



YAMBA SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC
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One-Hundred & Third Annual Report

FOR SEASON ENDED 2010-2011



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NOTICE OF MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the 103rd Annual General Meeting of Yamba Surf Life Saving Club Inc will be held at the Clubhouse, Main Beach Yamba on Sunday, June 19th, 2011 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 2011-12
- 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



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Yamba Surf Club fire February 2011. (Photo courtesy of Matthew Kelly)

Yamba Surf Life Saving Club Inc.

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

OFFICE BEARERS FOR SEASON 2010-2011

Patron: W.M.(Bill) Dougherty OAM

Vice-Patrons: Janelle Saffin, Steve Cansdell, Richie Williamson, Max Godbee OAM, Cliff Lowien, Mike Dougherty, Ray Burrridge, Jack McIntosh, Matt Muir.

President: Alan Schofield

Vice – President: Brendan O'Mahony

Hon.Secretary: Greg Don

Treasurer: Mike Harvey

Club Captain: Joe Dougherty

Assistant Secretary:

Belinda Sanders

Club Vice Captain:

Joel Wiseman/Dan Lollback

Under 19 Captain:

Kade Ryan

Training Co-ordinator:

Kim Morgans

JAC(Nippers) Chairperson:

Kim McFarlane

Boat Captain:

Rod McSkimming

Boat Vice Captain:

Wayne Ringland

IRB Captain:

James Ryan

IRB Vice Captain:

Morgan Bramwell-Baker

Branch Delegates:

Alan Schofield, Jim Dougherty

Patrol Gear Steward:

Phil Kelly

Carnival Gear Steward:

Jim Dougherty

Radio Officer:

Steve Pettett

Registrar:

Marnie Clark, Morgan Bramwell-Baker

OH & S Officer:

Bill Onslow

First Aid Officer:

Kevin Hassey

Asst First Aid Officer:

Brian Jones

Trauma Officers:

Linda Horton, Bill Onslow, Kaylene Lollback

Publicity Officer: Mike Harvey

House Committee:

Jim Saunders(Co-ord.), Brian Badgery, Cathy Dougherty, Don Lee, Bill Onslow, Ken Ryan, Margaret Solomon, Greg Zietsch

Social Co-Ordinator:

Chris Bonner, Danielle Connolly, Jo King, Andrew Morris

Additional Management Committee:

Ray Burrridge, Brad Collis, Steve Herbert, Rob McDermid, Rod Moody, Andrew Tarrant

Judiciary Committee:

Brad Collis, Joe Fahey, Rob McDermid, Rod McSkimming, Brendan O'Mahony, Belinda Sanders, Mick Smith, Andrew Tarrant

Medical Officers:

Drs. Hope, McCarthy and Jones

Hon. Solicitor:

Joe Fahey

Hon. Auditor

Kennedy Saunders

Administration Assistant:

Morgan Bramwell-Baker

Public Officer:

Mike Harvey

Licensee

Chris Bonner

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

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.

The inaugural Jacob Lollback Memorial Board Race was held in September 2010 with Wes Berg the winner of the 4km race. The success of the event ensures that it will become an annual event.

In August 2010 the Club participated in two demonstration surf carnivals in Turkey. The trip was sponsored by Military History Tours and was aimed at promoting the Gallipoli 100 Surf Boat race to be held at the Centenary of the Gallipoli landing in April 2015.

In October 2010 Club members Jim Dougherty, Jim Schafer and Paul Cromack travelled to Egypt for the World Masters Games, winning one gold and three bronze medals.

The Yamba Ocean Swims were held in December 2010, with Shivaun Street winning both the 700m and 2km ladies races. Winners of the mens races were Hayden Thomas (700m) and James Stewart (2km).

In February 2011 a fire in the boat shed caused considerable damage to the club and equipment. Tremendous support from Branch Clubs and beyond, the local community, along with financial support from Telstra and other donors, has ensured the club completed our life saving commitments, as well as provide competition equipment for carnival participation. Club repairs have commenced and replacement equipment is being ordered.

A new storage shed has been constructed on Golf Club land on Angourie Road. Special thanks to the Golf Club Board and Executive for supporting the Surf Club with this facility.

The club applied for a number of grants during the season and was successful in obtaining funds through the NSW Government Community Building Partnership Program for the following projects 1) Roof Replacement \$13,000.00, 2) Rear Staircase Replacement \$8,400.00 and 3) Pier Replacement at the front of the Surf Club \$14,700.00. Thank you to the Member for Clarence, Hon Steve Cansdell, for supporting these projects.

The club also received a grant for \$19,000.00 from the NSW Government Surf Club Facility Development program which is administered by Surf Life Saving NSW. This grant will be used to improve storage and public access facilities at the surf club.

During the season club member Phil Kelly was appointed Gym Manager

and has provided club members the opportunity to train in a safe and organised environment. More improvements are planned for the gym in the new season.

Sunday afternoon drinks at the clubhouse have grown from a monthly trial to a regular weekly social gathering. Thanks to the efforts of club licensee Chris Bonner and his able assistants, Bill Onslow and Bob Darby.

Total Club membership reached 683 during the season, with our Nipper numbers growing to 203. Awards training have continued to develop under the leadership of Training Coordinator Kim Morgans (Branch Trainer of the Year 2010) and his team of trainers and assessors. Congratulations to all the new award members and the training team. Thank you to Geoff Horsey and Joe Keane for attending and assessing our applicants.

In the Competition arena our JAC competitor numbers continue to grow. The Nippers reached three State finals with Jordan Elabassi winning a bronze medal in the U9 Board.

Our Masters competitors won gold at State (Chris Outteridge-Boardriding) and Aussies (Joe Dougherty-Rescue Tube and Ben Plunkett-2km run) and World Titles (Jim Schafer-Surf Race)

Our Mens (160yrs) and Ladies (140yrs) Masters Boat crews performed well during the season, with the Ladies winning silver at State, as well as overall silver in the North Coast Boat Series. The Mens crew won their division in the North Coast Boat series.

During the season Club members met with Belinda Doman (Camp) and finalised our Club Development Plan. Thank you to Belinda for leading this process. We are currently working with Belinda to complete the bronze and silver checklists for the Quality Club Program.

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

Special thanks to all our Sponsors. Your continued support is greatly appreciated.

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

Alan Schofield

President Yamba SLSC

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Once again this year an event outside of our control has impacted on the club in a major way. The fire in the lower area of the clubhouse could have potentially been a catastrophic event. While damage was significant and a lot of equipment was lost the result could have been a lot worse. We were fortunate it occurred during the day when people were around to see it as it started. The quick thinking and actions of members on hand and the Yamba Fire Brigade kept the result to a minimum.

As Secretary I got to see the huge numbers of offers for assistance. In particular the Surf Life Saving Community rallied with replacement equipment on loan almost immediately. Despite losing all our rescue gear we did not miss one patrol. It is a testament to the strength of the movement and the spirit of the individuals involved.

Equally community groups and individuals rallied with financial support and offers of assistance. Our treasurer speaks of individuals approaching him and offering money unsolicited to help out. We have received many donations from our ongoing community group supporters. The level of community support is something that every member should feel proud about as it indicates the high regard for our Club and its services.

Once again we can proudly assert that there were 'no lives lost' due to misadventure on Yamba's beaches whilst patrols and lifeguards were on duty. This is our core task which can often get lost with all the other things that go on.

Club Membership has increased once again this year from 636 last year to 683 this year. Our junior membership numbers have also increased from 171 to 203. Congratulations to Kim McFarlane 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.

During the past season over 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. The last two seasons 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..

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, continues to grow from strength to strength. 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 Doman (Camp) Support Officer with SLSNSW, is assisting the Club fine tune our Club Development Program for Surf Clubs as well as seeking Bronze accreditation. This project is nearly finalised and will continue in the 2011/12 season when hopefully we will satisfy all requirements.

Thank you to the Branch President of 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. During the year major repairs and a slight extension of the veranda area was completed as well as replacement of the roof. Obviously at the moment we have the major repairs from the fire damage in process.

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.

The club Kiosk offers a valuable service to all members of the public and club members when enjoying our great beach and facilities. Thank you to Jason and his team for managing this facility on our behalf.

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. A major drive to enlist sponsors during the year has resulted in a record number of direct major sponsors. 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 weekly Golf Club Raffles, Yamba Ocean Swims, 200 Club and Golf Day. During this season we also had the inaugural Jacob Lollback Memorial Board Day. It was a huge success and a testament to the high regard that Jacob was held in by all who knew him. The hiring of our hall for functions and weddings is proving to be very popular. The stunning views and great location are obviously filling a need in the community for a function centre. It proves to be popular and a successful money raiser. Congratulations to all members involved in the organisation and participation of all our fund raising activities.

Congratulations and thank you to Cathy Dougherty and Morgan Bramwell Baker for the editing and production of our high quality Newsletter each month. Also a big thank you to Cathy for assisting in collating and checking this Annual Report before printing.

As Secretary 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 102nd Annual Meeting of the Yamba Surf Life Saving Club Inc was held on Sunday 20th June 2010 with 39 members in attendance and 5 apologies tendered.

Since the Annual Meeting in June 2010 there have been 11 Management Committee meetings held, with an average attendance of 19

MEETING ATTENDANCE RECORD 2010/11						
Badgery B	4	Don G	7	McDermid R	10	Ringland W 5
Bennett J	2	Dougherty C	10	McFarlane K	8	Ryan J 7
Body S	3	Dougherty Jim	10	McSkimming R	7	Ryan K 4
Bonner C	8	Dougherty Joe	9	Moody J	1	Sanders B 8
Bramwell-Baker M	9	Harvey M	7	Moody R	3	Saunders J 5
Brown D	8	Hassey K	1	Morgans K	6	Schofield A 11
Burridge R	5	Jones B	1	Morris A	5	Tarrant A 1
Clark M	2	Kelly P	3	O'Mahony B	4	Wiseman J 2
Collis B	7	King J	1	Onslow W	10	Zietsch G 1
Cumberland A	2	Lee D	7	Outteridge C	4	

ANNUAL SUMMARY RETURN 2009/10

Rescues

No Gear	12
Rescue Tube	3
Rescue Board	6
IRB	1
Other	1

Total Rescues 23

Preventative Actions 1487

Emergency Care:

Marine Stings	8
Minor Cuts/Abrasions	25
Major Wounds	2
Fractures/Dislocations	5
Other	41

Total First Aid 81

Ambulance required 5

Membership

	Male	Female	Total
Probationary	6	2	8
Junior Activity Members	96	106	202
Cadet Members 13-15 years	12	5	17
Active 15- 18 years	24	3	27
Active 18 years and over	40	18	58
Reserve Active	11	0	11
Long Service	19	1	20
Associate	178	144	322
Life Members	16	1	17
Honorary	1	0	1
Total Membership	403	280	683



Nick Frazer & Daniel Connors keeping a watchful eye over Main Beach

CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT

My first season as Club Captain has certainly been an eventful one but I am proud to be able to say that our record of having no lives lost whilst patrolling Main Beach has been maintained. This record would not be possible without the dedication and devotion of all of our active and active reserve members and you should all be proud of the fact that you contributed to another safe season.

However, with almost 700 members in the club this year and only a little over 100 proficient patrol members, we must ensure that our patrol numbers increase in line with our rapidly growing nipper and associate membership numbers in order to fulfil the prime purpose of Yamba Surf Club - patrolling our beach.

We started the season with 11 patrols this year, one patrol up on the previous season. Unfortunately, as a result of several members leaving the area during the season we were reduced to 10 patrols by season's end. The good work of Kim Morgans and those other members who trained new Bronze and SRC squads throughout the season will hopefully mean that we can increase the number of patrols again next season.

Thank you to all the Patrol Captains on an outstanding job. It is reassuring to know that our beach is in such safe hands. It would be great to see more members attain the Basic Beach Management Silver Medallion so that we can increase the number of patrols we have, thereby reducing the burden on everyone.

The floods in January that saw Yamba isolated for several days reduced school holiday numbers and also impacted on our patrols with several members unable to get to the beach. The volunteer spirit within the club was most evident at this time with several members stepping up to fill in for those cut off by the flood.

This same spirit was again on display in early February when much of our lifesaving and competition equipment was destroyed by fire. The effort of members to get a patrol up and running 3 days later in time for the North Coast Boat Series carnival really was outstanding and you should all be proud of the way the club rallied. We must also thank the generosity of those people who came forward to assist the club during this time. The strength and bond of the surf lifesaving movement has never been more evident than it was during this time with the club inundated with offers of assistance from Surf Clubs all over the East Coast. We really are fortunate to be part of such a great organisation.

Finally, some thank-yous: to Jim Dougherty for his guidance during my first season as Club Captain - his experience and knowledge was invaluable; to Duty Officers Peter Sweetman and Bill Onslow for their assistance throughout the year; to our First Aid Officers Kevin Hassey and Brian Jones who did a great job of keeping the First Aid room well stocked and in good order; to James Ryan who despite a busted shoulder and then the destruction of all our IRBs in the fire

still managed to ensure that every weekend we had an operational IRB for patrol - his volunteer efforts are valued greatly by the club and by me; and to Morgan Bramwell-Baker for her help in the office that helped reduce my workload.

I have enjoyed my first season as Club Captain and hope to continue next year to build on what we have achieved to this point.

Joe Dougherty

Club Captain

100% Patrol Attendance Awards (31)

Christopher Bonner, Morgan Bramwell-Baker, Matteo Cervella, Andrew Cumberland, Leah Essex, Harrison Fahey, Joseph Fahey, Shauni Forrest, Linda Horton, Philip Kelly, Jo King, Lynette McQueen, Andrew Morris, William Onslow, Christine Outteridge, Raymond O'Brien, Brendan O'Mahony, Maddison O'Mahony, Jake Pitkin, Benjamin Plunkett, Patrick Ridgway, Wayne Ringland, James Ryan, Joshua Ryan, Harrison Spicer, Mark Symons, Nicholas Tarrant, Roger Varcoe, James Wheeler, Simon Worboys, Greg Zietsch

Individual Patrol Hours

Adamson	Marc	23	Frazer	Nicholas	13.5	OMahony	Melinda	31
Agostino	Nicholas	32.5	Frazer	Zac	11.5	Onslow	William	43
Aitken	Heath	18.5	Glover	Damien	29	Outteridge	Christine	56.5
Arnott	Richard	11.5	Gunning	Jessica	8.5	Patricks	Luke	18
Bain	Mitchell	14	Hage	Colleen	4	Penman	Savannah	0
Baird	Karen	24	Hartmann	Cody	19	Perl	Jarrad	26
Bancroft	Caitlin	3.5	Herbert	Stephen	2	Pfeiffer	Ellana	0
Bell	Andrew	21.5	Hewitt	Jade	3.5	Pitkin	Jake	38
Bell	Nicholas	8	Holloway	Karlen	0	Plunkett	Benjamin	30.5
Bennett	Alannah	17.5	Honeybrook	Stephanie	18.5	Ridgway	Patrick	30
Bennett	Kiah	22	Horton	Linda	37.5	Ringland	Wayne	50
Bioletti	Nadia	23.5	Howard	Barney	6.75	Roberts	Georgia	0
Body	Steven	55	Imeson	Mitchell	26.5	Robison	Alex	30.5
Bonner	Christopher	44.5	Jesser	Emmalee	10	Robison	Sam	3.5
Bramwell-Baker	Morgan	56	Johnston	Bruce	4	Robison	Zac	29.5
Brown	Dylan	22.5	Johnston	Lynne	4	Ryan	James	104
Brown	Rory	15	Jones	Kieran	10	Ryan	Joshua	41
Butcher	James	12	Kapeen	Samuel	15	Ryan	Kade	15
Cameron	Cody	11	Katzuzans	Grace	11.5	Ryan	Kenneth	19.5
Cervella	Matteo	37	Katzuzans	Samuel	17	Ryan-Clout	Kristopher	33.5
Clark	Marnie	0	Kelly	Philip	85.5	Sahlqvist	Brenton	22
Collis	Bradley	18.5	Killen	Raymond	3.5	Schofield	Alan	17
Connors	Daniel	30	King	Jo	59	Smith	Hannah	7.5
Cotten	Cody	0	Lawrence	Jane	0	Spicer	Cameron	11
Cumberland	Andrew	44	Lee	Donald	3	Spicer	Harrison	38.5
Dennis	Cassie	0	Levey	Greg	22.5	Spooner	Carla	23.5
Dewar	Jackie	0	Lollback	Andrew	15.5	Stewart	Kieren	11.5
Don	Anthony	7	Lollback	Daniel	22.5	Sutton	Wayne	7.5
Don	Gregory	3.5	Lollback	Joshua	26.5	Symons	Mark	41
Donohoe	Martin	3.5	Lollback	Mitchell	15	Tarrant	Nicholas	44
Dougherty	Abrien	15.5	McDermid	Robert	11.5	Tranter	Peter	3.5
Dougherty	Joseph	25.5	McFarlane	Tony	9.5	Tucker	Kate	4
Du Buisson	Carla	26.5	McGrath	Edward	33.5	Upston	Shannon	7
Eke	Angela	3.5	McGrath	Joseph	27	Varcoe	Roger	63.5
Erby	Matthew	0	McLennan	Sam	7.5	Warburton	Dean	4
Essex	Leah	57	McQueen	Lynette	46	Wheeler	James	47.25
Fahey	Darby	25.75	Morgans	Kim	16.5	Wiblen	Raymond	14
Fahey	Harrison	38.25	Morris	Andrew	46.5	Wiblen	Steven	7.5
Fahey	Joseph	44.25	Morrissey	Madeline	3.5	Wilkes	Kelsey	23
Fallon	Damien	4	Muller	Matthew	26.25	Winmill	Blake	0
Farlow	Dylan	0	O'Brien	Raymond	46.5	Wiseman	Joel	49
Ford	Andrew	30	O'Donohue	Ashlee	0	Worboys	Joanne	30
Forrest	Ashlea	26.5	O'Mahony	Brendan	28.5	Worboys	Simon	30
Forrest	Shauni	37.5	Oldacre	James	10.5	Wyllie	Gregory	14
Foulds	Michael	26.5	OMahony	Maddison	55.5	Zietsch	Gregory	39

TRAINING CO-ORDINATOR'S REPORT

After the hectic 2009/10 season, one would have expected a much quieter season in 2010/11. If so, one would have been most disappointed!

This season began very early for the training team – in July both Senior First Aid and ARTC upgrades began and the training continued until early May when our last Bronze squad was assessed. Whatever happened to the old 1st of October to Easter season?

Credit must go to the trainers for the quality of their training as not one “Not Yet Competent” was marked on the candidates’ assessment forms this season. In fact, the assessors have praised the quality of Yamba’s candidates. The new trainers: Ray Wiblen, Tony McFarlane, Joe Dougherty, Morgan Bramwell-Baker, Chris Outteridge and Rob McDermid should be pleased with their results this season while the “regular” trainers like Jim Dougherty, Joe Fahey, Greg Zietsch, Steve Pettet, Linda Horton, James Ryan, Joel Wiseman and Bill Onslow continue to be the backbone of our training program.

The candidates also deserve to be heartily congratulated for their time and effort in attaining their various awards. Achieving these awards does require a lot of your time and shows great commitment. Well done all of you.

With the expected changes to the club’s constitution there will be changes to the structure of the training program. A ‘deputy’ Chief Training Officer will be appointed, a training calendar developed and regular, formal meetings of the training team will be held. This may well provide future candidates with a definite starting date for courses and aid us in liaising with neighboring clubs to provide “Branch” courses like Senior First Aid and Basic Beach Management. Hopefully it will lead to fewer delays in starting new courses and allow candidates to choose the starting time which suits them best.

While training SRC and Bronze squads remains the core business of any surf club’s training program we hope that more higher awards will be gained next season. With so many new Bronze Medallion holders now in the club we plan to run IRB, ARTC and Silver Medallion courses in the first half of the season to ensure all patrols meet requirements. Therefore I encourage all members to try to increase their surf-lifesaving skills to make our beach an even safer place to swim.

Before concluding, I would like to acknowledge our assessors for their efforts this season, particularly our district supervisor Geoff Horsey, from the Evans Head Club and Don Lee who often gets very little notice of assessments (you shouldn’t do your swimming training with me Donny)

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank the club for the honour

they did me when they awarded me the Club Person of the Year Award last year. I was subsequently chosen to be the FNC's Trainer of the Year and enjoyed a wonderful night at the State awards in Coogee. I was proud to represent Yamba in such fine company. Thank you to all concerned.

Kim Morgans

Chief Training Officer

LIFESAVING AWARDS

Surf Rescue Certificate (6)

Rebecca Clout, Julia Hodson, Sean Leonard, Teagan McFarlane, Reilly Pickering, Nicholas Plummer

Bronze Medallion (25)

Nicholas Agostino, Mitchell Bain, Nadia Bioletti, James Browne, James Butcher, Cody Cameron, Matteo Cervella, Cala Du Buisson, Darby Fahey, Zac Frazer, Luke Harradine, Amber Hoare, Barney Howard, Emmalee Jesser, Kieran Jones, Samuel Kapeen, Sam McLennan, James Oldacre, Maddison O'Mahony, Peter Rheinberger, Joshua Ryan, Matthew Saunders, Cameron Spicer, Dean Warburton, Brendan Watkins

Assessor Bronze Medallion(1)

Damien Glover

Advanced Resuscitation Techniques Certificate (31)

Christopher Bonner, Dylan Brown, Cody Cotton, Andrew Cumberland, Joseph Dougherty, Leah Essex, Daniel Fahey, Shauni Forrest, Nicholas Frazer, Mitchell Imeson, Philip Kelly, Raymond Killen, Jo King, Donald Lee, Andrew Lollback, Rodney McSkimming, Raymond O'Brien, Brendan O'Mahony, Christine Outteridge, Steven Pettet, Wayne Ringland, Kenneth Ryan, James Ryan, Kristopher Ryan-Clout, Harrison Spicer, Wayne Sutton, Peter Sweetman, Andrew Tarrant, Nicholas Tarrant, Roger Varcoe, James Wheeler

Silver Medallion – Basic Beach Management (12)

Philip Kelly, Mitchell Lollback, Edward McGrath, Kim Morgans, William Onslow, Patrick Ridgway, James Ryan, Kenneth Ryan, Peter Sweetman, Nicholas Tarrant, Riley Taylor, Roger Varcoe

Silver Medallion – IRB Driver (1)

Roger Varcoe

IRB Crew Certificate (5)

Leah Essex
Nicholas Frazer
Andrew Morris
Roger Varcoe
Kristopher Ryan-Clout

First Aid Certificate (8)

Damien Glover
Alan Lawrence
Jane Lawrence
Donald Lee
Robert McDermid
Brendan O'Mahony
Christine Outteridge
Peter Sweetman



Bronze Squad - Amber Hoare, Brendan Watkins, James Browne, Peter Rheinberger, Luke Harradine, Matthew Saunders with trainer Chris Outteridge & assessors Bill Onslow, Don Lee & Jim Dougherty

CLUB COMPETITION

The results of our masters competitors at the NSW, Australian and World Titles highlighted the 2010-11 competition season. Club members picked up 2 gold medals at the Aussie masters with Joe Dougherty winning the 30/34 years rescue tube race and Ben Plunkett winning the 35/39 years 2km beach run. Chris Outteridge claimed 2nd place in the over 40 years womens board riding event.

At the NSW State Titles held at Kingscliff Chris claimed the gold medal in the over 40 womens board riding and Ben the silver medal in the 2km beach run. Our womens boat crew also won the silver medal in the over 140 years boat race. Well done to Jo King, Leah Essex, Mel O'Mahony, Carla Spooner and sweep Rod McSkimming.

The club was also represented by 3 masters competitors at the World Lifesaving Titles at Alexandria in Egypt in October. Jim Schafer won a gold medal in the 60/64 years surf race while Paul Cromack made the trip to Egypt from his new home in Paris to win 2 bronze medals in the 30/34 years board and ski events. Jim Dougherty also won a bronze medal in the 55/59 years surf race.

Special thanks are due to Telstra corporation who came to the clubs aid with a sponsorship package after the disastrous February fire which included a donation of \$5,000 for new rescue equipment; two new Dolphin racing boards valued at \$3,300; and payment of the club entry fees of \$1,100 for the Australian Titles.

During the season club members competed at branch surf carnivals at Lennox Head, Cudgen and Byron Bay, and the branch titles at Evans Head. Club members won 12 events at the branch titles with our male beach competitors having a good day.

The club staged a successful nippers carnival at Turners Beach in November. Like last season the event had to be transferred to Turners Beach because of the lack of sand at Main Beach. In the 2011-12 season the club will be hosting the branch titles for both nippers and seniors so it is hoped that Main Beach is in better shape next February. The club also hosted a round of the North Coast Boat Series in February in testing surf conditions. Many thanks to our IRB crews, carnival officials and work party members who always ensure that these carnivals are well organised.

The NSW Country Titles were again held at South West Rocks and proved to be quite an adventure for some of our nipper members. There was a big flood in the Clarence River in the week leading up to the Titles and our boat crews had to withdraw from their events on the Saturday because they were

marooned by floodwaters and couldn't get out of Yamba.

However most of our nipper competitors were able to get out of Yamba by a number of back roads on the Saturday afternoon to get them to South West Rocks in time for the start of their events on the Sunday. There were a number of medallists amongst our nippers headed by Liam Foster with gold in the 11 years boys beach sprint. The club was represented by a small team of seniors and masters who managed to beat the floodwaters with Chris Outteridge picking up 3 medals in the masters events.

On the representative scene the masters women's boat crew was selected in the Far North Coast branch team for the NSW Interbranch Titles at Soldiers Beach in December. Alannah Bennett was selected in the NSW Country Team for the Tri Series competition in January against Central Coast Branch and New Zealand Northern Region team.

A Level 1 Officials Course was held at the club during the season and three club members – Alan Schofield, Debbie Brown and Andrew Morris – successfully completed both the theory and practical components of the course. A number of nipper parents who did the theory component will hopefully complete their practical component early next season to give the club a much needed increase in officials on the beach at surf carnivals.

SURF CARNIVAL RESULTS

FAR NORTH COAST BRANCH TITLES – Evans Head 27th February 2011

First Placings

Open Beach Sprint – Dan Lollback
Open Beach Flags – Dan Lollback
U/19 Beach Sprint – Mitch Lollback
U/19 Beach Flags – Mitch Lollback
U/19 Female 2km Beach Run – Alannah Bennett
U/17 Beach flags – Darby Fahey
U/15 Beach Sprint – Harry Fahey
30-39 yrs Iron Man – Joe Dougherty
30-39 yrs Surf Race – Joe Dougherty
30-39 yrs Ski Race – Joe Fahey
30-39 yrs Rescue Tube – Joe Fahey
30-39 yrs 2km Beach Run – Ben Plunkett

NSW COUNTRY TITLES – South West Rocks 15th /17th January 2011

Open Female Board Riding – 2nd Chris Outteridge
40-49 yrs Female Board Race – 2nd Chris Outteridge
40-49 yrs Female Rescue Tube Race – 3rd Chris Outteridge

NSW STATE TITLES – Cudgen 17th/20th March 2011

Over 40 yrs Female Board Riding – 1st Chris Outteridge
35-39 yrs 2km Beach Run – 2nd Ben Plunkett
Over 140 yrs Female Boat Race – 2nd Jo King, Leah Essex, Mel O'Mahony, Carla Spooner, Rod McSkimming (sweep)
U/17 Male Beach Flags – 4th Darby Fahey

45-49 yrs Female Board Race – 4th Chris Outteridge
U/19 Female 2km Beach Run – 5th Alannah Bennett
45-49 yrs Female Surf Race – 5th Chris Outteridge
55-59 yrs Male Rescue Tube – 5th Jim Dougherty
45-49 yrs Female Rescue Tube – 6th Chris Outteridge

QLD STATE TITLES – Kurrawa

Over 40 yrs Female Board Riding – 1st Chris Outteridge

AUSTRALIAN TITLES – Kurrawa 2nd /10th April 2011

30-34 yrs Rescue Tube – 1st Joe Dougherty
35-39 yrs 2km Beach Run – 1st Ben Plunkett
Over 40 yrs Female Board Riding – 2nd Chris Outteridge
Open Female Board Riding – 4th Chris Outteridge
30-34 yrs Iron Man – 4th Joe Dougherty
30-34 yrs Male Board Race – 4th Joe Dougherty
60-64 yrs Male Rescue Tube – 4th Jim Schafer
Over 170 yrs Surf Teams – 5th Jim Dougherty, Jim Schafer, John Ellice-Flint
45-49 yrs Female Board Race – 6th Chris Outteridge

WORLD LIFESAVING TITLES – Alexandria, Egypt October 2010

60-64 yrs Surf Race – 1st Jim Schafer
30-34 yrs Board Race – 3rd Paul Cromack
30-34 yrs Ski Race – 3rd Paul Cromack
55-59 yrs Surf Race – 3rd Jim Dougherty

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS – 17th April 2011

The club championships were held at the end of the season on the Sunday before Easter. A rainy day and winter sport commitments resulted in only a small number of members taking part in the events.

Results:

Open Male Champion – Joe Dougherty
Open Female Champion – Chris Outteridge
U/15 Male Champion – Jake Pitkin
U/15 Female Champion – Maddi O'Mahony
Open Male Surf Race – Joe Dougherty
Open Female Surf Race – Chris Outteridge
U/15 Male Surf Race – Jake Pitkin
U/15 Female Surf Race – Maddi O'Mahony
O/40 Male – Peter Rheinberger
O/50 Male – Jim Dougherty
O/60 Male – Bill Onslow
O/70 Male – Ray Burrige
Open Iron Man – Joe Dougherty
Open Iron Woman – Chris Outteridge
U/15 Iron Man – Jake Pitkin
U/15 Iron Woman – Maddi O'Mahony
O/50 Iron Man – Chris Bonner
Open Male Board Race – Joe Dougherty
Open Female Board Race – Chris Outteridge
U/15 Male Board Race – Jake Pitkin
U/15 Female Board Race – Caitlin O'Mahony

Open Male Beach Sprint – Andrew Schaeffer
 Open Female Beach Sprint – Caitlin O'Mahony
 Open Male Beach Flags – Peter Rheinberger
 Open Female Beach Flags – Maddi O'Mahony
 Snake Race – Angus O'Mahony



*Ben Plunkett
 Aussie Gold Medallist*



*Joe Dougherty
 Aussie Gold Medallist*



*Masters Medallists - World Titles Egypt
 Paul Cromack, Jim Schafer,
 Jim Dougherty.*

JACOB LOLLBACK MEMORIAL BOARD RACE DAY

The cream of Australia's board paddlers came to Yamba's Main Beach in September to compete for over \$10,000 in cash and prizes in the inaugural Jacob Lollback Memorial Board Race Day.

The event was a great success both competitively and financially with over 250 board paddlers from 32 surf clubs competing and a huge crowd of spectators in attendance. The field included many friends, team mates and rivals of the late Jacob Lollback who tragically died while on a diving expedition in Queensland in September 2009. There were a large number of sponsors for the day who greatly contributed to the event's success.

Race organiser, Jim Dougherty, said competitors, organisers and the massive crowd were at Main Beach to remember an outstanding young surf lifesaver and competitor who won events at all levels from club to international level while competing for Yamba and Burleigh Heads clubs.

The main event of the day the Open Men's 4km board race saw one of the best fields ever assembled at Yamba competing in memory of their great friend and rival, Jacob. The field of 56 paddlers contained 12 of the Kellogg's Nutrigrain Ironman Series competitors. The \$1000 first prize was won by Wes Berg(North Burleigh) from Mitch Miller(Noosa), Hugh Dougherty(Tugun), Zane Holmes(Northcliffe) and Cam Cole(Mooloolaba).

The Open Women's 4 km event saw Jordan Mercer(Noosa) win from Gemma Newbigen(Mooloolaba) and Alyce Bennett(North Burleigh).

The best performed Yamba members on the day were Joe Dougherty who finished 2nd in the 30-39 years men's 2km paddle and Chris Outteridge who also finished 2nd in the over 40 years women's 2km paddle. It was pleasing to see a large number of current Yamba members having a go in memory of their former clubmate.

JACOB LOLLBACK DAY - RESULTS SUMMARY

Open Men 4km

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|---------------------|----------------|
| 1. Wes Berg (22:30) | North Burleigh |
| 2. Mitch Miller | Noosa |
| 3. Hugh Dougherty | Tugun |

U/19 Men 2km

- | | |
|--------------------------|-------------|
| 1. Jayden Jensen (13:40) | Currumbin |
| 2. Nathan Gray | Lennox Head |
| 3. Tanyln Lyndon | Northcliffe |

U/17 Men 2km

- | | |
|-------------------------|---------|
| 1. Mitch Miller (12:51) | Noosa |
| 2. Luke Cuff | Kurrawa |
| 3. Isaac Morgan | Redhead |

U/15 Men 2km

- | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------|
| 1. James Lacy (13:58) | Mermaid |
| 2. Isak Costello | Swansea Belmont |
| 3. Josh Brown | Byron Bay |

30-39 Men 2km

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|-------------------------|------------------|
| 1. Phil Clayton (14:50) | Kurrawa |
| 2. Joe Dougherty | Yamba |
| 3. Zayne Hamill | Surfers Paradise |

Over 40 Men 2km

- | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| 1. Darren Mercer (14:13) | Noosa |
| 2. Brett Dowker | Currumbin |
| 3. Geoff Brodin | Byron Bay |

Open Women 4km

- | | |
|--------------------------|----------------|
| 1. Jordan Mercer (25:33) | Noosa |
| 2. Gemma Newbiggen | Mooloolaba |
| 3. Alyce Bennett | North Burleigh |

U/19 Women 2km

- | | |
|-------------------------|----------------|
| 1. Jordan White (14:50) | Warilla |
| 2. Tahnee Fleming | Wanda |
| 3. Kayla Russell | Burleigh Heads |

U/17 Women 2km

- | | |
|--------------------------|----------------|
| 1. Jordan Mercer (14:18) | Noosa |
| 2. Miranda Davies | Burleigh Heads |
| 3. Bronte Hartland | Mooloolaba |

U/15 Women 2km

- | | |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| 1. Teisha Jenkins (14:47) | Mooloolaba |
| 2. Rachael Barker | Burleigh Heads |
| 3. Peggy Harris | Noosa |

Over 40 Women 2k

- | | |
|------------------------|-----------|
| 1. Heli Murray (17:05) | Byron Bay |
| 2. Chris Outteridge | Yamba |
| 3. Phoebe McCubbery | Noosa |



Yamba members assemble prior to the inaugural Jacob Lollback board race

YAMBA OCEAN SWIMS

This season's Ocean Swim day was held on Tuesday 28th December and for the 4th consecutive year the event was plagued by rough surf conditions that resulted from gale force southerly winds. However the day still proved to be a great financial success for the Club.

Numbers in both events were down with 150 swimmers competing in the more protected 700 metre Convent Beach to Main Beach swim and 130 swimmers taking part in the 2km swim. The course for the 2km swim again had to be altered for safety reasons but still proved to be a very hard swim especially the leg into the wind back towards Lovers Point.

In the mens 2km swim, last years runner up James Stewart from North Burleigh came from behind on a late wave to defeat local ironman star Hugh Dougherty whilst Hayden Thomas from Lennox Head won the 700 metre swim just ahead of James Stewart.

In the women's events Shivaun Street from Cronulla scored a double just beating local iron woman star Alyce Bennett in both the 2km and 700 metre races.

The 150 metre Dash-for Cash race once again proved to be a popular event with Lifeguard boss Scott McCartney out-sprinting a group of swimmers who all caught the same wave in the run to the line. Emma Dick from Mermaid Beach was a runaway winner in the women's event.

Special thanks are due to the club members who carried out water safety for the event in very difficult conditions with a number of swimmers being pulled from the water before they got into dangerous situations.

A large workforce of members and supporters contributed to the success of the day taking nominations, recording results, setting up the beach, running the BBQ and bar, and carrying out the many other jobs required to ensure the success of the event.

Finally many thanks to our large number of sponsors who helped to ensure the financial success of the event. They are listed later in this report.



Start of the U/15 Male board race on Jacob Lollback Day

OCEAN SWIM RESULTS – 2km

Open Women

1. Shivaun Street – Cronulla
2. Alyce Bennett – North Burleigh
3. Christie Krenkles – Manly

Womens Age Group winners

- | | |
|-----------|-----------------|
| 12-14 yrs | Zoe Burgess |
| 15-19 yrs | Brooke Eacott |
| 20-29 yrs | Nadia Bioletti |
| 30-39 yrs | Kate Armstrong |
| 40-49 yrs | Molly Schafer |
| 50-59 yrs | Alexandra Evans |

OCEAN SWIM RESULTS – 700m

Open Women

1. Shivaun Street – Cronulla
2. Alyce Bennett – North Burleigh
3. Ella-May Basalo – Maroubra

Womens Age Group winners

- | | |
|-----------|----------------|
| 10-14 yrs | Suzanne Ryan |
| 15-19 yrs | Emma Dick |
| 20-29 yrs | Nicole Murphy |
| 30-39 yrs | Kate Armstrong |
| 40-49 yrs | Molly Schafer |
| 50-59 yrs | Kim Elvery |
| 60-69 yrs | Jan Klein |

Dash for Cash

Women: Emma Dick - Mermaid Beach **Men:** Scott McCartney - Kingscliff

CARL SCHAEFFER HANDICAP SURF RACE POINTSCORE

The Sunday surf race has been a tremendous success during the 2010 / 2011 season. Yamba Surf Club is extremely lucky to have this long running tradition of a weekly handicap surf race. It is an important part of our club culture and it is always great to see such a broad spectrum of members participating. It is a rare opportunity to have the chance for Nippers to be swimming with Australian champions, and even internationally acclaimed Kellogg's Nutri-Grain Ironmen. It is even rarer for clubs to be able to continue on with such traditions. I think this is exactly the type of thing that sets Yamba Surf Club apart from other clubs around the country.

Twenty six (26) races were held over the season, despite some very rainy days and often trying surf conditions.

Open Men

1. James Stewart – North Burleigh
2. Hugh Dougherty - Tugun
3. Hayden Thomas – Lennox Head

Mens Age Group winners

- | | |
|-----------|-----------------|
| 12-14 yrs | Cooper Krenkels |
| 15-19 yrs | Ben Schafer |
| 20-29 yrs | Noah Outteridge |
| 30-39 yrs | Joe Dougherty |
| 40-49 yrs | John Haw |
| 50-59 yrs | Craig Frazer |
| 60-69 yrs | Jim Schafer |

Open Men

1. Hayden Thomas – Lennox Head
2. James Stewart – North Burleigh
3. Cooper Krenkles – Manly

Mens Age Group winners

- | | |
|-----------|-------------------|
| 10-14 yrs | Rory Brown |
| 15-19 yrs | Dylan Brown |
| 20-29 yrs | Josh McHugh |
| 30-39 yrs | Joe Dougherty |
| 40-49 yrs | Michael Dougherty |
| 50-59 yrs | Stanley Barrett |
| 60-69 yrs | Jim Schafer |
| 70-79 yrs | Ray Burrige |

Monthly Winners:

September / October - Madison O'Mahony - 28 points

November - Jake Pitkin - 16 points

December - Joe McGrath - 19 points

January - Jake Pitkin - 16 points

February / March - Peter Rheinberger - 30 points

April - Joe Dougherty - 30 points

The end of the season saw Joe Dougherty and Jake Pitkin on even points, with the last swim on the 26th April being the decider.

The Season Pointscore result was:

1. Joe Dougherty - 94 points
2. Jake Pitkin - 92 points
3. Maddison O'Mahony - 79 points

It has been thoroughly enjoyable each Sunday running this event and I look forward to the new 2011 / 2012 season and hopefully attracting more and more members to participate each Sunday and on public holidays.

Belinda Sanders

Assistant Secretary



Maddison & Caitlin O'Mahony receive some board tips from Alyce Bennett & Zane Holmes

BOAT CAPTAIN'S REPORT

The 2010/2011 season was a very good one for the boaties with five crews competing for most of the season - one men's masters crew, one female masters crew, one reserve crew and two junior crews.

It is good to see so many juniors having a row and a big thank you to Ray Wiblen for getting them to training and carnivals. They competed well at the carnivals they attended and should perform well if they stick to it next season.

The reserve crew competed at all rounds of the North Coast Boat Series finishing 5th overall - thanks to all the rowers who helped out in the 'Regies' crew. The open female crew had an outstanding season - coming 2nd in the North Coast Boat Series, representing the FNC Branch at the Interbranch Championships and finishing 2nd in the 140 yrs Masters State Titles. The masters men's crew won their section of the North Coast Boat Series, a great effort considering they missed one round. Great work boys! This crew is already talking about next year and I don't think a title medal is too far away for them.

As boat captain I would like to thank all the crews for a great season – Wayne Ringland as vice-captain did a great job; Ray Wiblen again for the work he did with the juniors; Mick Smith for helping to train the crews; Jim Saunders & Mick again for the big effort they put in to travel to all the carnivals as officials. Without these sort of people we can't compete.

To all the supporters, a big thanks.

Looking forward to next season

Rodney McSkimming

Boat Captain

*Female Masters
boat crew - Sweep
Rod McSkimming
with Mel O'Mahony,
Leah Essex, Jo King
& Carla Spooner*



IRB CAPTAIN'S REPORT

The Club has tucked another season under its belt and what a season it has been! Each new season brings with it its own individual excitement, as well as its own highs and lows. It saw us once again pull together as a club to produce a successful season within Surf Life Saving Australia.

Training saw five IRB Crewmen and one Silver Medallion IRB Driver gain their Certificates with another group of drivers and crewmen to be assessed over winter. The five members who obtained their IRB Crewperson Certificates were Leah Essex, Nicholas Frazer, Andrew Morris, Christopher Ryan-Clout and Roger Varcoe. Roger was also successful in obtaining his IRB Silver Medallion. Thank you to our trainers, Joel Wiseman and Steve Body, and to our assessors, Geoff Horsey, Joe Keane, William Onslow and Don Lee for giving your valuable time and knowledge which enabled members to gain their qualifications. A special thank you to Kim Morgans for overseeing training and course work.

This year's Main Beach patrolling season was both productive and constructive, with roving patrols to both Turner's and Pippie Beach. Whilst we saw minor accidents occur to patrolling IRB members, the community once again saw 'no lives lost' due to drowning on Yamba's beaches whilst patrols and lifeguards were on duty.

Throughout the busyness of the 2010 – 2011 season, the IRBs played a big part in supporting water safety for Club events and other events held within the area. The annual December Ocean Swim from Convent to Main saw large participation despite strong swells and heavy rain. These were testing conditions for IRB crews but again they fulfilled their role with expertise. The first Jacob Lollback Memorial Board Race held on 25 September 2010 was very successful with participants coming from all over Australia. This annual event will ensure that the memory of this young talented Australian champion lives on. With the support and dedication of IRB crews events such as this are able to run with watchful eyes ensuring competitors are both safe and accounted for.

The North Coast Boat Series and the Nippers Branch Carnival proved to be events where the skill of IRB Drivers and Crewmen were displayed. During the season a number of IRB members attended carnivals for water safety duty enhancing their skills by working with experienced crew members from other clubs. This exchange of knowledge and practical hands on experience has and will prove to be invaluable in future club patrols and carnivals. IRB trips away included Coffs Harbour for Coffs Craft, Grafton for CHS Rowing Championships, and Kingscliff for State Titles – Seniors, Masters and Juniors. Mid-September to the end of April saw the IRB used

weekly for the Carl Schaeffer Handicap Surf Race and Board Race and weekend Nippers. Additionally, over this period three proficiencies were held to enable members to refresh their skills.

The fire in the club sheds in February 2011 caused significant damage to the Club House, unfortunately resulting in the loss of all IRBs, safety and competition equipment that had been stored in the four bottom sheds. Thankfully there were no injuries or loss of life as a result of the fire. Equipment will be replaced by the beginning of the 2011-2012 season. Refurbishments and upgrades to the clubhouse commenced in May 2011 and completion is expected by mid-2011.

There are to be a number of changes introduced before the start of the new season 2011 – 2012 by SLSA. A special training day will be held for all qualified drivers and crewmen in regards to these changes. The training date will be set sometime over winter.

The ongoing availability of IRBs at patrols and events would not be possible without the support from organisations and groups in the local community for which we are very appreciative and grateful. Thank you to all active and active reserve members who have given their time, knowledge and support to maintain and develop the club throughout this season.

James Ryan

IRB Captain



Club President Alan Schofield with Telstra representatives Zane Holmes & Alyce Bennett & Yamba club members at the Telstra cheque presentation on Main Beach

CLARENCE VALLEY LIFEGUARD REPORT

This year we required the services of 19 lifeguards for the patrolling of 7 beaches located in the Clarence Valley that are supervised during the Christmas holiday period. At Easter there were 4 beaches and only Main Beach for the October school holidays.

Unfortunately due to the major flood in January coinciding with our peak tourist period, the overall beach presentation with ocean outfall made going to the beach unappealing. Consequently beach attendance was very poor this summer.

Once again the Clarence Valley Council provided a 4WD vehicle for the use at Pippie beach. At Wooli beach, Minnie Water and Main beach Yamba there was 2 lifeguards on duty daily with the other beaches being a 1 man posting.

I am pleased to report that the 2010-2011 Clarence Valley Lifeguard patrol season was once again free of fatalities. Due to low crowd numbers and proactive lifeguards, rescues were kept to a minimum with no major incidents to be reported this season.

This year we recruited 6 new rookie lifeguards from the Yamba SLSC who all attained their Gold Medallion successfully.

They were; Nick Frazer, Mitch Lollback, Ed McGrath, Alex Robinson, Nick Tarrant, Riley Taylor.

I would like to congratulate and thank Mitch Cooper, Sam Little and Andrew Lollback for their great service over the past 4 to 7 years. All have successfully finished their university degrees and are moving on!

Want to know more about getting a job as a lifeguard? Just go to www.lifeguards.com.au and follow the prompts.

Greg Wyllie

Clarence Valley Lifeguard Supervisor

TURKEY TOURING TEAM

The Yamba Surf Life Saving Club Team for the tour of Turkey left Australia on Tuesday 17th August 2010, along with teams from Forster, McMasters Beach and Lyall Bay (NZ) Surf Clubs. The touring party had a 6 hour stopover in Dubai and were guests at the Jumeriah Beach Resort, where we had access to a variety of water sports, pools etc, including a swim in the hot Persian Gulf.

The team arrived at Istanbul early Wednesday evening and following an hour long coach transfer arrived at our accommodation on the Black Sea at 8.30pm. Our accommodation was at the Bogazici University Hotel at Burc Beach.

The first full day at Burc Beach was spent unloading and setting up all craft, including our IRB. The local University boat crew arrived and the Australian boat sweeps took them for some trials in the surf, along with the Australian and NZ crews. The ski and board paddlers also took to the water, some venturing to the nearby village of Kilyos for some local hospitality.

A full day tour of Istanbul was made on Friday 20th with local tour guides taking us to a number of impressive tourist attractions. Sites included the Hagia Sophia, Topkapi Palace and Imperial Treasury, Blue Mosque and the Grand Bazaar. A lot of walking, bartering and some shopping was done.

Saturday was a training day in preparation for the carnival on Sunday. Additional Turkish rowing crews from the Galatasaray Rowing Club arrived for some training. Strong winds and messy conditions created some testing times with the boats. The Turks however were very keen to participate and learn and joined us afterwards for dinner.

Nasty weather and rough conditions on the day of the Burc Beach carnival on the Black Sea caused some cancellations with the water events, with only some board and ski events possible. Joe Fahey won the ski race and Ray O'Brien was third in the board race. Beach events went ahead, including a chariot race. Steve Wiblen won the Masters flags and Karlen Holloway and Andrew Cumberland came second in their beach sprints. Late in the afternoon the Yamba IRB was used in the rescue of the local kite and wind surfing manager when his windsurfing sail was destroyed when blown onto a nearby wreck. A beach Bar B Q was held after the carnival and participants from all countries mixed together in great spirits.

Following a pack up of gear and loading for transport to Kum beach, the touring teams headed off on Tuesday 24th for the 5 hour bus trip across Turkey. Our accommodation for the second week of the tour was at Kum Beach Hotel on the Aegean Sea, not far from Anzac Cove.

Following a day of unpacking gear, training and a visit to Cannakale (Asian Continent) on Wednesday, the tour party headed out on Thursday for a full day tour of Anzac Cove, the Gallipoli Battlefields and Cemeteries. Moving services were held at Quinn's Post Cemetery (Australian) and Chunuk Bair (New Zealand), for lives lost

during the campaign. Tour guide Garry George, from Military History Tours, provided a memorable reconstruction at each of the sites visited.

On Friday four surf boats, Yamba and McMasters Beach (Australia), Lyall Bay (NZ) and the Turkish team, rowed into North Beach (adjacent to Anzac Cove) for a photo shoot for Military History Tours promotion of the Gallipoli 100 Carnival planned for April 2015. The remainder of the touring teams were bussed to the area for the occasion.

On Saturday a visit to the ancient city of Troy was arranged. Troy is on the Asian side of Turkey, 20 kilometres from Cannakale, where excavations have revealed ten cities built on top of one another. The rest of the day was used for some more training in preparation for the Sunday carnival.

The conditions for the second carnival at Kum beach on Sunday 29th, on the Aegean Sea, were the opposite to the Black Sea, with hot calm conditions and flat seas. Carnival organiser and referee, Jim Saunders, ensured a variety of events were run in true surf life saving spirit and sportsmanship, with the Turkish rowing teams performing well, following good training sessions provided by the Aussie and Kiwi touring members. The Yamba Team of Rod McSkimming. Morgan Bramwell-Baker, Steve Wiblen, Karlen Holloway, Andrew Cumberland (Boat) Joe Fahey (Ski), Ray O'Brien (Board), Steve Herbert (Swim) and Steve Wiblen (Sprint) came second to NZ in the Life Saving Relay. The Masters Boat Crew of Steve Wiblen, Brendan O'Mahony, Alan Schofield, Steve Herbert and Rod Mcskimming finished second to Forster. Beach events were not held due to the heat and lack of suitable sand.

On Monday 30th five Yamba club members (Ray O'Brien, Joe Fahey, Steve Herbert, Steve Wiblen and Alan Schofield) completed the 4.5 km Dardanelles swim from Europe to Asia, with Ray O'Brien winning his age division and Joe Fahey finishing second in his age division. A highlight of the swim was meeting and swimming with former Olympic champion Murray Rose, who incidentally won his age division (71+).

The club tour team to Turkey returned home Friday 3rd September, following a very successful two weeks in that country. All team members represented Yamba very proudly in both Surf demonstration carnivals and Dardanelles swim and made many new friends from the touring teams and Turkish competitors.

The tour was a memorable experience for all involved.

Al Schofield – Tour Manager



Yamba representative team at Anzac Cove

NIPPERS' REPORT

Yamba Nippers' Committee hit the ground running with a very busy first half to the 2010/2011 season with registered nipper numbers rising to 200 for the season. With new sponsor support we were able to give each active nipper a goodie bag consisting of a drink bottle donated from Raine & Horne Real Estate, a Bonds sponsored carnival rash vest, an age group sponsored T-shirt & cap.

Our major fundraiser for the year was a night out held at Yamba Golf & Country Club with the Golf Club kindly donating the hire of the hall. The fundraiser was to aid us in purchasing a new enclosed board trailer. The trailer will be ready to go at the start of the 2011/2012 season.

Yamba successfully hosted the second branch carnival of the season at Turners Beach due to the lack of sand at Main Beach. A lot of work went into organising the day and I thank the work group that was there from sun up to sun down. It was a massive effort!

We had a lot of success this year at carnivals. The kids dominated on the beach and gave it their all in the surf. It makes me very proud that Yamba nippers never gave up even if they had been defeated before. With nippers' skills and ability growing stronger throughout the season we saw fantastic results.

Branch Championships – Evans Head.

The u8's picked up two medals on the day with Tyler Essex winning bronze in the male flags & the wade relay team winning silver. The u9's Jordan Elabbasi won silver in the male board race and Zoe King won silver in the female swim. The u10's were strong on the beach with two golds for Brianna McFarlane in the female flags and sprint; Nathan Hollis picked up two silver in the male flags & sprint; Lyteeka Currie collected silver in the female flags and a bronze in the female sprint; and the beach relay team received gold. Liam Foster in the u11's won gold in the male sprint and silver in the male flags; Layla Oxborrow picked up silver in the female flags; and the beach relay received bronze. The u12's dominated on the beach with Callum Hollis winning two golds in the male flags & sprint; Ashley Oxborrow won silver in the female sprint and Daine Laurie won Silver in the flags; the u12's beach relay team took home the Silver medal.

Country Titles – South West Rocks.

Liam Foster won gold in the u11's male sprint, Billy Porter won silver in the u12's male sprint, Brianna McFarlane won bronze in the u10's female flags and Layla Oxborrow won bronze in the u11's female flags.

State Age Championship – Kingscliff

Kingscliff hosted the titles and did a fantastic first time job. Yamba took a group of 15 to try their luck at grabbing some medals. The competition was strong with some events having up to 150 competitors. Our young gun Jordan Elabbasi did an outstanding job in big swell to bring home a bronze in the u9's male board race. Some of the other Yamba nippers made it into finals but were pipped at the post. Brianna McFarlane fought hard to receive fourth in the u10's female flags and the u12's male beach sprint relay team had a great run in the final.

For the first time in many years Yamba nippers formed a march past team. They dedicated training days and competed in the original 1960s costumes. The hard work put in by Lee Johns paid off for them with a silver and a bronze medal at Branch carnivals.

Yamba nippers are growing stronger each year and it's all because of the wonderful committee of parents. This was my first year at running nippers and I have learnt so much and made wonderful friends along the way. I would sincerely like to thank my team of hard working and devoted parent helpers. It's meant a lot that you were standing by my side.

Kim McFarlane

JAC Coordinator

MAJOR NIPPER AWARDS 2010/11

Norma Doulis Memorial Award	– Carnival Water Points	– Jorden Elabbasi
Des Eamens Memorial Award	– Carnival Beach Points	– Liam Foster
Norm Walters Memorial Award	– Overall Carnival Points	– Liam Foster
Junior Club Person of the Year		– Liam Foster

2010/11 SEASON - NIPPERS' POINTSCORE

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Under 6 Girls	Maddison Earle	Sienna Gilbert	Yasmin Elabbasi
Under 6 Boys	Gus Gilbert	Ben Morris	Lachlan Devey
Under 7 Girls	Tia Hollis	Hayley Fischer	Carissa Miltiadou
Under 7 Boys	Cameron Varcoe	Alby Popco	Will Earle
Under 8 Girls	Tiana Pengilly	Courtney Coulter	Mia Symons
Under 8 Boys	Tyler Essex	Josh Morris	Harrison Earle/Reilly Wunderlich
Under 9 Girls	Zoe Brown	Zoe King	Emma Henderson
Under 9 Boys	Ethan Foster	Jorden Elabbasi	Pat O'Mahony
Under 10 Girls	Brianna McFarlane	Lyteeka Currie	Darby Essex
Under 10 Boys	Nathan Hollis	Max Gilbert	Jack Cooney
Under 11 Girls	Layla Oxborrow	Shae Symons	Aneeka Styles
Under 11 Boys	Liam Foster	Sam Coulter	Kody Hyde
Under 12 Girls	Bella Gilbert	Ashley Oxborrow	Chloe Willemsen
Under 12 Boys	Billy Porter	Callan Hollis	Mitch Johns
Under 13 Girls	Brooke Porter	Erin Johns	Julia Hodson
Under 13 Boys	Jackson Sumner	Josh Cumberland	Thomas Speed
Under 14 girls	Rebecca Clout	Teagan McFarlane	Isabelle Moon
Under 14 Boys	Sean Leonard	Thomas Hyne	Nicholas Plummer

Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club

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Independent Auditor's Report to the Members

Report on the Financial Report

We have audited the accompanying financial report, being a special purpose financial report, of Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club (the association), which comprises the Statement by Members of the Committee, Income and Expenditure Statement, Balance Sheet, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes for the financial year ended 31 March 2011.

Committee's Responsibility for the Financial Report

The committee of Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club are responsible for the preparation of the financial report and have determined that the basis of preparation described in Note 1, is appropriate to meet the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act and is appropriate to meet the needs of the members. The committee's responsibilities also includes such internal control as the committee determine is necessary to enable the preparation of a financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We have conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements 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 auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks 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 association's preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view, 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 association's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the committee, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Auditor's Opinion

In our opinion, the financial report presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club as at 31 March 2011 and its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements, and the Associations Incorporation Act.

Basis of Accounting

Without modifying our opinion, we draw attention to Note 1 to the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared to assist Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club to meet the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose.

Signed on 31 May, 2011:

Peter Saunders, Registered Company Auditor #4530
Kennedy Saunders
273 River Street, Maclean NSW 2463

Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club
ABN 15 327 568 072
Income and Expenditure Statement
For the year ended 31 March 2011

	2011	2010
	\$	\$
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Income		
Gross/loss profit on sale of merchandise		12,547
Clubhouse hire	13,555	12,055
Commissions received	8,569	8,473
Contract Lifesaving	909	
Donations received	62,081	29,943
Fundraising income	117,878	125,274
Net profit from Centenary Activities		(2,295)
Gym Membership	6,956	5,801
Membership subscriptions	30,400	27,499
Grants Received	59,752	1,968
Sponsorship	14,600	18,300
Insurance recoveries	44,546	
Interest received	2,824	4,684
Sundry income	3,473	1,041
Profit on sale of property, plant, equip		2,650
Total income	<hr/> 365,543 <hr/>	<hr/> 247,941 <hr/>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club
ABN 15 327 568 072
Income and Expenditure Statement
For the year ended 31 March 2011

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Expenses		
Accountancy	3,850	4,022
Administration Costs	9,337	4,935
Advertising and promotion	2,592	209
Auditors Remuneration	1,850	
Auditors Adjustments		(2,146)
Awards	13,813	3,564
Bank Fees And Charges	41	
Carnival Expenses	9,478	5,245
Cleaning/rubbish removal	3,964	1,940
Computer Costs		209
Merchandise Sales	6,006	
Conference/seminar costs	136	
Depreciation - plant	12,802	8,803
Depreciation - buildings	13,616	14,076
Donations	166	27
Electricity	7,201	5,214
FNC branch affiliation & entry fees	13,206	9,598
First aid expenses	1,945	2,304
Fuel & oil	1,814	1,895
Fundraising Expenses	63,227	62,227
General expenses	1,778	5,517
Insurance	8,507	10,107
Interest Deductions	675	193
Kiosk expenses		4,114
Motor vehicle registration	570	440
Printing & stationery	4,280	4,351
Rates & land taxes	2,930	4,619
Repairs & maintenance	56,050	22,631
Telephone	3,594	2,516
Training expenses	6,575	2,742
Travel, accom & conference	3,908	3,976
Uniforms	4,464	8,252
Total expenses	258,378	191,581

Yamba Surf Lifesaving Club
ABN 15 327 568 072
Income and Expenditure Statement
For the year ended 31 March 2011

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Profit from ordinary activities before income tax	107,165	56,360
Income tax revenue relating to ordinary activities	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Net profit attributable to the association	<u>107,165</u>	<u>56,360</u>
Total changes in equity of the association	<u>107,165</u>	<u>56,360</u>
 Opening retained profits	 593,567	 537,207
Net profit attributable to the association	<u>107,165</u>	<u>56,360</u>
Closing retained profits	<u>700,732</u>	<u>593,567</u>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

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*	Patrickks, John	Tiernan, L*
Donovan, H G*	Horton, Linda	Phillips, Trevor	Zietsch, Gregory
Dougherty, James W	Lee, Donald	Sahlqvist, Terry	Ryan, Kenneth
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	Onslow, William
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	Lolback, Eric	Saunders, James	

Active Reserve Members

Cavanagh, Philip	Killen, Raymond	Pettet, Steven	Tarrant, Andrew
Bradley, Collis	McDermid, Robert	Ryan, Kenneth	Tranter, Peter
Don, Gregory	McSkimming, Rodney	Schofield, Alan	Wiblen, Raymond
Dougherty, James	Morgans, Kim	Smith, Michael	Wiblen, Steven
Fahey, Daniel	Onslow, William	Sutton, Wayne	Gregory, Wyllie

Active Members Over 18 years

Adamson, Shaun	Essex, Leah	Lolback, Andrew	Ryan, James
Arnott, Richard	Ford, Andrew	Lolback, Daniel	Sahlqvist, Brenton
Baird, Karen	Glover, Damien	Lolback, Mitchell	Saunders, Matthew
Bennett, Alannah	Hage, Colleen	McFarlane, Tony	Smith, Hannah
Body, Steven	Harradine, Luke	McQueen, Lynette	Spooner, Carla
Bonner, Christopher	Hoare, Amber	Morris, Andrew	Symons, Mark
Bramwell-Baker, Morgan	Holloway, Karlen	O'Brien, Raymond	Tarrant, Nicholas
Clark, Marnie	Honeybrook, Stephanie	O'Mahony, Brendan	Taylor, Riley
Cumberland, Andrew	Imeson, Mitchell	O'Mahony, Melinda	Varcoe, Roger
Don, Anthony	Katzuzans, Samuel	Outteridge, Christine	Wheeler, James
Don, Gregory	Kelly, Philip	Patricks, Luke	Wiseman, Joel
Dougherty, Abrien	King, Jo	Peri, Jarrad	Worboys, Joanne
Dougherty, Joseph	Lawrence, Jane	Plunkett, Benjamin	Worboys, Simon
Du Buisson, Carla	Levey, Greg	Ridgway, Patrick	
Earle, Peter	Little, Samuel	Ringland, Wayne	

Active Members 15 - 18 years

Adamson, Marc	Connors, Daniel	Jones, Kieran	Robison, Zac
Agostino, Nicholas	Cotten, Cody	Kapeen, Samuel	Ryan, Joshua
Bain, Mitchell	Forrest, Shauni	Katzuzans, Grace	Ryan-Clout, Kristopher
Brown, Dylan	Foulds, Michael	Lolback, Joshua	Spicer, Harrison
Browne, James	Frazer, Nicholas	McGrath, Edward	Stewart, Kieren
Cameron, Cody	Frazer, Zac	McLennan, Sam	Warburton, Dean
Cervella, Matteo	Jesser, Emmalee	Muller, Matthew	

Cadet Members 13 - 15 years

Bennett, Kiah	Fahey, Harrison	OMahony, Maddison	Wilkes, Kelsey
Brown, Rory	Forrest, Ashlea	Pickering, Reilly	Young, Jeames
Chevalley, Joel	Hodson, Julia	Pitkin, Jake	
de Billop, Patrick	Howard, Barney	Ryan, Kade	
Fahey, Darby	Leonard, Sean	Spicer, Cameron	

Probationary Members

Durrington, Ethan	Ryan, Brock	Smith, Brittany	Want, Riley
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Junior Activity Member 5 -14 years

Anderson-Bylos, Alexandra	Coulter, Courtney	Elabbasi, Malik	Foster, Liam
Austin, Toby	Coulter, Hayley	Elabbasi, Yasmin	Galvin, Grace
Bathgate, Bailey	Coulter, Sam	Ensbeys, Asleigh	Galvin, Rylan
Bennett, Samara	Court, Matilda	Ensbeys, Lani	Gilbert, Gus
Bennett, Zoe	Coxell, Duncan	Ensbeys, Talissa	Gilbert, Isabella
Brailsford, Bailey	Cumberland, Alicia	Erby, Jade	Gilbert, Max
Brailsford, Paris	Cumberland, Joshua	Essex, Darby	Gilbert, Sienna
Bridges, Chelsea	Currie, Eli	Essex, Henry	Gillies, Anna
Bridges, Connor	Currie, Lyteeka	Essex, Tyler	Gooley, Mackenzie
Bridges, Joshua	Davis, Jesse	Fahey, Eli	Gumb, Ethan
Brossman, Bree	Davis, River	Fahey, Rachel	Gumb, Jessica
Brown, Zoe	de Billot, Stella	Felmingham, Blake	Hall, Milly
Clark, Lachlan	Devey, Connor	Felmingham, Ellie	Hartmann, Maddy
Close, Harry	Devey, Lachlan	Felmingham, Jared	Hayes, Deklyn
Clout, Rebecca	Dougherty, Emily	Ferguson-O'Shea, Tyeka	Henderson, Emma
Colwell, Alanna	Dougherty, Lachlan	Fischer, Breah	Hentscher, Indiana
Colwell, Shannon	Dougherty, Tess	Fischer, Hayley	Herbert, Abraham
Cooney, Caitlin	Earle, Harrison	Fleming, Aimee	Hickey, Andrew
Cooney, Jack	Earle, Jack	Fleming, Emily	Hickey, John
Cooper, Brandon	Earle, Maddison	Forrest, Kayla	Holliday, Shea
Cooper, Ryan	Earle, Samuel	Foster, Alia	Hollis, Callan
Coram, Linken	Edgar, Zion	Foster, Ethan	Hollis, Memory
Coulson, Aaron	Elabbasi, Jorden	Foster, Kiara	Hollis, Nathan

Hollis, Tia
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Hyde, Koby
Hyde, Lewis
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Hyne, Elizabeth
Hyne, Thomas
Hyne, William
Ingham, William
Irving, Harriett
Johns, Ebony
Johns, Erin
Johns, Mitchell
Kelly, Adam
Kelly, Charlie
Kelly, Jackson
King, Jesse
King, Zoe
Kirk, Ella
Laurie, Daine
Laurie, Raymond
Leary, Alexa
Leary, Jack
Leary, Maxwell
Mackay, Che
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McFarlane, Brianna

McFarlane, Lachlan
McFarlane, Teagan
McInnes, Caitlin
Macnamara, Matilda
McPhillips, Ethan
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Miltiadou, Carissa
Moon, Bonne
Moon, Isabel
Moon, Whitney
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Moss, Jarra
Muir, William
Oaten, Digby
Oaten, Lulu
O'Mahony, Angus
O'Mahony, Caitlin
O'Mahony, Patrick
Oxborrow, Ashley
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Pengilly, Connor
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Pitkin, Wil
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Popko, Sofia
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Quick-McIntosh, Zachary
Rawson, Lily
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Ridgway, Lulu
Ringland, Charlotte
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Waalzens, Madi
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Brown, Deborah

Brown, Doug
Brown, Fay
Brown, Stephen
Burridge, Margaret
Butler, Ian
Bylos, Aaron
Capelin, Katrina
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Dampney, Jan

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Davis, Paul
Dawes, Alexis
Dawson, Phillip
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Don, Nicole
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Dougherty, Catherine J
Dougherty, Catherine P
Dougherty, Hugh
Dougherty, Martin
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Goddard, Patrick
Goodman, Ian
Gooley, Timothy
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Griffin, Larry
Gumb, Louise
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Klein, Helmut	Moody, Rodney	Schofield, Roslyn	Wilson, Tim
Klein, Jan	Morfett, Deborah	Scott, Sarah	Winters, Kylie
Kuter, Andre	Moriarty, Brian	Shankland, Sharen	Wiseman, Luke
Kuter, Jo	Morris, Helen	Shead, Roger	Wright, Jacqui
Laugher, Holly	Morrow, Jack	Shead, Sue	Wright, John
Laugher, Robert	Morrow, Moira	Sheldon, Stafford	Wright, Natasha
Laurie, Annette	Morschel, Scott	Sinnamon, Lorraine	Wright, William
Lawrence, Annette	Moss, Michael	Sinnamon, Rob	Wunderlich, Kerri
Lawrence, Alan	Muir, Matthew	Skelton, Belinda	Wunderlich, Matt

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Kracka Surfcraft, Dolphin Surfcraft, Xcel Surfcraft, Kellogg's NutriGrain, TYR, STAB magazine, Pacific Hotel, Yamba Lawns and Cleaning, Austin's Mechanical Repairs, Luke Johnston Plumbing, Belinda's Store, Pickering Priestley Solicitors, Kitchen to Table, Ken Casson Mazda, Clocktower Hotel, Trevor and Mary Day, Clarence Valley Council, Westfield, Coopers, Royal Pines Golf, Rod Moody BP, Ashley & Ro Kilroy, Kerry & Trish Pidcock, Roley & Margaret Green, Bruce McIntosh, Sahlqvist Family, Alan & Ros Schofield, Paradise Lawns and Garden Care, Truscott Rural Traders, Arnette sunglasses, Lisa Vandenberg, 'Zoe Elizabeth', Wal Pemberton photography, Yamba Picture Framing, Yamba Natural Therapies

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Westlawn Finance, Pacific Hotel, Yamba Bowling Club, Clarence Valley Review, Mackellys, Belinda's Store, Coopers, Yamba Community Pool, Engine, Sound Lounge Cafe, Fandango Surf Co, Clarence Valley Council, Scorpio Apartments, L J Hooker Grafton, PRD Nationwide.



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Brianna McFarlane 1st U10 Flags Brunswick Heads

n and Tegan McFarlane exchange the baton

Liann Foster
Junior College person of the year

Buchanan-Zelay Team - Silver Medal
Brussels Heads Carnival

Country Titles Soar: WestRock's

Yankee Cornmeal Biscuits (baked)
for the March Post Team

Jorden Elabassi receives the Norma Douglas Memorial Shield for Carnival Water Points

U12 Flags Final Girls Combined
Daine Laurie 1st and Billy Purkay 3rd

US's giving it all they've got in the Tug 'O' War

Callan Hollis was 3rd in the sprint, 1st in the flags

Many thanks to all
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and photographic hounds.

Every attempt has been made to ensure the accuracy of information
in this report. Apologies for any inadvertent mistakes.

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