Championships

Newport Beach

11 February and 2 March 2024

GOLD:

Open March Past: Collaroy Bears (Tony Aouad, Neil Armstrong, Greg Broome, Ben Crabbe, Luke Hochkins, Dave Macintosh AM, Greg MacMahon, Peter MacMahon, Kenyon McKie, Barry Muncke, Col Newman, Craig Williams, Coach Paul Ducker).

Open March Past Premiership: Collaroy Ladies (Kerry Armstrong, Nicole Bowyer, Tara Bowyer, Nicole Bridges, Anne Bullivant, Jacqui de Kort, Ann-Maree Donlan, Alison Ducker, Fran Byrne, Janine Fahey, Karen McKie, Anna Mickan, Brooke Miller, Jordan Monnock, Sue Perry, Debra Trim, Coach Paul de Kort)

Open Female Surfboat SNB Premiership: Collaroy Giants (Jess Layton, Rhiannon Lea, Abbey Trim, Jodie Trim, Kelly Trim, Sweep Mark Anderson)

Under 23 Female Surfboat: Collaroy Crusaders (Lauren Deane, Isabella Dunkin, Alex Hoatson, Frankie Webster, Sweep Gavin Scott)

Under 23 Female Surfboat SNB Premiership: Collaroy Crusaders (Lauren Deane, Isabella Dunkin, Alex Hoatson, Frankie Webster, Sweep Gavin Scott)

65-69 Female 1km Beach Run: Kerry Armstrong
60-64 Female Beach Sprint: Philippa Wight
55-59 Female Beach Sprint: Miho Kawasaki
55-59 Female Beach Flags: Miho Kawasaki

230 Female Beach Relay: Collaroy Red (Kerry Armstrong, Miho Kawasaki, Amy Ryniker, Philippa Wight)

SILVER:

Open March Past: Collaroy Ladies (Kerry Armstrong, Tara Bowyer, Anne Bullivant, Ann-Maree Donlan, Fran Byrne, Janine Fahey, Karen McKie, Anna Mickan, Brooke Miller, Jordan Monnock, Sue Perry, Debra Trim, Coach Paul de Kort)

Open March Past Premiership: Collaroy Bears (Tony Aouad, Neil Armstrong, Martin Bowyer, Greg Broome, Ben Crabbe, Luke Hochkins, Dave Macintosh AM, Greg MacMahon, Peter MacMahon, Kenyon McKie, Barry Muncke, Col Newman, Craig Williams, Coach Paul Ducker)

Open Female Surfboat: Collaroy Giants (Jess Layton, Rhiannon Lea, Jodie Trim, Kelly Trim, Sweep Mark Anderson)

Open Male 5 Person R&R: Collaroy A (Dietrich Benjes, Jesse Bowyer, Leigh Brennan, Jake de Kort, Paul Ducker, Coach Jacqui de Kort).

Under 19 Female Surfboat: Collaroy Cannons (Hannah Bosland, Ciara Denton, Darcy Robbins, Chelsea Robertson, Aiyla Thomas-Smith, Sweep Mark Reece)

Under 19 Female Surfboat SNB Premiership: Collaroy Cannons (Hannah Bosland, Ciara Denton, Darcy Robbins, Chelsea Robertson, Aiyla Thomas-Smith, Sweep Mark Reece

55-59 Female 2km Beach Run: Miho Kawasaki

BRONZE:

Open March Past: Collaroy Comebacks (Lachlan Davis, Liz Green, Aimee Gundry, Elissa Hosking, Eleanor Howell, Jess Layton, Beau Maulguet, Sarah McRitchie, Ryan O'Shea, Abbey Trim, Jodie Trim, Kelly Trim, Coach Debra Trim)

Under 23 Female Surfboat: Collaroy Crusaders (Lauren Deane, Bella Dunkin, Alex Hoatson, Frankie Webster, Sweep Gavin Scott)

65-69 Female Beach Sprint: Kerry Armstrong **65-69 Female Beach Flags:** Kerry Armstrong **40-44 Female Beach Sprint:** Amy Ryniker

Sydney Northern Beaches Junior Championships

Newport Beach

11 and 18 February 2024

Water – 9th on 33 points, Beach - 7th on 55 points GOLD:

Under 9 Male Board: Hudson White
Under 11 Male Beach Flags: Sam Kenna
Under 14 Female Beach Flags: Isabelle Kenna

SILVER:

Under 10 Female Beach Flags: Zara Petersen

Under 10 Female Beach Relay: Collaroy A (Remy Eagle,

Zali O'Malley, Zara Petersen, Olive Thompson)

Under 10 Mixed Beach Relay: (Remy Eagle, Cruz King,

Thomas O'Malley, Zara Petersen)

Under 11 Male Beach Relay: Collaroy B (Dash Armstrong,

Reef Bridges, Cruz King, Thomas O'Malley)

BRONZE:

Under 9 Male Surf: Hudson White

Under 10 Female Beach Sprint: Zara Petersen Under 10 Male Beach Sprint: Thomas O'Malley

Under 10 Male Beach Relay: Collaroy Red (Duke Bealey,

Oliver Hardy, Cruz King, Thomas O'Malley)

Under 11 Male Beach Relay: Collaroy A (Darcy Grech,

Sam Kenna, Mitchell Kew, William King)









LIST OF MEMBERS

Honour Blazer (8)

Chequer, Ralph *
Goodman, W (Bill)
OAM*
Graham, Doug *
Ison, John*
Leathley, Alan*
MacMahon, Gregory
Montgomery, Neil
OAM*
Twight, R (Dick)
OAM *

Life Members (62)

Abbott, William* Armstrong, Neil Booth, Paul Broome, Gregory Bruce, Graeme* Cameron, Austin * Carlisle, Graham OAM * Chapman, A B (Mick) Chequer, Bert * Chequer, Ralph * Chequer, WB* De Kort, Jacqueline de Kort, Paul Dellit, Austin * Donohue, Frank * Ducker, Paul Evans, John * Evans, Max * Farrell, I J (Jonathan) Forbes, William * Goodman, W (Bill) OAM* Graham, Doug * Greenwood, Arch * Hall, Frank * Hardy, W (Bill)* Hart, Graham Hochkins, Luke Isaacs, Raymond Ison. John*

Langbein, R (Bob)

Leathley, Alan*

Lee, John '

Lewis, John

OAM

Lytham, Richard OAM' Macintosh, David AM Macqueen, Rod AM MacMahon, Gregory MacMahon, Peter McGennan, John McGrigor, Wallace* McKie, Karen McKie, Kenyon McDonald, Hector OAM* Meyn, Harry * Mickan, Phillip Mitchell, W (Bill) * Montgomery, Chris Montgomery, Neil OAM* Montgomery, Peter * Newman, Colin Perry, David Pring, Thomas* Proctor, Charles E (Chic)* Rankin, John * Redwood, George* Reece, Mark Sheldon, Athol * Small, Geoffrey Sullivan, Manus * Twight, R (Dick) OAM* Twight, Stan Snr * Walsh, Laurie*

Life Members — War Service 1914-1918 (37)

Abbott, H W *
Abbott, R N *
Ball, A *
Basser, N *
Blakeman, P E *
Blayden, N *
Borig, H *
Borig, L *
Brissenden, E M *
Brown, G *
Casey, N *
Connell, T *
Davidson, A *
Dellit, G S *
Donaldson, K *

Doucherty, A * Ellis, W * Gillies, K * Goldsborough, J J * Hirons, J* Hirch, P * Hunter, HR* Hunter, W * King, JJ* Lee, A * Lee, L* Lee, W * Ludowici, H * McKinnon, J * Quinn, L' Ryrie, Sir G De L* Sheldon, LA* Shepherd, W * Smith, T * Solomons, E * Tindale, F * Wilson, W *

Distinguished Service Members (98)

Anderson, Mark

Aouad, Tony

Aouad, Wendy Armstrong, Gregg Armstrong, Kerry Armstrong, Lauren Armstrong, Michael OAM Armstrong, Neil Armstrong, Pat * Barker, Ray * Barton, A R (Reid) * Booth, Geoff * Booth, Paul Bott, Peter Bradford, John Bosward, Reece Bowyer, Martin Broome, Gregory Brown, John Bullivant, Anne Carr, Bernard Chaffer, Norman* Coulston, Ken Cripps, Barry * de Kort, Jacqueline de Kort, Paul Diggins, Edward

Graham, DP (Don) * Green, Elizabeth Green, Stephen Hart, Graham Hart, Susan Haworth, Anthony* Heath, Barry * Hill, Robyn Hochkins, Luke Holdt, Vince Hopper, David Isaacs, Raymond Kenny, Sean Lance, Alan* Langbein, R (Bob) OAM Langbein, Ross Lewis, John Lytham, Richard OAM Macintosh, David AM MacMahon, Gregory MacMahon, Peter Macqueen, Rod AM Macqueen, Scott McDermott. Peter McDonald, Hector OAM * McGaw, Lawrie * McGennan, John McKie, Karen McKie, Kenyon Mickan, Phillip Miller, Brooke Milsted, Gary Montgomery, Chris Montgomery, Gary Montgomery, lan Muncke, Barry Newman, Colin Perry, David Pring, Thomas * Reece, Mark

Ritson, Barry

Rylands, Ian

Rossi, Suzanne

Rubagotti, Ryan

Dilger, Warwick

Ducker, Paul

Eadie, Walter *

Fahey, Janine

Farrell, I J (Jonathan)

Fahey, John

Gibbons, Len

Gittoes, Ken

Gittoes, Matthew

Graham, R (Dick)*

Scott. Gavin Scott, Stephen Sheridan, W (Bill) Small, Geoffrey Sole, Andrew Sole, Tamara (Tara) Stephens, Craig Thomas, Craig Thompson, Clive Ticehurst, Robert * Tomblin, R (Mike) Trim, Debra Trim, Richard Troop, Marianne Twight, Stan * Whitnall, W (Bill)*

Long Service (53)

Andjelkovic, Richard Armstrong, Shane Baker, Mark Bealey, Matthew Bosward, Sharon Bridges, Nicole Bullivant, Michael Campbell, Angus Campbell, Lindsay Chaffer, Carol Chaffer, Ross de Kort. Jake Doney, Stephanie Dunkin, Brendan Ensor, Colin Felton, John Forsyth, Dougal Freeman, Shane Green, Kathryn Griffin, Scott Gundry, Aimee Hamilton, Grahame Hamilton, Patricia Harvey, Rebecca Hill, Sigi Hosking, William Howell, Eleanor Ison, Michelle* Jones, Ian Lamb, Ross Langley, Glenn Layton, Jessica MacMahon, Helene Maloney, Robert McDowell, Linda McDowell, Neil

Diggins, Matthew

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Fiedler, Alexander

McKay, Nathan McRitchie, Sarah Nicholas, Sam Pacey, Matt Payne, Grayham Pearce, Jason Powis, Dominique Ruban, Nick Rumble, Peter Trim, Abbey Trim, Jodie Trim, Kelly Trim, Mitchell Walding, Alexandra Ward, John Wells, lan White, Blake

Active Reserve (3)

Bathie, Craig Bowyer, Tara Lea, Rhiannon

Active Senior (81)

Barratt, Peter Bathie, Scott Benjes, Dietrich Bevis, Claire Blatchford, Christopher Bowyer, Jesse Brecknell, Aidan Brennan, Leigh Brill, Graham Bronier, Naomi Brouggy, Kate Brown, Anthony Brown, Gemma Chan, Kaye Coleman, David Crabbe, Ben Dampney, Kate Davies, Andrew Deane, Lauren Donald, Benjamin Dose, Brock Dunkin, Isabella Duymaer, Mavrick Dwyer, Bailey Fairlie, Peta Fechner-Head, Anika Fiedler, Alicia Fiedler, Christina Gray, David Haigh, Karen Hall, Fiona Hall, Michael Hennessey, Cathy Hoatson, Alex Johnson, Patrick Jormanainen, Charlie Kawasaki, Miho Ling, Matthew Loone, Annabelle Loone, Christian Loone, Tim Lysaght, Jan Lysaght-Wheeler, Saxon MacMahon, Joshua MacMahon, Lachlan Mathie. Andrew Maulquet, Jean-Pierre McShane, Luke Monnock, Deborah Morgan, Belinda Morgan, Christopher Pacey, Mia Paris, Stuart Patrick, Douglas Perry, Anna Perry, David M Phillips, Tim Pike, Matthew Ruban, Samuel Ryniker, Amy Senn, Phil Simmons, Toby Spencer, Emma Spencer, Stuart St Clare, Tristan Stowe, Tyler Suters, Amelia Swanepoel, Eugene Szann, Tiah Talty, Noel Tattersall, Chelsea Tattersall, Jye Theunissen, Antoinette Thomas-Smith, Lachlan Viesis, Archie Webster, Frankie

Wight, Philippa

Wood, Erica

Woodford, Nicholas Woodley, Leigh

Under 19 (29)

Bosland, Hannah Briones, Alejandro Chaffer, Luke Chan. Joshua Davis, Lachlan Denton, Ciara Dose, Estelle Duffell, Luke Duffin, Lily Fiedler, Noah Fountain, Joseph Haigh, Cameron Hill, Marley Keep, Will Langley, Jasper Maulquet, Beau Monnock, Jordan O'Shea, Ryan O'Sullivan, Abbie Robbins, Darcy Tattersall, Jasmine Thomas-Smith, Aiyla Ueki, Lara Viesis, Grace Thomas-Smith, Aiyla Ueki, Lara Viesis, Grace Wood, Poppy

Under 17 (24)

Yeandle, Pippa

Anderson, Summer Barham, Patrick Briones, Eduardo Chan, Amelie Colasuonno, Alessio Crabbe, Lily Ferguson, Luca Fiedler, Liliana Fountain, Katie Grav. Ava Hammond, Cass Hill, Leo Hopkins, Matthew Johnston, Toby Maulguet, Cheyan Monnock, Harvey Pike, Grace Robertson, Chelsea St Clare, Talia

Sole, Charlotte Walsh, Keara Walton, Jessica Walton, Paige Ward, Charlotte

Under 15 (15)

Anderson, Elliot Barbour, Charli Berrill, Jasmine Fanygin, Nikolay Gautum, Tanish Hall, Ethan Hill, Lulu Kazakov, Sofia Ling, Hayden Marx, Nicolas Paris, Max Pike, James St Clare, Olivia Ward, Connor Walsh, Dylan

Senior Associate (54)

Adams, Grant

Askew, Robert Bendall, Denis Bownes, lain Broome, Vicki Broughton, Stephen Brown, Ray Burgmann, Peter Byrne, Frances Chaffer, Gary Cooney, Gerard DeBono, Gino Diggins, Charmaine Donlan, Ann-Maree Donlan, Mark Freeman, Gregory Garland, Mark Gavin, Kieran Gittoes, Mandy Glasgow, Barry Hallinan, Colin Hamilton, Anthony Heffernan, Stephen Isaacs, Jeannette Jormanainen, Arto Jowett, Warren Kelleard, Meryl Kirkpatrick, Rory

Lavers, Steve Levy, Ron Ling, Barry McClelland, John McColl, Stephen McDonald, Graham Mickan, Anna New, Stephen Nicholas, Bruce Perry, Susan Roberts, William Rogerson, Philip Rutherford, Omar Ruthven. Peter Sanders, Robert Sexton, Alex Small, Margaret Small, Mark Thomas, Brett Thomson, Gary Twight, Elizabeth West, Stephen Whittaker, Elizabeth Whittaker, Neil Wood, Richard Worthington, Brook

Associates (39)

Alexander, Greg Attanasio, Robert Barbour, Mardi Benjes, Sarah Bowyer, Nicole Clarke, Natalie Devenish-Meares, Isabella Doyle, Tara Ducker, Alison Ducker, Kate Freeman, Jason Gilmartin, Darryl Gilmartin, Hannah Gilmartin, Melissa Hosking, Elissa Hynes, Jon Johnson, Edward Johnson, Janice Johnstone. Brielle Johnstone, Ella Karris, Sophia Langley, Paul Macintosh, Scott Murdoch, Glenn Orhan, Emre Pollard, Green

Roberts, Chris Roebuck, Sarah Rowe, Georgina Ruthven, David Ryan, Benjamin Ryan, Nick Shrivell, Suzie Thomas, Joshua Thomas, Sophia Walton, Bronwyn Ware, Adam Williams, Craig Yeandle, Louise

Honorary Members (5)

Armstrong, Paul Armstrong, Michael OAM Butterworth, John Roberts, Christopher Sheridan, W (Bill)

JAB Membership (372)

Acworth, Jasper Acworth, Layla Acworth, Sadie Adamietz, Rose Aguilera, Joey Alder, Elle Algar, Arlo Algar, Olive Andjelkovic, Xander Anschau, Fox Armstrong, Buddy Armstrong, Chilli Armstrong, Dash Armstrong, Jack Auld, Poppy Barbour, Archie Barthas, Freja Baseley, Billie Baseley, Ziggy Bates, Lincoln Bauer, Harrison Bauer, Josh Bealey, Duke Becker, Remy Beeton, Grace Bellamy, Layla

Bellamy, Zara

Benham, Halle Benham, Willa Bennar, Yohana Bennett, Zayne Bevis, Elka Bevis, Luke Biddleston, Mia Blackwell, Lottie Blackwell, Mathilda Blair, Ben Blair, Jessica Blatchford, Evelyn Bosward, Cullen Bourke, William Boyes, Alfie Brennan, Amelia Bridges, Reef Brown, Chloe Brown, Kyah Bryson, Tasman Buchta, Saskia Burgmann, Ivy Burley, River Burley, Willow Campbell, Liam Campo, Brando Campo, Jai Cappelletti, Olivia Carson, Eleanor Chapman, Matilda Chapman, Vincent Cheesman, Oliver Clarke, Dotty Clarke, Ruby Colasuonno, Massimo Colasuonno, Matteo Collier Ribeiro, Zion Collins, Imogen Collins, Lexi Cooke, Gemma Cooke, Zachary Coombes, Emelia Coombes, Georgia Cooper, Alivia Cooper, Jax Cornick, Finnley Cornick, Rafferty Couper, Molly Couper, Toby Crowe, Angelina Darcy, Eve De Almeida, Benicio

Dempster, Owen

Denkov, Aria

Dolan, Layla

Doney, Ella

Doney, Lucas Dos Santos, Thor Dowell, Harrison Dowell, Joshua Dunn, Mahli Eagle, Clementine Eagle, Issey Eagle, Remy Edwards, Frankie Edwards, Georgie Edwards, Georgie Edwards, Sam Ershova, Anna Evans, Chase Evans, Fletcher Fanygin, Alexandra Ferrier, Elliot Ferrier, Taylor Fitzgerald, Kasey Foster, Lucy Foster, William Gandega, Gaye Geercke, Harper Geercke, Hudson Geercke, Milla Geercke, Savanah Gibby, Ella Gill, Mitchell Gillies, Georgia Gittoes, Sophie Giudici, Malu Gobsill, Linden Goldstein, Camille Goldstein, Yvette Grech, Darcy Grech, Mila Griffiths, Illana Gumustekin, Arya Gutherson, Isabella Gutherson, Macey Hale, Frankie Halgren, Zac Hall, Alfie Hall, Zane Hammond, Noah Hardy, Eliza Hardy, Frances Hardy, Oliver Harris, Kai Harris, Mila Harris, Olivia Harrison, Sadie Hedgeland, Thomas Henry, Charli

Hess, Finlay Hewitt, Samuel Hill, Cleo Holgersson, Samuel Holmes, Juliette Horsten, Chelsea Houden, Leia Hourigan, Harvey Hurst, Ruby Hutton, Brody Ingber, Netz Ingber, Phoenix Istomina. Veronika Jackson, Aria Jackson, Elsie Jarvie, Indigo Joris, Georgie Jujka-Smith, Harry Jujka-Smith, Max Kaines, Mason Kameas. Rohan Kameas, Tobias Kavanagh, Edwin Kazakov, Lara Kazakov, Nikita Keegan, Bridie Keegan, Lucy Kenna, Hayley Kenna, Isabelle Kenna, Sam Kerl, Lucas Kew, Mitchell King, Cruz King, Samuel King, Theodore King, William Kirk, Niamh Konen, Florence Kotowski, Mila Krecul, Michaela Kumar, Arsh Lalonde, Grace Lalonde, Saxon Lamond, Everly Lancaster, Willow Langley, Isabella-Rose Larsen, Giselle Larsen. Scarlett Leeson, Charley Leeson, Milla Lekhwar, Krish Lembke-Hogan, Levi Lessing, Ellison Lever, Indigo Lever, Josephine

Lever, Lachlan Lewington, Bear Lewington, Forest Lind. Mitchell Ling, Kieran Llorente, Kalani Gonzalez Llorente, Mikel Gonzalez Loudon, Joshua Loudon, Natasha Lowry, Mila Lutze, Jake Mace, Poppy Mallick Arlo Manion, Evie Mansfield, Poppy Mare, Edie Marlow, Alma Marlow, Angus Marsden, Kaia Martin, Ella Martin. Lucie Marx, Davi Marx, Nina Mathie, Jake Mccall, Millie Mccann, Emelia Mccormick, Henry Mccormick, Hugo McGann, Estelle McGann, Violet McKay, Leo Mckenna, Eliza McKie. Georgie McKie, Ruby Mcleod, Isabella Middlebrook, Anica Middlebrook, Coco Miles, Daisy Miles, Hudson Milson, Noah Moloney, Ryder Moloney, Tyde Moore-Frith, Lula Morgan, Xavier Moth, Henry Moth, Sophia Moulsdale. Beau Moulsdale, Lillian Munro, Taj Munton, Maggie Ndiritu, Sasha Ndiritu, Trevor Nervegna, Bianca Ng, Jade

Henry, Isaac-Gabriel

Henry, Sofia-Tekui

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Slabko, Lana

Smirnova, Sofia

Noovao, Liana Novakov, Chloe Nunn, Jamie O'Brien, Jackson O'Connor, Bobby-John Ohalloran, Lucas Oldham, Isla Oldham, Vance Olney-Lee, Finn O'Malley, Thomas O'Malley, Zali Orazio, Leo Osborn, Beau Osborn, Hallie Page, Lily Palatucci, Alexander Parker, Sienna Parry, Atticus Parry, Emerson Patrick, Heidi Patrick, Lewis Perry, Matilda Petersen, Will Petersen, Zara Phillips, Jakson Pilcher, Thomas Ransome, Lennon Ransome. Lexie Reedman, Isabelle Reedman, Madeleine Reidenbach, Kai Rhone, Charlotte Rhone, Otis Ribakovs, Martins Robertson, Ava Robertson, Frankie Romeo, Madison Romeo, Zayla Rowlands, Rose Rvan. Evie Ryan, Lachlan Ryan, Ollie Ryan, Savannah Ryrie, Ashton Salbieva, Maiia Salotto, Max Salvaggio, Freddy Scullin, Parker Senn, Ivy Senn, Will Seuseu, Macy Shannon, Indigo Simon, Grace

Skrlik, Amalia

Skrlik, Penelope

Smith, Lucinda Smith, Nelson Smith, Rosie Spiteri, Hudson Stark, Lucas Stevenson, Jasmine Storey, Oliver Stott, Cleo Stott, Jasper Strom, Rollo Swaleh, Adam Swaleh, Surah Taggart, Ethan Taggart, Matilda Tasker, Kaia Tasker, Teina Taylor, Austin Taylor, Cohen Tetevano, Luca Thew, Ryan Thomas, Ethan Thompson, Archie Thompson, Olive Tito, Salvador Tobin, Annie Tout. Chloe Tout, Elliot Vargas Edwards, Lola Vesey, Ella Vesey, Kai Vesey, Matilda Wadsworth, Lilly Wakeling, Amalia Wakeling, Julian Wall, Austin Wall, Matilda Walsh, Lucas Ward, Mila Watson, Henry Way, Eleanore Way, Owen Way, Rose Westmoreland, Grace Westmoreland, Olivia Weston, Jacob Wheeler, Erin White, Harlem White, Hazel White, Hudson Whittaker, Billie Whittaker, Jack Whittaker, Kobe

Whittaker, Mila

Whittaker, Sadie

Whittaker, Willow
Wild, Rosie
Williamson, Poppy
Wilson, Wren
Winfield, Jack
Woodford, Roxy
Woods, Archer
Wrathall, Josephine
Wright, Rudy
Wright, Scarlett
Wright, Sullivan
Wrightson,
Evangeline
Wrightson, Margot

Nipper Associates (283)

Acworth, Nicola Acworth, William Adamietz, Katie Aguilera, Julian Alder, Michelle Algar, Michelle Anschau, Ben Anschau, Renee Ashall, Hayley Auld, Vibakka Barbour, David Barthas, Bruno Bates, Matthew Bauer, Antony Becker, Wendy Beeton, Troy Bellamy, Haley Bellamy, Steven Benham, Jock Bennar, Tomas Bennett, Warren Biddleston, Brad Blackwell, Daniel Blair, Kylie Blatchford, Donna Bourke, Michael Boves. Chris Brennan, James Bridges, Mitchell Brown, Aaron Brown, Alix Bryson, Corey Buchta, Dominic Burgmann, Jessica Burley, Gillian Caballero Escuti, Florencia

Cheesman, Lee Clarke, Cara Clarke, Jon Colasuonno, Joanne Coles, Brian Collier, Yasmin Collins, Rebecca Cooke, Amy Cooke, Ryan Coombes, Jono Cooper, Jennifer Cooper, Luke Cull, Sally Damiens, Ursulina Darcy, Joe Davis, Matthew De Jong, Holly Denkov, Jade Doney, Josh Dos Santos, Rodrigo Dowell, Rebecca Dujin, Carolina Eagle, Luke Edwards, Brooke Edwards. Holly Edwards, Tim Elliott, Kate Ershov, Yury Evans, Mikela Fanygin, Pavel Ferrier, Shevaun Foster, Elizabeth Frith, Michael Gandega, Krystal Geercke, Luke Gibby, Stacey Gill. Matthew Gillies. Brendon Giudici. Maximo Goldstein, Andrew Grech, Kristy Grech, Mal Grieve, Emily Gumustekin, Ezgi Gutherson, Josh Gutierrez, Michelle Hale, Wilson Halgren, Michael Hammond, Sophie Hardy, Lachlan Hardy, Victoria Harness, Chloe

Campbell, Lucy

Cappalletti, Ariel

Chapman, Alastair

Campo, Eva

Harris, Cameron Harris, Dean Harrison, Abby Harvey, Matthew Hedgeland, Aishlinn Henry, Henry Henry, Hinemotu Hess, Jason Hill, Sally Holgersson, Nicole Holgersson, Peter Holmes, Hannah Holmes. Matt Horsten, Britt Horsten, Chris Houden, Alexis Hourigan, Wayne Hughes, Karen Hurst, Brenton Hutton, Bree-Anna Ingber, Omer Istomin, Dimitry Jarvie, Hannah Jeronimo, Mariana Joris. Anton Juanda, Claire Jujka-Smith, Rachel Karpatsis, Petroula Kavanagh, Daniel Kazakov, Liuba Keegan, Sarah Kendall, Kristin Kenna, Janelle Kerl, Peter Kew, Amanda Kew, Benjamin King, Jacqueline King, Rebecca Kirk, Caroline Kneebone, Sherryl Konen, Daniel Kotowski, Christopher Kotowski, Jessica Kumar, Bhanu Lalonde, Jarod Lalonde, Skye Lamond, Ellis Lancaster, Emma Larsen, Jessica Leeson, Kristie Lekhwar, Rajesh Lever, Adam Lewington, Jack Lewis, Kelly Lind. Paula

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Moloney, Fitzgel Morgan, Michelle Moth, Benjamin Moulsdale, Steve Munro, Alan Ndiritu, Fred Nervegna, Federico Ng, Howard Nicholas, Sarah Noovao, Baiba Noovao, Teariki Novakov, Kate Novakov, Matthew O'Brien, Holly Oconnell, Aoife O'Connor, Pariss Oldham, Adrian Olney, Jinhee O'Malley, Peter Orazio, Lauren Osborn, Bronwen Osborn, Dominic Palatucci. Nick Palm, Daniel Parker, Ana Parry, David Parry, Matthew Patrick, Christopher

Petersen, Amanda Petersen, Josh Phillips, Julie Pitcher, Alice Rabie, Carly Ransome, Susannah Reedman, Kelly Reedman, Marcus Reidenbach, Sandra Rhone, Levi Ribakovs, Andreis Robertson, Jason Roberts-Thomson, Naomi Romeo, Hailey Rowlands, Matthew Ruhfus, Pia Ryan, Tegan Ryrie, Luke Salbieva, Yana Salotto, Meredith Scullin, Liam Scullin, Sara Senn, Nicole Shannon, Leesa Simon, Peter Skrlik, Martin Skrlik, Renata

Slabko, Sergey Smirnova, Natalia Smith, Neil Spiteri, Daniel Stark, Karen Stevenson, Helen Still, Lee Storey, Cameron Storey, Dean Stott, Danielle Stott, Paul Strom, Christopher Swaleh, Rebecca Taggart, Karen Tasker, Ben Taylor, Chantalle Tetevano, Melody Thew, Ben Thomas, Kim Thompson, Andrew Thompson, Zoe Tout, Joshua Tuivaga, Natalie Vandoros, Christina Vesey, Adam Viskovich, Darren Waddington, Lisa Wadsworth, Sam

Wakeling, Mark Wall, Daniel Walsh, James Ward, Nicole Watson, Allan Way, Ilse Way, Michael Westmoreland. Hannah Weston, Danielle Weston, Matt Wheeler, Joseph White, Erin Whittaker, Lisa Whittaker, Merette Whittaker, Sam Williamson, Prue Wilson, Emma Winestock, Eloise Winfield, Jeffrey Winfield, Nicola Woods, Matt Wrathall, Emilia Wright, Daniel Wright, Louise Wright, Thomas Wrightson, Nathan



COMPARISON TABLE OF MEMBERSHIP									
	15-16	16-17	17-18	18-19	19-20	20-21	21-22	22-23	23-24
Honour Blazer	&7	@7	@7	@7	§7	§7	§7	§8	§ 8
Life Members (1914-18) (all deceased)	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37
Life Members	€51	Ω51	Ω54	‡ 57	\$57	\$57	57خ	¥61	% 62
Distinguished Service	»79	»79	» 81	»85	£90	£93	£95	£95	& 98
Long Service	45	43	50	50	#51	49	53	51	¶ 53
Active Reserve	2	2	4	3	8	10	6	1	3
Active Senior	84	78	88	81	90	100	101	86	81
Active Under 19	29	23	13	39	32	25	30	20	29
Active Under 17	36	22	30	16	28	26	26	25	24
Active Under 15	20	13	21	12	15	13	14	20	15
Senior Associate	47	47	48	49	56	62	68	60	54
Associate	47	56	54	44	43	33	37	39	39
JAB Nippers	375	336	276	245	256	306	285	296	372
JAB Associates	168	180	141	135	142	208	181	229	283
Honorary	4	4	4	3	2	4	4	5	5
Officials, etc not otherwise included	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	928	873	801	761	790	914	884	911	1036

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^{% 29} Deceased, € 31 Deceased, Ω 32 Deceased, ‡ 33 Deceased, \$ 34 Deceased, \Diamond 35 Deceased

Executive Officers	Position	Attended	Apology
Mark Anderson	President	10	2
Liz Green	Vice President	7	5
Andrew Sole	Secretary	11	1
Stuart Spencer	Treasurer	11	1
Jesse Bowyer	Club Captain	8	3
Craig Thomas	JAB Chair	12	0
Neil Armstrong	General Committee	12	0
Martin Bowyer	General Committee	1	11
Greg Broome	General Committee	6	6
Nicole Bridges	R & R Liaison	5	7
Ben Crabbe	JAB Delegate / Gear Steward	12	0
Bailey Dwyer	Sponsorship Officer	8	4
Brendan Dunkin	General Committee	3	9
Janine Fahey	Registrar / Comp Director	11	1
Tricia Hamilton	General Committee	7	5
Sue Hart	General Committee	4	8
Luke Hochkins	Venue Manager	8	4
Charlie Jormanainen	IRB Captain	7	5
Jess Layton	Boat Captain	5	7
Tim Loone	General Committee	9	3
Jan Lysaght	First Aid	9	3
Greg MacMahon	Training / Radio	11	1
Peter MacMahon	General Committee	4	8
Gary Milsted	General Committee	8	4
Barry Muncke	Sponsorship	9	3
Geoff Small	General Committee	11	1
Tyler Stowe	General Committee	7	5
Kelly Trim	General Committee	10	2















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