



YAMBA SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC  
FOUNDED 1908

# **One-Hundred & Second Annual Report**

FOR SEASON ENDED 2009-2010



VIGILANCE AND SERVICE

# **Yamba Surf Life Saving Club Inc**

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## **NOTICE OF MEETING**

Notice is hereby given that the 102nd Annual General Meeting of Yamba Surf Life Saving Club Inc will be held at the Clubhouse, Main Beach Yamba on Sunday, June 20th, 2010 commencing at 10.30am

### **AGENDA**

- Opening of the meeting by the Chairperson
- Apologies
- Adoption of Minutes of previous Annual General Meeting
- Presentation of Annual Report
- Presentation of Income and Expenditure Statement and Balance Sheet
- Election of Office Bearers for season 2010-11
- Appointment of Public Officer
- Affiliation with Far North Coast Branch SLSA
- General Business as may be transacted according to the rules

***Greg Don***

Hon. Secretary

# **Yamba Surf Life Saving Club Inc.**

Affiliated with the Far North Coast Branch of Surf Life Saving NSW

## **OFFICE BEARERS FOR SEASON 2009 – 2010**

**Patron:** W M Dougherty OAM

**Vice – Patrons:** J Saffin, R Burrridge, C Lowien, S. Cansdell,  
M J Dougherty, M Godbee OAM, R Williamson, J McIntosh.

**President:** A Schofield

**Vice – President:** B O'Mahony

**Hon.Secretary:** G Don

**Asst Secretary:** B Sanders

**Treasurer:**

M Harvey

**Asst Treasurer:**

P Sweetman

**Club Captain:**

S Herbert

**Club Vice-Captain:**

J Wiseman

**U19 Captain:**

D Brown

**Training Co-ordinator:**

K Morgans

**JAC Chairperson**

M O'Mahony

**Boat Captain:**

R McSkimming

**Boat Vice-Captain:**

G Holloway

**IRB Captain:**

J Ryan

**IRB Vice-Captain:**

K Ryan

**Branch Delegates:**

A Schofield, J Dougherty

**Patrol Gear Steward:**

P Kelly

**Carnival Gear Steward:**

J Dougherty

**Radio Officer:**

S Pettett

**Registrar:**

L Horton

**Asst Registrar**

M Bramwell-Baker

**OH & S Officer:**

B O'Mahony

**First Aid Officer:**

K Hassey

**Asst First Aid Officer:**

B Jones

**Trauma Officer:**

L Horton, B Onslow, K Lollback

**Publicity Officer**

M Harvey

**House Committee:**

R O'Brien, B O'Mahony, G Zietsch, D Lee, S Body, K Ryan, J Saunders (co-ordinator)

**Social Co-Ordinator:**

A Herbert

**Management Committee:**

R Moody, G Sanders, K Ryan, B Badgery, R Burrridge, J Saunders, R McDermid

**Judiciary Committee:**

J Fahey, M Godbee, B O'Mahony, D Spooner, B Collis, M Smith, A Tarrant, B Sanders

**Medical Officers:**

Drs. Hope, McCarthy and Jones

**Hon. Auditor:**

Kennedy Saunders

**Hon. Solicitor:**

J Fahey

**Public Officer:**

J Baird

**Licensee**

C Bonner



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*Yamba Surf Club engulfed in foam during the May 2009 flood. (Photo courtesy of David Brandon)*

## **SECRETARY'S REPORT**

After the major celebrations of the 2008/2009 season for our 100<sup>th</sup> year this season could best be described as a 'back to the basics' for our club. Obviously these basics are what we are all about and once again we can proudly assert that there were 'no lives lost' due to drowning on Yamba's beaches whilst patrols and lifeguards were on duty.

From my point of view the season has been dominated by events outside our control.

The major flooding and storms in May 2009 gave many great photo opportunities of our clubhouse surrounded by crashing waves. Unfortunately these caused significant damage to the foundations of the club which necessitated expenditure of approximately \$80,000 to repair. Despite our best efforts there was no support from any level of government to help with this cost.

The tragic loss of Jacob Lollback weighs heavily on all of us. The 2010 Australian Championships have also been overshadowed by a loss of life. Words seem quite pointless and inadequate.

Club membership has increased significantly this year from 527 last year to 636 this year. Our junior membership numbers have also increased from 119 to 171. Congratulations to Mel O'Mahony and the JAC committee for providing the opportunity for so many juniors to participate and enjoy surf life saving activities. Thank you to the parents and supporters. Good luck in the coming season to the new committee headed by Kim McFarlane.

During the past season almost 90 awards have been attained by members and congratulations are extended to training coordinator Kim Morgans and the training team, for their dedication to training members for these awards. This season has seen the greatest number of award participants for many years. Special thanks to our Club assessors and also to Geoff Horsey, District 1 Supervisor, for the many times they have attended Yamba beach to assist with award and proficiency assessments. The many new Bronze holders will hopefully flow through to additional patrols for next season.

Congratulations to all the Long Service and Patrol Service Award winners, as listed in the Awards section of this report.

Our golf day, in conjunction with the Yamba Lions Club, was held again this year and proved very successful and enjoyable. It is now set in the golfing calendar, and is attracting more participants each year. Thank you to the Lions Club and the organising committee, led by Chris Bonner and Jim Baird.

Belinda Camp, Support Officer with SLSNSW, is assisting the Club fine tune our Club Development Program for Surf Clubs. This project will continue in the 2010/11 season and is now close to finalising.

Thank you to Branch President John Beasley, Surf Life Saving Far North Coast Branch Officials, and NSW Officials for their support and advice throughout the season.

Thank you to all club members donating their time and skill with maintaining the clubhouse. Major repairs and slight extension of the verandah area is being undertaken as well as replacement of the roof. These should be completed before the start of next season.

Thank you to the Team at Elders Real Estate Yamba for your continued sponsorship of the Club, and for providing a great service facility at your office for members and supporters to pay monies to the Club. Thank you to the Supporters Club, 'Oysters' for their support and involvement in and around the clubhouse. The Oysters assisted the clean up on Main Beach following the major storms of May 2009. They enthusiastically enjoy time together on the first Sunday each month at the clubhouse between 3pm and 6pm.

The Club has many sponsors and supporters and I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of them for their continued support of our club. This season we had the additional call for sponsors for the purchase of a new surfboat on top of all the regular demands and once again we were greatly supported. The Club would like to thank the Clarence Valley Council and staff for their ongoing support of the club. The full list of sponsors and donors is listed separately in the report.

Congratulations to all our Competitors- Masters, Seniors and Juniors –for representing the club during the season. Competition results are listed elsewhere in the annual report.

A special thank you is extended to all members who participated in the Club's fundraising activities throughout the season. Major fundraising activities have been the Golf Club Raffle, Yamba Ocean Swims, 200 Club, Annual Door Knock and Golf Day. Congratulations to all members involved in the organization and participation of all our fund raising activities.

In my first year of Secretary it has been a long learning experience. I would not have been able to cope without the help of former Secretary and now President Alan Schofield. I would also like to thank the Club Executive and Management Committee members for your assistance over the past season. Thank you to assistant secretary Belinda Sanders who does the difficult job of producing the minutes each meeting. Thanks once again to Greg Zietsch for coordinating the production of this Annual Report.

I present this report with pleasure.

**Greg Don**  
Hon Secretary

## MEETINGS

The 101st Annual Meeting of the Yamba Surf Life Saving Club Inc was held on Sunday 21st June 2009 with 30 members in attendance and 14 apologies tendered.

Since the Annual Meeting in June 2009 there have been 11 Management Committee meetings held, with an average attendance of 20.

### MEETING ATTENDANCE RECORD 2009/10

Badgery B	6	Hassey K	2	Outteridge, C	4
Badgery,H	1	Herbert, A	4	Pettet S	1
Bennett J	1	Herbert S	9	Pickup, J	1
Body S	4	Horton, L	1	Ryan, J	6
Bonner C	8	Kelly, P	9	Ryan K	6
Bramwell-Baker M	5	Lee D	8	Sanders B	8
Brown, D	1	Mc Dermid, R	11	Sanders G	7
Burridge R	7	Mc Farlane, K	2	Saunders J	9
Collis B	8	McSkimming R	8	Schofield A	11
Don, G	8	Moody R	6	Solomon, M	1
Dougherty J	11	Morgans, K	6	Sweetman P	1
Dougherty C	11	Morris, A	1	Wiseman J	2
Elabbasi, S	1	O'Mahony B	8	Wyllie, G	1
Glover, D	1	O'Mahony M	4		
Harvey M	7	Onslow W	6		

## ANNUAL SUMMARY RETURN 2009/2010

### Rescues:

No Gear	7
Rescue Tube	2
Rescue Board	6
IRB	2
Other	1

**Total Rescues** **18**

**Preventative Actions** **1386**

**Beach Closures** **2**

### Emergency Care

Marine Stings	57
Minor Cuts/Abrasions	33
Major Wounds	2
Fractures/Dislocations	1
Other	8

**Total First Aid** **101**

**Ambulance required** **1**

### Membership

	Male	Female	Total
Probationary	3	4	7
Junior Activity Members	82	89	171
Cadet 13-15 years	8	8	16
Active 15-18 years	22	9	31
Active 18 years and over	38	19	57
Award Members	1	1	2
Reserve Active	10	1	11
Long Service	18	1	19
Associate Members	164	139	303
Life Members	19	1	20
Honorary	1	0	1
<b>Total Membership</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>638</b>

## **CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT**

Firstly, I must extend my immense gratitude to all active and active reserve patrol members for keeping Yamba's proud history of no lives lost during patrol hours intact during the 2009-2010 season. The leadership roles displayed by all patrol captains greatly contributed to first class vigilance and service extended to the public and aided in keeping our great record intact. To all those members achieving 100% patrol attendance and to the active reserves, congratulations, your dedication and commitment to patrols is fundamentally what surf life saving is all about.

A great job was carried out by Club Person of the Year Kim Morgans and his many assistants keeping the recruits coming through the system. A lot of hard work, time and effort goes into training people to meet the ever increasing demand for qualified people on the beach. Patrol numbers and therefore patrol strength concluded this season, the best it has been over the past 3 years and I feel it was largely because of Kim's leadership and his teams commitment to award training.

My thanks also extend to Rob McDermid for his patrol mentoring initiative adopted and implemented this year. I feel the mentoring program for patrol captains should be continued each season, indefinitely. The invaluable experience and guidance of this seasons mentor's Ray Burridge, Jim Saunders, Billy Onslow, Kim Morgans and Rob McDermid really helped our patrols perform more efficiently and effectively.

Mention must be also made of Brendan O'Mahony, Phil Kelly, Jim Saunders, Kevin Hassey, Billy Onslow, James Ryan, Jim Dougherty and others, whose efforts greatly contributed to the maintenance and repeated provision of invaluable lifesaving equipment used by members for training, preventative actions, rescues and first aid treatment throughout the season. Also to the house committee and volunteer member 'tradies', what a tremendous and envious facility we have, a lot of this is due to your hard and often unnoticed work.

To the executive Alan Schofield, Greg Don, Brendan O'Mahony and Mike Harvey, thankyou for your advice and guidance. To Cathy Dougherty and Morgan Bramwell Baker, I have really appreciated your input and support with my monthly club captain reports.

Fortunately, Darren Spooner and I had an easy year as Grievance Officers for the club. We had only a single minor issue to deal with which was quickly reconciled, and my thanks goes to both parties involved for their mature attitude, willingness to resolve the differences and move on. I take this opportunity to wish Darren well in his promotion and look forward to having him back in our ranks in the foreseeable future. Spooner's experience, knowledge and conduct was invaluable in the GO position.

To Chris Bonner, his RSA team and the Oysters, thanks for a very enjoyable social year. The bar keeps the goods times flowing, which helps keep morale



and harmony high, and I feel the club had a very unified and content season in large.

## Stephen Herbert Club Captain

### 100% Patrol Attendance (31)

Andrew Bell, Chris Bonner, Morgan Bramwell-Baker, Dylan Brown, Marnie Clark, Andrew Cumberland, Andrew Ford, Ashlea Forrest, Shauni Forrest, Damien Glover, Linda Horton, Phil Kelly, Jo King, Jane Lawrence, Greg Levey, Lardi Maurer, Lynette McQueen, Andrew Morris, Raymond O'Brien, Brendon O'Mahony, Melinda O'Mahony, Steven Pettet, Ben Plunkett, Pat Ridgeway, Wayne Ringland, Georgia Roberts, James Ryan, Kris Ryan-Clout, Mark Symons, Nicholas Tarrant, James Wheeler, Joel Wiseman, Simon Worboys,

### Individual Patrol Hours

Adamson	Marc	54.25	Gilbert	Sally	7	Pitkin	Jake	26
Aitken	Heath	26.5	Glover	Damien	94	Plunkett	Benjamin	36
Arnott	Richard	27	Gunning	Jessica	33	Ridgway	Patrick	42.75
Bancroft	Caitlin	42.5	Hage	Colleen	18.5	Ringland	Wayne	52.75
Bell	Andrew	41	Hartmann	Cody	15.5	Roberts	Georgia	27
Bell	Nicholas	30.5	Herbert	Stephen	24.5	Robison	Alex	38.5
Bennett	Alannah	29	Hewitt	Jade	49.5	Robison	Sam	14
Bennett	Kiah	26.5	Hill	Amanda	11	Robison	Zac	53.5
Body	Steven	66.5	Holloway	Graham	9	Ryan	James	139.75
Bonner	Christopher	52.5	Holloway	Jed	31.5	Ryan	Kade	45
Bramwell-Baker	Morgan	74	Holloway	Karlen	46	Ryan	Kenneth	23
Brown	Deborah	22	Honeybrook	Stephanie	28	Ryan-Clout	Kristopher	53
Brown	Dylan	57	Horton	Linda	45.5	Sahlqvist	Brenton	17.5
Burridge	Raymond	4	Imeson	Mitchell	3	Sanders	Geoff	14
Chiarruttini	Marc	3.5	Kelly	Philip	70.5	Saunders	Kimberley	34.5
Clark	Marnie	49.5	Killen	Raymond	17	Schofield	Alan	15
Collis	Bradley	12	King	Jo	38	Smith	Gordon	3.5
Connolly	Danielle	7.5	Lawrence	Alan	29.5	Smith	Hannah	34
Connors	Daniel	45.5	Lawrence	Jane	45	Spicer	Harrison	37.5
Cotten	Cody	18.5	Lee	Donald	3.5	Spooner	Carla	28.5
Cumberland	Andrew	43	Levey	Greg	63.25	Spooner	Darren	46.75
Dennis	Cassie	11.5	Lollback	Daniel	28	Stewart	Kieren	8
Dennis	Claire	0	Lollback	Joshua	30.5	Sutton	Wayne	12
Dewar	Jackie	37.5	Lollback	Mitchell	34	Symons	Mark	63.25
Don	Anthony	4	Maurer	Lardi	49.5	Tarrant	Andrew	3.5
Don	Gregory	3.5	McFarlane	Tony	7	Tarrant	Nicholas	56
Donohoe	Martin	8	McGrath	Edward	34	Taylor	Riley	12
Dougherty	Abrien	34	McQueen	Lynette	49	Thompson	Mathew	26
Dougherty	James	3.5	McSkimming	Rodney	12.5	Tranter	Peter	7.25
Douglas	Jake	19	Morgans	Kim	19	Tucker	Kate	21.5
Douglas	Patricia	3.5	Morris	Andrew	52.5	Upston	Shannon	3.5
Eke	Angela	37.5	Morrissey	Madeline	19.5	Varcoe	Roger	7
Essex	Leah	40	Muller	Matthew	7.5	Wheeler	James	60
Fahey	Darby	21	O'Brien	Raymond	53	Wiblen	Steven	15.25
Fahey	Harrison	18	O'Donohue	Ashlee	30.5	Wilkes	Kelsey	25
Fahey	Joseph	14.5	O'Keeffe	Joseph	11	Winmill	Blake	8
Fallon	Damien	27.5	O'Mahony	Brendan	39.5	Wiseman	Joel	108
Ford	Andrew	37.5	O'Mahony	Maddison	40	Wiseman	Luke	4
Forrest	Ashlea	30.5	O'Mahony	Melinda	41	Worboys	Joanne	36
Forrest	Shauni	73.5	Onslow	William	44.5	Worboys	Simon	35.5
Foulds	Michael	14	Outteridge	Christine	52	Wyllie	Gregory	16
Frazer	Nicholas	10.5	Penman	Savannah	37	Zietsch	Gregory	22
Garbutt	Jamie	20.5	Pettet	Steven	42			
George	Timothy	11.5	Pfeifer	Ellana	25.5			

## **TRAINING CO-ORDINATOR'S REPORT**

The 2009-10 season has been a very busy one for training with almost 90 awards being gained. I would like to congratulate all those candidates who were successful in their assessments. Bronze Medallion candidates seem to have “come out of the woodwork” this season with 7 squads being trained, keeping training officers very busy. The IRB trainers have also been kept on their toes, training 6 groups to become drivers and/or crew. Details of these awards are listed elsewhere in this Annual Report.

It is hoped that these awards will allow more patrols to be formed next year, meaning fewer patrolling hours for all active members. This, however, is dependent on having more qualified patrol captains. So we ask the more experienced life-savers to do their Gold Medallion prior to the start of next season. A course is planned for August/September 2010.

In the off-season courses for ARTC and Senior First Aid will be run. Details will be added to the enrolment posters on the notice board and included in the newsletters when they are finalised. Another Bronze course is planned to start early in the season, so if you want to gain your Bronze add your name and email to the poster and start your swimming training when the pool re-opens in August! You will be notified when a course is about to start.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of those who trained squads – some multiple squads – this season and to encourage others to become training officers as we really do need to share the load. It should be remembered that there is nothing half-so-good as training a squad to help you re-learn the details and techniques we use when patrolling the beach. It would be remiss of me not to thank the assessors too, particularly Geoff Horsey of the Evans Head club who has made many visits this season – and will hopefully be called on to make many more next season.

I would especially like to acknowledge the help and guidance of Morgan Bramwell-Baker, Linda Horton and Jim Dougherty in my first season of Surfguard dominated training. It was so much simpler in the 80s!

**Kim Morgans**

Training Co-ordinator

## **LIFE SAVING AWARDS**

### **Bronze Medallion**

Marc Adamson, Heath Aitken, Deborah Brown, Dylan Brown, Marc Chiaruttini, Marnie Clark, Daniel Connors, Cody Cotten, Martin Donohue, Shauni Forrest, Michael Foulds, Nicholas Frazer, Sally Gilbert, Cody Hartmann, Amanda Hill, Stephanie Honeybrook, Grace Katuzans, Samuel Katuzans, Jo King, Joshua Lollback, Tony McFarlane, Andrew Morris, Madeline Morrissey, Matthew Muller, Ashlee O'Donohue, Jarrad Perl, Ellana Pfeiffer, Georgia Roberts, Alex Robison, Sam Robison, Zac Robison, Kristopher Ryan-Clout, Gordon Smith, Harrison Spicer, Carla Spooner, Kieren Stewart, Kate Tucker, Shannon Upston, Roger Varcoe, Blake Winmill

### **Surf Rescue Certificate**

Kiah Bennett, Rory Brown, Darby Fahey, Harrison Fahey, Ashlea Forrest, Jake Pitkin, Kelsey Wilkes

### **Training Officer Bronze Medallion**

Damien Glover, Joel Wiseman

### **Training Officer Advanced Resuscitation**

Joel Wiseman

### **Advanced Resuscitation Techniques Certificate**

Morgan Bramwell-Baker, James Dougherty, Joseph Fahey, Damien Glover, Kevin Hassey, Linda Horton, Kim Morgans, William Onslow, Benjamin Plunkett, Patrick Ridgway, Geoff Sanders, Alan Schofield, Gregory Wyllie, Gregory Zietsch

### **Defibrillation Certificate**

Alannah Bennett, Jake Douglas, Angela Eke, Damien Glover, Karlen Holloway, Hannah Smith.

### **Silver Medallion – Advanced Emergency Care**

Jake Douglas, Damien Glover

### **Silver Medallion – Basic Beach Management**

Jake Douglas, Damien Glover

### **Assessor Defibrillation**

Linda Horton. Kim Morgans

### **Assessor Spinal Management**

Linda Horton, Kim Morgans

### **Silver Medallion IRB Driver**

Morgan Bramwell-Baker, James Ryan, Nicholas Tarrant

### **IRB Crew Certificate**

Cody Cotton, Stephanie Honeybrook, Philip Kelly, Edward McGrath, Wayne Ringland, Harrison Spicer, Mark Symons

### **Training Officer IRB**

Joel Wiseman

### **10 Year National Patrol Service**

Andrew Cumberland, Alan Lawrence, Wayne Sutton, Raymond Wiblen, Steven Wiblen

### **15 Year National Patrol Service**

Christopher Douglas, Patricia Douglas, Raymond O'Brien

### **20 Year National Patrol Service**

Linda Horton

## CLUB COMPETITION

The gold and black cap of Yamba Surf Club continues to be seen in boats, on the beach and on boards and skis at surf carnivals up and down the coast of the country. Well done to the small but enthusiastic group of club competitors who continued to do the club proud at various competitive events throughout the season.

Branch surf carnivals were held at Lennox Head, Evans Head and Cudgen in the first half of the season with the club represented by a small group of members who competed particularly well in the beach events with Mitch Lollback, Anthony Don and Alannah Bennett the standouts. The Branch Titles were at Lennox Head in February and for the third consecutive season had to be postponed because of rough seas. The club results are listed below.

This season the Country Titles moved to South West Rocks and a good Yamba contingent competed in the combined Junior, Senior and Masters events. At the State Titles at Swansea Belmont the club was represented by just the two female boat crews. Hopefully next season with the State moving closer to home at Kingscliff the gold cap with the black stripe will be much more prominent.

Six club members were selected in the Far North Coast Branch team for the NSW Interbranch Titles at Cape Hawke Beach Forster. They were Alannah Bennett in the open female beach events and the open female boat crew of Morgan Bramwell-Baker, Karlen Holloway, Angela Eke, Hannah Smith and sweep Steve Wiblen. Alannah did well to finish 4<sup>th</sup> in the beach flags. Unfortunately the boat crew had to withdraw from the team when Angela broke her arm at the Cudgen surf carnival two weeks prior to the trip south.

With the Australian Titles back at Kurrawa on the Gold Coast a large Yamba contingent of 26 competitors took part in very heavy surf conditions. Unfortunately the competition was cut short by the tragic death on the Friday of Queenscliff competitor Saxon Bird in the heats of the under 19 iron man. Earlier in the week club members had gone close to medalling with a number of 4ths and 5ths in finals.

The club staged a branch nippers carnival in November which had to be transferred to Turners Beach because of the erosion on Main Beach from the May 2009 flood. A large club workforce turned out to make the day a great success despite the strong winds and rain showers that made water competition difficult. The club also staged a very successful round of the North Coast Boat Series on Main Beach early in February.

The club Sunday morning handicap surf race was very well supported during the season with in excess of 30 swimmers lining up on quite a few occasions. Fifteen club members were rewarded for competing in 10 or more swims during the season. They were Ray Burrige, Jim Dougherty, Joe Dougherty, Greg Don, Dan Fahey, Joe Fahey, Shauni Forrest, Rob McDermid, Kim Morgans, Jake Pitkin, Peter Rheinberger, Zac Robison, Geoff Sanders, Alan Schofield and Kelsey Wilkes.

Thanks to surf race handicapper/organiser Belinda Sanders for turning up on Sunday mornings and doing a great job, ably supported by her father Geoff and race starter Mike Harvey.

It was great to see some “younger blood” finally taking out some of the prizes.

Cadet member Jake Pitkin was rewarded for his consistency with a runaway win in the season pointscore for the Carl Schaeffer trophy:

1. Jake Pitkin - 94 points
2. Zac Robison - 59 points
3. Jim Dougherty - 51 points
4. Rob McDermid - 48 points

The Monthly pointscore winners were:

October	– Peter Muldoon
November	– Jake Pitkin
December	– Cody Cotton
January	– Darby Fahey
February/March	– Rob McDermid
April	– Jarrod Perl

A Sunday morning handicap board race competition was also started up during the season by board coach Phil Kelly. This too proved to be quite popular with members with young Jake Pitkin also taking out this pointscore to make it a double for the season. The pointscore placings were:

1. Jake Pitkin - 49 points
2. Peter Rheinberger - 39 points
3. Maddison O’Mahony - 28 points
4. Phil Kelly - 28 points
5. Cohen Rheinberger - 25 points.

## **RESULTS OF MAJOR SURF CARNIVALS**

### **FAR NORTH COAST BRANCH TITLES – Lennox Head 14<sup>th</sup> February 2010**

#### **First Placings:**

Open Beach Flags – Anthony Don

U/19 Beach Flags – Mitch Lollback

#### **Second Placings:**

Open Beach Sprint – Anthony Don

Open Beach Flags – Mitch Lollback

Open Beach Relay – Anthony Don, Mitch Lollback, Dan Lollback, Phil Kelly

40-49 yrs Female Board Race – Chris Outteridge

40-49 yrs Female Rescue Tube Race – Chris Outteridge

50-59 yrs Male Surf Race – Jim Dougherty

#### **Third Placings:**

U/19 Board Race – Mitch Lollback

U/17 Surf Race – Dylan Brown

40-49 yrs Female Surf Race – Chris Outteridge

### **NSW COUNTRY TITLES – South West Rocks 15/17<sup>th</sup> January 2010**

#### **Second Placings:**

50-59 yrs Male Rescue Tube Race – Ray O'Brien

#### **Third placings:**

50-59 yrs Surf Race – Ray O'Brien

50-59 yrs Board Race – Ray O'Brien

Open Female Boat Race – Mel O'Mahony, Leah Essex, Jo King,  
Carla Spooner, Rod McSkimming

### **NSW STATE TITLES – Swansea Belmont 25/28<sup>th</sup> February 2010**

Over 140 yrs Female Boat Race – 4<sup>th</sup> Jo King, Leah Essex, Mel O'Mahony,  
Carla Spooner, Rod McSkimming

### **QLD STATE TITLES – Kurrawa 4/6<sup>th</sup> March 2010**

45-49 yrs Female Surf Race – 2<sup>nd</sup> Chris Outteridge

45-49 yrs Female Board Race – 2<sup>nd</sup> Chris Outteridge

55-59 yrs Male Surf Race – Jim Dougherty

## **AUSTRALIAN TITLES – Kurrawa 16/20<sup>th</sup> March**

U/19 Female 2km Beach Run – 4<sup>th</sup> Alannah Bennett

60-64yrs Rescue Tube – 4<sup>th</sup> Jim Schafer

60-64 yrs Surf Race – 5<sup>th</sup> Jim Schafer

Over 70 yrs Surf Race – 6<sup>th</sup> Ray Burrridge

## **CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS – 14<sup>TH</sup> March 2010**

The club again held a combined senior/junior club championships to coincide with the last Sunday of nippers for the season. This proved to be a very successful move again with good numbers competing despite the rough surf conditions and many of the nippers staying to watch events.

### **Results of the senior events were:**

Open Male Surf Race – Joe Dougherty

Open Female Surf Race – Hannah Smith

U/17 Male Surf Race – Dylan Brown

U/15 Male Surf Race – Jake Pitkin

O/40 Male Surf Race – Ray O'Brien

O/40 Female Surf Race – Jo King

Open Male Board Race – Joe Dougherty

Open Female Board Race – Maddison O'Mahony

U/19 Male Board Race – Mitch Lollback

U/17 Male Board Race – Jake Pitkin

Open Male Beach Sprint – Anthony Don

Open Female Beach Sprint – Alannah Bennett

U/19 Male Beach Sprint – Mitch Lollback

U/15 Male Beach Sprint – Joel Chevalley

Open Male Beach Flags – Dan Lollback

Open Female Beach Flags – Alannah Bennett

U/15 Male Beach Flags – Joel Chevalley

U/15 Female Beach Flags – Maddison O'Mahony

Male Snake Race – Anthony Don

Female Snake Race – Hannah Smith

### **Age group champions on the day were:**

Open – Anthony Don & Hannah Smith

U/19 – Mitch Lollback & Alannah Bennett

U/17 – Dylan Brown

U/15 – Jake Pitkin & Maddison O'Mahony

### **Jim Dougherty**

Competition Team Manager

## **YAMBA OCEAN SWIMS**

The Yamba Ocean Swims were held on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> December 2009 and once again proved to be the biggest club event of the year with 335 swimmers taking part in both the short and long swims held in very testing surf conditions.

A 2 metre swell, dangerous rips, and strong north-easterly winds which chopped up the surf on Main Beach forced the swim organisers to move both swims around the rocks to Convent Beach. The swims started and finished at Convent with the longer swim reduced to about 1200 metres for safety reasons.

Yamba locals and Kellogs Nutri Grain Iron Man competitors Hugh Dougherty and Alyce Bennett both took out the double, winning the 2km and 700m swims ahead of visiting swimmers.

The 200m 'Dash for Cash' events were held back at Main Beach, and a big field of 38 men bravely lined up to test themselves in the heavy surf. Hayden Thomas from Lennox Head took out the men's division, and Ella-May Basalo from Maroubra won the women's.

Before the start of the Dash for Cash events, a moving tribute was held for former Yamba Surf Club member Jacob Lollback, who lost his life in a diving accident in September. Jacob won the 2km event at last year's Ocean Swim.

Swim co-ordinator for the past 5 years, Ray BurrIDGE, announced his retirement at the presentation of prizes after the event. But before doing so he ordered a gentle southerly breeze and small surf for next year's event as this was the third year in a row the event had been plagued by rough seas.

A large work force of members involved in water safety, laying buoys and setting courses, taking nominations, recording results on the beach and in the computer room, and running the BBQ and bar, ensured that the day was a big fund raising success for the club as well as a great social day. Thanks to everyone involved, without your assistance the day would not be possible.



## **Results of 2009 Yamba Ocean Swims:**

### **2km Open Men**

1. Hugh Dougherty
2. James Stewart
3. Colin Braund

### **2km Open Women**

1. Alyce Bennett
2. Marlee Green
3. Shivaun Street

### **2km Age Groups:**

- 12-14 yrs Male – Jye Rogers
- 15-19 yrs Male – Bill Maish
- 20-29 yrs Male – Michael Shiel
- 30-39 yrs Male – Joe Dougherty
- 40-49 yrs Male – Scott Unicomb
- 50-59 yrs Male – John Townend
- 60-69 yrs Male – Jim Schafer

- Female – Kiah Bennett
- Female – Alanna Street
- Female – Hayley Thomson
- Female – Julia Crilley
- Female – Molly Schafer
- Female – Alexandra Evans
- Female – Susan Melton-Hill

### **700 metre Open Men**

1. Hugh Dougherty
2. James Stewart
3. Michael Shiel

### **700 metre Open Women**

1. Alyce Bennett
2. Marlee Green
3. Shivaun Street

### **700m Age Groups:**

- 10-14 yrs Male – Ben Schafer
- 15-19 yrs Male – Hayden Thomas
- 20-29 yrs Male – Joshua McHugh
- 30-39 yrs Male – Joe Fahey
- 40-49 yrs Male – David O'Brien
- 50-59 yrs Male – Mark Reaburn
- 60-69 yrs Male – Barry O'Connell
- Over 70 yrs Male – Bill Dougherty

- Female – Ella-May Basalo
- Female – Riley Maynard
- Female – Hayley Thomson
- Female – Hayley Taylor
- Female – Molly Schafer
- Female – Kim Elvery
- Female – Jan Klein

### **200 metre Dash for Cash:**

#### **Male:**

1. Hayden Thomas
2. Hugh Dougherty
3. Scott McCartney

#### **Female:**

1. Ella-May Basalo
2. Shivaun Street
3. Alyce Bennett

## **IRB CAPTAIN'S REPORT**

Firstly, I would like to extend my appreciation to all active and active reserve patrolling members for an enjoyable and fantastic season. This year was another successful season patrolling main beach with "no lives lost".

We saw the training of 3 IRB Drivers (Morgan Bramwell Baker, James Ryan and Nicholas Tarrant) and 7 IRB Crewman (Cody Cotton, Stephanie Honeybrook, Phil Kelly, Ed McGrath, Harrison Spicer and Mark Symons). Congratulations to all the above.

Sadly Andrew Morris could not continue training due to an unforeseen accident, breaking his ankle whilst negotiating heavy seas with Joel Wiseman at the helm.

A big thank you goes to club trainers Joel Wiseman and Steve Body.

This year as always saw the resources of the IRBs and crews being called upon to oversee the safety of competitors, setting of courses for the Annual Convent to Main Beach Ocean Swim, North Coast Boat Series, Nippers Branch Carnival and weekly events such as Nippers, Carl Schaeffer Handicap Surf Race and board races.

A big thank you to the previous IRB Captain Brendan O'Mahony for all the hard work you have done in the previous years.

This season, the IRBs only needed limited maintenance to be carried out, so thank you to all IRB drivers and crewman for continuing to carry out the roles and responsibilities required. With the sale of Steve Body's much-loved Arancia, we currently have 3 Thundercat IRBs and 4 motors (all to be serviced by Mid Coast Marine in the off season).

During the season drivers and crew were called upon to conduct rescues, assist lifeguards, take preventative actions and conduct routine patrols to Turners and surrounding beaches when required. In January this year IRBs were tasked to search for a gentleman who was swept out the mouth of the river after losing control of his jet ski. Approximately 45mins into the search the male was found by Iluka/Yamba Coastguard approximately 2 nautical-miles out to sea, the gentleman was assessed by Duty Officers and Lifeguards at the marina and luckily walked away unharmed.

This season's rollover awards are being presented to Brendan O'Mahony at the Nippers Carnival and taking out the gold medal is Damien Glover, for his rollover during the Convent to Main Beach Swim and then again the following weekend at Turners (xxxx gold please).

Over winter we hope to have some changes made to the IRB Shed, with a cage made to house equipment and new workbenches. We will also

continue to run IRB Driver and Crewman Courses.

Once again thank you to all crewman and drivers for your commitment during the season, we could not have done it without your help. I look forward to seeing you all again for the coming 2010/2011 season, hopefully with more patrolling members wishing to gain their IRB Crewman or Drivers certificates.

**James Ryan**  
IRB CAPTAIN



*IRB driver Morgan Bramwell-Baker with crewman James Ryan*



*IRB drivers Joel Wiseman (L) and Morgan Bramwell-Baker take their crewmen Dylan Brown & Rodger Varcoe for a wild training run!*



*Anthony Don, Mitch Imeson and Mitch Lollback fight out the final 3 placings in the Open Flags at the FNC Branch carnival at Evans Head*



*Alannah Bennett shows her style in the Open Women's flags at Evans Head Carnival*



*Members of the Dougherty, Bennett and Lollback families farewell the Douglas family following the 2009 Ocean Swims before their departure for Sydney.*





**Jacob with coach, Jim Dougherty**

## **VALE JACOB LOLLBACK**

On Sept 22<sup>nd</sup> 2009 Yamba Surf Club and the Far North Coast Branch were shocked and saddened to hear of the death of one of their most loved members, 20 year old Jacob Lollback. Jacob tragically drowned as a result of 'shallow water blackout' while on a diving expedition off the Queensland coast near Gladstone.

Jacob joined the Yamba Surf Club as a seven year old nipper in the 1995-96 season and very quickly made a name for himself winning gold medals in the Under 8 beach sprint, wade race and beach relay at the 1996-97 Junior State titles held at Kingscliff.

Soon after this, his preference moved from beach events to board events but it wasn't until he graduated from the shorter nipper boards to the longer boards used in senior competition that his exceptional talent really began to shine.

Jacob developed an almost perfect paddling technique that led to him becoming one of the best board paddlers in Australia. He won three consecutive Australian Board titles from 2006-2008.

In his relatively short career Jacob amassed a total of 12 Australian Surf Lifesaving medals – 5 gold, 4 silver and 3 bronze – a tribute to his talent and training.

Jacob represented in Surf Lifesaving at every level possible – Yamba club, Far North Coast Branch, NSW State, Qld State and also Australia four times – twice as Captain of the Australian Age team. He was also a member of the prestigious Kellogg's NutriGrain Ironman series in 2008 as its youngest competitor.

One of Jacob's favourite representative trips away was as a member of the Far North Coast Branch Team contesting the Inter Branch championships at beaches up and down the coast of NSW. For eight consecutive years from Under 11s through to Under 19s, Jacob was a much loved and valued member of this team. He loved the bus trips and the friendships that developed with other team members from branch clubs.

As well as being a talented athlete, Jacob was also a dedicated lifesaver, patrolling our beaches both as a volunteer member and as a council lifeguard.

Jacob was an all round 'champion bloke' – his presence will be greatly missed throughout the Surf Lifesaving community and beyond - but his smile and charm will be remembered always by all who were fortunate to call him 'friend'.

Jacob is survived by his parents Eric and Kaylene, and brothers Andrew, Daniel, Mitchell and Joshua, all of whom have been patrolling members of Yamba SLSC.

Pictured below is the start of the memorial "Paddle-Out" held at Main Beach the day after Jacob's funeral. (Photo courtesy of Deborah Novak)



## VALE TED DONOVAN

The death occurred in September 2009 of long serving club life member Ted Donovan. Ted joined the Yamba Surf Club in 1955 and obtained his bronze medallion in that year along with his twin brother Henry. He was a member of Barry Pullens winning patrol efficiency team in 1957-58 and went on to become a patrol captain. He was a long time member of the club's champion march past teams of the 1960's and 70's and later served as assistant secretary to his brother, as well as being club registrar, and senior-vice president.

Ted put in a lot of effort "behind the scenes" in organising club fund raising activities and organising the boat shed kegs in the 1960's. He was responsible for the reconstruction of the clubhouse after the 1974 cyclone washed away the old timber front steps. He was well known as the club announcer at Yamba surf carnivals throughout the 1970's and 1980's.



Ted was made a life member of the club for services rendered in 1979 joining his twin brother Henry (1975) and uncle Carl Schaeffer (1951). Ted moved to Mooloolaba on the Sunshine Coast in 1988 where he resided until his death. He is survived by his only son Mark. Ted's funeral service was held at the Yamba Anglican Church followed by a well attended wake at the Surf Club. (see photo at left)

## VALE FRANK O'LOUGHLIN

Just before going to print with this report, the death occurred in Yamba on May 29th of Club Life Member, Frank O'Loughlin, aged 81 years. Frank joined the club in the 1944/45 season and after being prominent as club boat sweep and boat captain during the 1950's and 60's was made a life member for services rendered in 1975. The club extends its sympathy to his two sons, John and Mark, both past members of the club.





*Club Person of the Year, Kim Morgans (L) receives his award from club president Alan Schofield*



*Club president Alan Schofield and Yamba boaties with sponsor representatives from NAB Yamba and JMB Solar Solutions at the christening of the new surf boat.*



## BOAT CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Welcome to the 2009/10 Boaties Report. The season was one for rebuilding. We competed in the North Coast Boat Series with five crews at most of the 10 rounds – U/19 Men's, Reserve Men's, Masters Over 160years Men's and two Open Women's crews (U/23 Women's and 'The Boilers'). We had great success with 3 of the crews finishing on the podium after the 10 round pointscore.

Results after 10 rounds:

Open Women – Yamba 'Boilers', 2nd

Reserve Men's – Yamba, 3rd

Masters Over 160 years Men's – Yamba, 2nd

A great result from Yamba crews.

Another achievement during the season was the selection of the Under 23 Women's crew to represent the Branch at the Interbranch championships. Unfortunately the crew had to withdraw due to injury to one of its members. (Strengthen those wrists up, Ange!)

'The Boilers' placed 3rd at the NSW Country Titles in the Open Women's event; 4th at the NSW State Titles in the Over 140 years; and just missed out by one place on getting into the Over 140 years final at the Australian Titles. They were also 2nd in the Coffs Harbour craft carnival. A great effort for four ladies on their first season who just wanted to go for a quick row to see what it was like! Well done, Boilers.

The Masters Over 160 years men finished 4th at the NSW Country Titles in a very close finish.

The major achievement for this section of the club, I feel, came towards the end of the season with the purchase of the new surf boat. This created a lot of interest and enthusiasm with boat crews and club members. Many thanks must go to Mick Smith, Jim Saunders and all other members who helped in organising the fundraising, the sponsors night and the launching of the boat. Thankyou all.

To finish, I would like to thank all the rowers, coaches and officials from within our club for a great season and I look forward to next season with some crews still training and new rowers already showing interest.

**Rodney Mc Skimming**

Boat Captain



*'Boilers' crew of Leah Essex, Jo King, Mel O'Mahony, Carla Spooner and sweep Rodney McSkimming*





*Teagan McFarlane carries the flag at Yamba Nippers Carnival*



*Water Safety crew Brendan O'Mahony, Carla Spooner and Leah Essex*



*Libby Holloway, Caitlin, Cooney and Lilly Ellis ready to compete at Yamba Nippers Carnival.*



*Nippers board training at Whiting Beach Ruby Berger and Ella Martin in foreground*

## **CLARENCE VALLEY LIFEGUARD REPORT**

This year we required the services of 18 lifeguards for the patrolling of 7 beaches located in the Clarence Valley that are supervised during the Christmas holiday period, Easter and Sept/Oct school holidays.

We had quite a successful year with the recruitment of new lifeguards. The new rookies on the team this season included; Jake Douglas, Angela Eke, Pauline McLeod, Ben Plunkett and Hannah Smith.

The biggest change to the team this season was the inclusion of 5 female lifeguards.

Clarence Valley Council once again made a 4wd vehicle available for use at Pippi Beach. This vehicle was essential in transporting a patient with a severe leg laceration up to Dolphin Park where one of the ambulance officers was waiting. The other ambo, Andy King, was actually travelling on the rear tray of the 4wd Ute whilst stabilising the patient.

Over at Main Beach the patrolling remained at a high standard with 2 lifeguards on duty daily.

The IRB was always on standby, and we were required to launch a second IRB when we had an incident with a missing jet ski rider on New Year's Eve. Working in conjunction with the Iluka-Yamba Coast Guard the missing rider was located and returned safely to his family.

I am pleased to say that the 2009-2010 Clarence Valley Lifeguard patrol season was once again free of drownings. Rescues were at a minimum because of the preventative actions and surveillance of the lifeguards on duty.

I would like to congratulate Sam Little and Mitch Cooper on being awarded Clarence Valley Lifeguard of the Year 2008-2009.

Want to know more about getting a job as a Lifeguard? Just go to [www.lifeguards.com.au](http://www.lifeguards.com.au) and follow the prompts.

Kind Regards

**Greg Wyllie**

Clarence Valley Lifeguard Supervisor

## **NIPPER'S REPORT**

Yamba nippers have had another successful and busy season. We recorded over 150 nippers signed on for the season. All nippers were supplied with a free club skull cap thanks to the very kind work of Andrew Morris, who obtained sponsorship funds from his building associates. Thank you Andrew for your initiative.

This year saw us host the first junior carnival of the season which was very successful. The carnival was held at Turners Beach due to the lack of sand at Main Beach. This was a challenge logistically, but was successfully achieved by a very dedicated committee. All hands were on deck, including many of the clubs longer standing members. The carnival went very smoothly considering we had to deal with bad weather which is never pleasant at a surf carnival. Many thanks to all who helped. It was a very proud day for Yamba and a great experience for our young members who had not experienced a carnival.

Thank you to our committed group of Age Managers who turn up every week to take charge of their respective groups. Nippers would not be possible without the dedication of the parents who bravely put their hands up to be Age Managers. I was very honoured to be surrounded by such a group of people. I also must mention a very special group of Age Managers who have just completed their Bronze Medallion. This is a great achievement for anyone, but especially to parents of nippers! This group has been able to perform water safety which has been a great benefit to the children. Some of our Cadet members have also stepped up to help out the nippers. Its great to see and it provides lots of encouragement to our juniors.

Maddy O'Mahony was nominated for our Junior Lifesaver of the Year for Yamba. Maddy is in U14's and is a patrolling member of the club after completing her SRC. Maddy is a competent board paddler and a great advocate for Surf Lifesaving.

Phil Kelly has been conducting Board Training three times a week and it has been exceptionally well attended with up to 25 nippers at a time attending. This is a real credit to Phil, who seems to genuinely enjoy working with the children. I would like to acknowledge Phil for his hard work and dedication, and for giving his time at no cost to the club. I know the nippers respect Phil and enjoy his sessions. Thanks Phil!

Competitively, Yamba has had a very successful season. We have achieved fantastic results with our younger nippers bringing home a swag of medals from all carnivals. I have attached a copy of the end of year point score which shows the overall results for the year. Congratulations to Lyteeka Currie who took out every major trophy this year – she certainly is an up and coming talent!

The success of our juniors this season is an encouraging sign for the future of Yamba club. The committee has been making a real push for more

children to attend as many carnivals as possible. Yamba took a bus full of nippers up the coast to compete at a junior carnival this season. We hope to again do that next season to foster more of a team environment.

Thank you to all sponsors of our club. Special thanks to Andrew Morris Scaffolding for his donation of both time and money towards the club. It really is very much appreciated. Thank you to Janet Pickup for taking control of the merchandise. Thank you to Simone Bradley for organising the barbeque every week.

I would especially like to thank Cathy and Jim Dougherty for the ongoing involvement with the juniors. Their knowledge, expertise and overall supervision is invaluable. Cathy and Jim have always been great supporters of the juniors, and many times I have asked their opinion or advice on certain matters.

I am proud to be involved with the Yamba Nippers. I am eternally grateful to our wonderful junior committee. I am especially proud of our children. They have participated with enthusiasm and sportsmanship that I am proud to be associated with. We certainly have some talented juniors coming up through the ranks. This is my last season as President of the juniors. I have enjoyed my involvement with the nippers and it is with utmost confidence that I pass the baton on to Kim McFarlane. I sincerely wish Kim and the new committee all the best for next year. Thank you to Al and the senior committee for their ongoing support of the juniors. Go Yamba!

## Melinda O'Mahony

JAC Chairperson

### 2009/10 Nippers Pointscore Results

	1st		2nd		3rd	
Under 6 Girls	Carissa MILTIADOU	28	Tia HOLLIS	25	Clare CAMPBELL	24
Under 6 Boys	Cameron VARCOE	28	William EARLE	24	Charlie KELLY	20
Under 7 Girls	Tiana PENGILLY	25	Brooke EIMER	22	Courtney COULTER	21
Under 7 Boys	Tyler ESSEX	32	Joshua Morris	31	Reilly WUNDERLICH	27
Under 8 Girls	Zoe BROWN	73	Zoe KING	32	Emma HENDERSON	23
Under 8 Boys	Ethan FOSTER	83	Joshua BRIDGES	53	Jorden ELABBASI	38
Under 9 Girls	Lyteeka CURRIE	123	Brianna McFARLANE	74	Chelsea BRIDGES	32
Under 9 Boys	Nathan HOLLIS	66	Max GILBERT	33	Jack COONEY	32
Under 10 Girls	Jessica SPOONER	45	Layla OXBORROW	40	Aneekah STYLES	39
Under 10 Boys	Liam FOSTER	101	Sam COULTER	36	Aaron COULSEN	31
Under 11 Girls	Ashley OXBORROW	44	Tess DOUGHERTY	30	Isabella GILBERT	26
Under 11 Boys	Callan HOLLIS	68	Angus O'MAHONY	63	Billy PORTER	54
Under 12 Girls	Erin JOHNS	34	Brooke PORTER	31	Julia HODSON	28
Under 12 Boys	Jack SPOONER	16	Steve DRESSLER	12	Joshua GRILL	8
Under 13 Girls	Teagan McFARLANE	39	Caitlin OMAHONY	38	Kayla FORREST	20
Under 13 Boys	Jim BROWN	33	Rory BROWN	25	Jake BENNETT	7
Under 14 Girls	Maddison OMAHONY	53	Sashelle AITKEN	27	Ashlea FORREST	21
Under 14 Boys	Jake PITKIN	39	Joel CHEVALLEY	30	Reilly PICKERING	12
Carnival	Lyteeka CURRIE	85	Liam FOSTER	59	Ethan FOSTER	47
Water	Lyteeka CURRIE	59				
Beach	Lyteeka CURRIE	54				
Club	Lyteeka CURRIE	123				

## **PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

The tragic loss of Jacob Lollback on 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2009 drew the surf life saving community together in support of Jacob's family, remembering a fine young man and champion of the surf. As our Centenary Book reports Jacob was Yamba's most decorated competitor in the first 100 years of the club's history. Thank you to all Club members and friends for your sincere thoughts and support. Special thanks to Jim Dougherty for providing the memorable eulogy for Jacob.

Following the severe storms and high seas experienced in May 2009 cracks appeared along the Main Beach rock wall, including the boat ramp. Clarence Valley Council were able to carry out temporary repairs to the rock wall and replace the boat ramp, just in time for the opening of the season. During this period the Club carried out repairs to the sub floor foundations and amenities section of the club. Other repairs, including replacement of the upstairs verandah, roof replacement and water damage to the bar area, will be carried out during the off season.

Our volunteer patrolling members again provided a safe environment for our beachgoers and we are pleased to report that 'no lives were lost during patrol hours' again this season. Thank you to all patrolling members for your presence and dedication.

Total Club membership topped the 600 mark during the season, with our Nipper numbers growing to 171. A great JAC carnival was held in difficult conditions at Turner's Beach on 14<sup>th</sup> November 2009. Thank you to all Branch and Club officials assisting with the carnival.

Awards training has developed to new heights under the leadership of Training Coordinator Kim Morgans and his team of trainers and assessors. 40 new bronze awards were achieved during the season, with several Nipper parents receiving awards. This is the most number of awards for several years and congratulations must go to all the new members and the training team. Kim Morgans was awarded the Club Person of the Year Award for 2009/10 at the Annual Presentation Day for his efforts in this area. Thank you also to Geoff Horsey and Joe Keane for attending and assessing our applicants.

Two of our members, Greg Levey and Joe O'Keeffe were awarded an International Life Saving Federation Award for their efforts in a dramatic rescue in the IRB in December, 2007. The members had previously received recognition from Surf Life Saving Australia for this rescue. Congratulations on your efforts.

In the competition arena our JAC competitor numbers continue to grow.

Board training numbers are increasing with coach Phil Kelly, and we now hold weekly handicap board races, as well as the regular surf races. The Boat section had five crews competing at various times during the season, with some keen competition between the 'Chickettes' and 'Boilers' female crews. A new boat was commissioned during the season. Thank you to all sponsors supporting the purchase of the new boat. Congratulations to NAB Yamba, winners of the ballot for boat signage, with oar signage shared between JMB Solar Solutions and Yellow Tail Wines.

During the season we said farewell to the Douglas family as they headed south to Sydney. Chris and Trish have been great members of the club for the past 20 years, always ready to lend a hand whenever requested. We wish them well with their venture in Sydney. However, I'm sure we'll see them on the beach at some stage during the holiday season.

During the season Club members met with Belinda Camp to begin the process of preparing our Club Development Plan. Thank you to Belinda for leading this process, which we aim to have finalised by the start of the 2010/11 season. A sponsorship committee has been established to develop and retain sponsorship. Special thanks to all our sponsors. Your continued support is appreciated.

In March 2010 Mayor Richie Williamson unveiled a plaque on the Centenary of Federation Wall in Maclean, in recognition of the Surf Club's 100 years of continuous Community Service. Thank you to the Centenary of Federation Committee for honouring the Club with this plaque. A replica of the plaque has been placed on the wall below the clock tower in Coldstream St Yamba.

In August 2010 the Yamba Surf Club will be represented at two demonstration surf carnivals in Turkey, organised by Military History Tours Australia. The carnivals are part of a lead up to the Gallipoli Surf Boat race planned for the Centenary celebrations at Gallipoli in 2015.

Thank you to the Club Executive, Brendan, Greg, Steve, Mike and Peter, and all of the Management Committee members for your support during the season. Thank you to Morgan and Cathy for development of a great club newsletter. The club is fortunate to have so many members prepared to give their time in support of our great club.

Thank you to SLSA, SLSNSW and to John Beasley OAM and the Far North Coast Branch Executive for your advice and support during the season.

**Alan Schofield**

President Yamba SLSC

**Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club**  
**Independent Audit Report to the Members**

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## **Scope**

We have audited the financial statements of Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club, being the Statement by Members of the Committee, Statement of Financial Performance, Statement of Financial Position, Statement of Cash Flows and Notes to Financial Statements for the financial year ended 31 March 2010. The Committee is responsible for the financial report. We have conducted an independent audit of the financial report in order to express an opinion on it to the members.

Our audit has been conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards to provide reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free of material misstatement. Our procedures included examination, on a test basis, of evidence supporting the amounts and other disclosures in the financial report, and the evaluation of accounting policies and significant accounting estimates. These procedures have been undertaken to form an opinion whether, in all material respects, the financial report is presented fairly in accordance with Accounting Standards and other mandatory professional reporting requirements so as to present a view which is consistent with our understanding of the association's financial position and performance as represented by the results of its operations and its cash flows.

The audit opinion expressed in this report has been formed on the above basis.

## **Audit opinion**

In our opinion;

- a) the financial report presents fairly in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards and other mandatory professional reporting requirements
  - b) the financial reports show a true and fair view of the financial results of fundraising appeals conducted during the year;
  - c) the accounting and associated records have been properly kept during the year in accordance with the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 and the regulations;
  - d) monies received as a result of fundraising appeals conducted during the year have been properly accounted for and applied in accordance with the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 and the regulations;
- the financial position of Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club as at 31 March 2010, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended.

Signed on : 27 May 2010

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Peter Saunders,  
Kennedy Saunders  
273 River Street, Maclean NSW 2463

**Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club**  
**Statement of Financial Position As At 31 March 2010**

	Note	2010 \$	2009 \$
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<b>Current Assets</b>			
Cash assets	4	93,741	99,597
Inventories	5	18,185	11,320
Current tax assets	6	5,175	557
Other	7	4,213	9,365
<b>Total Current Assets</b>		<u><b>121,314</b></u>	<u><b>120,839</b></u>
<b>Non-Current Assets</b>			
Property, plant and equipment	8	496,096	418,348
<b>Total Non-Current Assets</b>		<u><b>496,096</b></u>	<u><b>418,348</b></u>
<b>Total Assets</b>		<u><b>617,410</b></u>	<u><b>539,187</b></u>
<b>Current Liabilities</b>			
Payables	9	-	1,980
Financial liabilities	10	4,725	-
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>		<u><b>4,725</b></u>	<u><b>1,980</b></u>
<b>Non-Current Liabilities</b>			
Financial liabilities	10	19,119	-
<b>Total Non-Current Liabilities</b>		<u><b>19,119</b></u>	<u><b>-</b></u>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>		<u><b>23,843</b></u>	<u><b>1,980</b></u>
<b>Net Assets</b>		<u><u><b>593,567</b></u></u>	<u><u><b>537,207</b></u></u>
<b>Members' Funds</b>			
Retained profits		<u>593,567</u>	<u>537,207</u>
<b>Total Members' Funds</b>		<u><u><b>593,567</b></u></u>	<u><u><b>537,207</b></u></u>



**Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club**  
**Income and Expenditure Statement**  
**For the year ended 31 March 2010**

	2010 \$	2009 \$
<b>Income</b>		
Gross/loss profit on sale of merchandise	12,547	(731)
Clubhouse hire	12,055	5,359
Commissions received	8,473	6,407
Contract Lifesaving	-	1,483
Donations received	29,943	26,862
Fundraising income	125,274	76,253
Net profit from Centenary Activities	(2,295)	37,603
Gym Membership	5,801	5,220
Membership subscriptions	27,499	22,325
Grants Received	1,968	-
Sponsorship	18,300	1,541
Interest received	4,684	6,228
Sundry income	1,041	1,360
Profit on sale of property, plant, equip	2,650	(5,405)
Total income	247,941	184,505
<b>Expenses</b>		
Accountancy	4,022	2,760
Administration Costs	4,935	-
Advertising and promotion	209	209
Auditors Remuneration	-	1,800
Auditors Prior Year Adjustments	(2,146)	-
Awards	3,564	2,844
Bank Fees And Charges	-	9
Carnival Expenses	5,245	13,992
Cleaning/rubbish removal	1,940	1,809
Computer Costs	209	719
Conference/seminar costs	-	575
Depreciation - plant	8,803	18,449
Depreciation - buildings	14,076	13,264
Donations	27	65
Electricity	5,214	4,662
FNC branch affiliation & entry fees	9,598	13,106
Filing Fees	-	40
First aid expenses	2,304	1,193
Fuel & oil	1,895	1,952
Fundraising Expenses	62,227	56,970
General expenses	5,517	140
Insurance	10,107	2,063
Interest Deductions	193	-
Kiosk expenses	4,114	1,104
Motor vehicle registration	440	301

**Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club**  
**Income and Expenditure Statement**  
**For the year ended 31 March 2010**

	2010 \$	2009 \$
Printing & stationery	4,351	6,683
Rates & land taxes	4,619	3,017
Repairs & maintenance	22,631	16,320
Telephone	2,516	2,454
Training expenses	2,742	4,219
Travel, accom & conference	3,976	3,440
Uniforms	8,252	4,287
Total expenses	191,581	178,446
<b>Profit from ordinary activities before income tax</b>		
	<b>56,360</b>	<b>6,059</b>
Income tax revenue relating to ordinary activities	-	-
<b>Net profit attributable to the association</b>	<b>56,360</b>	<b>6,059</b>
<b>Total changes in equity of the association</b>	<b>56,360</b>	<b>6,059</b>
Opening retained profits	537,207	531,147
Net profit attributable to the association	56,360	6,059
<b>Closing retained profits</b>	<b>593,567</b>	<b>537,207</b>

## **Yamba Surf Life Saving Club**

### **Life Membership for Services Rendered**

Baird, James	Eades, S J*	Lowien, Clifford	Schaeffer, C W*
Burridge, Raymond	Godbee, N M OAM	McGrath, Cletus	Schaeffer, Geoff
Carmont, O J*	Goddard, Colin	Morris, Reg*	Smith, Michael
Collis, Bradley K	Goddard, J C*	O'Grady, F R*	Stevens, A V*
Cox, H*	Hall, F J BEM*	O'Loughlin, F*	Tarrant, Andrew
Donovan, E E*	Hockey, A A*	Patrick, John	Tiernan, L*
Donovan, H G*	Horton, Linda	Phillips, Trevor	Zietsch, Gregory
Dougherty, James W	Lee, Donald	Sahlqvist, Terry	
Dougherty, WM OAM	Lovell, K*	Sanders, Geoff	

### **Associate Life Members**

Bradley, Keith	Howe, Ted*	Morgan, Aub*	Smith, R R*
Chalmers, W G*	Kelly, Jack*	Page, M*	Zietsch, W J*
Cousens, Marjorie*	Kelly, J F*	Robinson, W T*	

### **Life Members Surf Life Saving Far North Coast**

Baird, James	Godbee, N M OAM	Hall, F J BEM*	Onslow, William
Dougherty, James W	Goddard, Colin	Lee, Donald	

### **Life Members Surf Life Saving Far North Coast Board of Control**

Godbee, N M OAM	Goddard, Colin
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### **Life Member Surf Life Saving Far North Coast Branch Board of Junior Activities**

Muggleton, Bruce

### **Life Member Surf Life Saving New South Wales**

Godbee, N M OAM

### **Life Member Surf Life Saving Australia**

Godbee, N M OAM

### **SLSA 50 Year Service**

Cribb, C B	Godbee, N M OAM	Morris, Robert*	Schaeffer, C W*
Dickson, L*	Hall, F J BEM*	Moran, Raymond	Webster, Lloyd
Dougherty, W M OAM	Lowien, Clifford	Saunders, James	

### **SLSA 25 Year Service**

Baird, James	Godbee, N M OAM	O'Loughlin, F*	Sweetman, Peter
Burridge, Raymond	Goddard, Colin	Ryan, Kenneth	Tarrant, Andrew
Collis, Bradley	Hall, F J BEM*	Sahlqvist, Terry	Wall, L*
Cribb, C B	Herbert, Stephen	Sanders, C*	Webster, Lloyd
Dickson, L*	Killen, Raymond	Sanders, Geoff	Zietsch, Gregory
Donovan, E E*	Lee, Donald	Saunders, James	
Dougherty, James W	McGrath, Cletus	Schofield, Alan	
Dougherty, W M OAM	Morgans, Kim	Smith, Michael	

### **Long Service Members**

Cribb, Barrie	Felton, John	McSkimming, Rodney	Schofield, Alan
Dougherty, Michael	Holloway, Graham	Moran, Raymond	Smith, Ron
Earle, Robert	Killen, Raymond	Onslow, William	Sweetman, Peter
Fahey, Joseph	Lollback, Eric	Saunders, James	Webster, Lloyd
Fahey, Walter	Lollback, Kaylene	Schafer, Allan	

### **Active Reserve Members**

Cavanagh, Philip	Douglas, Patricia	Morgans, Kim	Wiblen, Raymond
Don, Gregory	George, Timothy	Sutton, Wayne	Wiblen, Steven
Douglas, Christopher	Lawrence, Alan	Tranter, Peter	Wyllie, Gregory

### Active Members Over 18 years

Adamson, Shaun	Garbutt, Jamie	Lollback, Daniel	Sahlqvist, Brenton
Bell, Nicholas	Glover, Damien	Maurer, Lardi	Saunders, Kimberley
Body, Steven	Hage, Colleen	McQueen, Lynette	Smith, Hannah
Bonner, Christopher	Herbert, Stephen	Morris, Andrew	Spooner, Carla
Bramwell-Baker, Morgan	Hill, Amanda	O'Brien, Raymond	Spooner, Darren
Clark, Marnie	Holloway, Karlen	O'Mahony, Brendan	Symons, Mark
Connolly, Danielle	Honeybrook, Stephanie	O'Mahony, Melinda	Tarrant, Nicholas
Cooper, Mitchell	Horton, Linda	Outteridge, Christine	Taylor, Riley
Cumberland, Andrew	Imeson, Mitchell	Perl, Jarrad	Thompson, Mathew
Dougherty, Abrien	Kelly, Philip	Pettet, Steven	Tucker, Kate
Dougherty, Martin	King, Jo	Plunkett, Benjamin	Upston, Shannon
Eke, Angela	Lawrence, Jane	Ridgway, Patrick	Wheeler, James
Essex, Leah	Levey, Greg	Ringland, Wayne	Wiseman, Joel
Fallon, Damien	Little, Samuel	Robison, Sam	Worboys, Joanne
Ford, Andrew	Lollback, Andrew	Ryan, James	Worboys, Simon
			Zietsch, Greg

### Active Members 15 – 18 years

Adamson, Marc	Dewar, Jackie	Katuzans, Grace	Roberts, Georgia
Aitken, Heath	Donohoe, Martin	Katuzans, Samuel	Robison, Alex
Arnott, Richard	Douglas, Jake	Lollback, Joshua	Robison, Zac
Bancroft, Caitlin	Forrest, Shauni	Lollback, Mitchell	Ryan-Clout, Kristopher
Bell, Andrew	Foulds, Michael	McGrath, Edward	Spicer, Harrison
Bennett, Alannah	Frazer, Nicholas	Morrissey, Madeline	Stewart, Kieren
Brown, Dylan	Hartmann, Cody	Muller, Matthew	Winmill, Blake
Connors, Daniel	Hewitt, Jade	O'Donohue, Ashlee	
Cotton, Cody	Holloway, Jed	Pfeiffer, Ellana	

### Cadet Members 13-15 years

Bennett, Kiah	Fahey, Harrison	O'Mahony, Maddison	Ryan, Kade
Dennis, Cassie	Forrest, Ashlea	Penman, Savannah	Wilkes, Kelsey
Fahey, Darby	Gunning, Jessica	Pitkin, Jake	

### Award Members

Johnston, Bruce	Johnston, Lynne
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### Junior Activity Member 5-14 years

Aitken, Sashelle	Bridges, Phoebe	Currie, Lyteeka	Ellis, Jemma
Anderson, Emmerson	Brossman, Bree	Daley, Dolly	Ellis, Lily
Asquith, Beatrice	Brown, David	Daley, Izaac	Essex, Darby
Bathgate, Bailey	Brown, Jim	Daley, Talaraha	Essex, Tyler
Bellamy, Harry	Brown, Lara	Davis, Jesse	Evans, Liam
Bellamy, Jack	Brown, Rory	Davis, River	Evans, Marnie
Bennett, Alexis	Brown, Zoe	Deleuien, Bethany	Fahey, Eli
Bennett, Cooper	Campbell, Clare	Dennis, Shane	Fahey, Noah
Bennett, Jake	Chevalley, Joel	Devey, Connor	Fahey, Rachel
Bennett, Rex	Clark, Lachlan	Dougherty, Emily	Forrest, Kayla
Bennett, Samara	Clark-Curry, Hannah	Dougherty, Lachlan	Foster, Alia
Bennett, Zoe	Clout, Rebecca	Dougherty, Tess	Foster, Ethan
Berger, Ruby	Cooney, Caitlin	Drennan, Kieran	Foster, Kiara
Bertus, Alex	Cooney, Jack	Dresler, Ashleigh	Foster, Liam
Bradley, Jayden	Coram, Linken	Dresler, Jack	Gallagher, Thomas
Bradley, Sarah	Coulson, Aaron	Dresler, Steve	Gavin, Demi
Brailsford, Bailey	Coulter, Courtney	Earle, Harrison	Gavin, Elisha
Brailsford, Paris	Coulter, Hayley	Earle, Jack	Gavin, Karla
Bridges, Chelsea	Coulter, Sam	Earle, William	Gilbert, Isabella
Bridges, Connor	Cumberland, Alicia	Eimer, Brooke	Gilbert, Max
Bridges, Harrison	Cumming, Wade	Eimer, Jasmine	Gillies, Anna
Bridges, Joshua	Currie, Eli	Elabbasi, Jorden	Grill, Jacinta

Grill, Joshua  
Hall, Milly  
Hayes, Deklyn  
Henderson, Emma  
Herbert, Abraham  
Herig, Harley  
Hodson, Julia  
Holliday, Shea  
Hollis, Callan  
Hollis, Memory  
Hollis, Nathan  
Hollis, Tia  
Holloway, Layne  
Holloway, Libby  
Hyne, Catherine  
Hyne, Elizabeth  
Hyne, Thomas  
Hyne, William  
Johns, Erin  
Johns, Mitchell  
Kelly, Adam  
Kelly, Charlie

King, Jesse  
King, Zoe  
Kirk, Ella  
Lawrance, Lacy  
Martin, Ella  
McDonald, Lucy  
McFarlane, Brianna  
McFarlane, Lachlan  
McFarlane, Teagan  
McGill, Grace  
McPhillips, Ethan  
Miltiadou, Carissa  
Morris, Joshua  
Muir, William  
Nathan, Jamieson  
O'Connell, Kate  
Oaten, Digby  
Oaten, Lulu  
O'Mahony, Angus  
O'Mahony, Caitlin  
O'Mahony, Patrick  
Oxborrow, Ashley

Oxborrow, Layla  
Pengilly, Tiana  
Pickering, Reilly  
Pitkin, Gracie  
Pitkin, Wil  
Porter, Billy  
Porter, Brooke  
Quick, Maddison  
Rawson, Lily  
Richards, Jeffrey  
Richards, Stephen  
Ridgway, Bella  
Ridgway, Jim  
Ridgway, Lulu  
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Adamson, Michelle  
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Anderson, Alan  
Anderson, Helen  
Anderson, Melanie  
Anderson, Ryan  
Arelong, Emmeline  
Asquith, Kate  
Badgery, Brian  
Badgery, Heather  
Baker, Steve  
Barnier, John  
Bate, Greg  
Bathgate, Mark  
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Bennett, Laurie  
Bennett, Stephen  
Bennett, Tracy  
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Beresford, Richard  
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Berger, Rebecca  
Bertus, Gervase  
Bodley, Dane  
Body, Steven Jnr  
Bonner, Jane  
Bradley, Aileen  
Bradley, Darren

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Brailsford, Steven  
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Butler, Ian  
Caller, Lyndal  
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Campbell, Peter  
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Cavanagh, Robert  
Chiaruttini, Marc  
Clapshaw, Raelene  
Clare, Helen  
Clark, Nicole  
Clarke, Roberta  
Clout, Rodney  
Collie, Amber  
Collie, Noel  
Cook, Lorraine  
Cooney, Adrian  
Cooney, Denise  
Coram, Peter  
Correy, Peter  
Coulson, Melinda  
Coulter, Garry  
Cowley, Natalie  
Cumming, Grant  
Currie, Troy

Cutt, Graeme  
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Dampney, Jan  
Darby, Robert  
Davis, Elizabeth  
Davis, Paul  
Davis, Thelma  
Deleuien, Gabriella  
Denehey, April  
Dennis, Claire  
Devey, Sharon  
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Don, Jacob  
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Fysh, Fergus  
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Goddard, Patrick  
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Hollis, Matthew	McDermid, Robert	Porter, Mark	Stevens, Gordon
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Kern, Simon	Miles, David	Ridgway, Megan	Turner, Kara
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King, Darryl	Moody, Courtney	Roberts, Darryl	Varcoe, Roger
King, Judith	Moody, Gemma	Roberts, Lindy	Varcoe, Susan
Kirk, Natalie	Moody, Jenifer	Roberts, Michael	Versace, Ian
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Laugher, Robert	Mortimer, Theresa	Shead, Sue	Whitney, Kim
Lawrance, Andrew	Muir, Matthew	Sheehan, Austin	Wilkes, Liz
Lawrance, Rebecca	Muldoon, Peter	Sheehan, Louise	Williams, Tania
Lawrence, Annette	Munro, Ros	Sheehan, Philip	Wiseman, David
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Lee, Susan	Norton, Leonard	Simmons, David	Wunderlich, Matt
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