



Yamba Surf Life Saving Club

June 2015

"Vigilance and Service"

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...from the CHAIRMAN (President)

Presentation of Awards

Congratulations to all award recipients at the Presentation of awards for Senior Club members, held at the clubhouse on Saturday 13th June 2015.

The Club Person of the year award recipient this year is Brian Badgery, and the Col Goddard Memorial award for Life Saver of the year is Rhys Comerford. Congratulations to Brian and Rhys. Both awards are well deserved.

Thank you to all members, sponsors and invited guests able to attend. A great evening, with great food. Thank you to Kerry Lee for the catering.

Training Courses

A number of training courses are being conducted during the off season and club members are invited to participate. If you are interested in attending any of the courses please contact the office for details (6646 2463 or office@yambaslsc.com.au) and register your interest.

Club AGM

The Club AGM is to be held on Sunday 26th July 2015, commencing at 2pm. The annual report and other details will be forwarded to members in July.

There are several positions to be filled for the new season, including President and Secretary. If you are able to assist and would like to learn more about the administrative structure of the club, please feel free to contact any of the Board members.

Club Golf Day

Our annual golf day is to be held on Sunday 23rd August 2015. The Yamba Lions Club assist with this annual fundraiser and there are always some great prizes to be won. Mark the date in your diary.

Further details will be provided closer to the event.

Al Schofield
President

OFFICE HOURS
Mon 9am-12 noon
Tues 9am-12 noon
Fri 2pm-5pm



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**All members are invited and encouraged to attend the Yamba Surf Life Saving Club
Annual General Meeting being held on
Sunday 26th July in the upstairs of the clubhouse,
starting at 2pm.**

...from the EDUCATION DIRECTOR (Chief Training Officer)

The winter months are a great opportunity to update your training and education!

Upcoming Branch Facilitated Courses

Training Officers Certificate: Saturday 4th July 2015 venue Branch Training rooms Ballina, closing date 28th June 2015.

Advanced Resuscitation Technique: Sunday 12th July 2015 venue Branch Training rooms Ballina, closing date 3rd July 2015.

Spinal Management Certificate: Saturday 8th August 2015 venue Lennox Head SLSC, Lennox Head closing date 31st July 2015.

Assessors Certificate: Saturday 15th August 2015 venue Branch Training Rooms Ballina, closing date 1st August 2015.

Please contact the office if you would like to register for any of the above courses.

I will be holding a preseason surf education meeting on Sunday 28th June at 10am to set our training and education program for the upcoming season. Anyone interested in attending please contact me.

Kim Morgans-Chief Training Officer

Phone: 66 462823

Change to the Office Hours

Please note that Yamba Surf Clubs Office will now be open:

Monday 9am – 12 noon

Tuesday 9am – 12 noon

Friday 2pm- 5pm

...from the LIFE SAVING DIRECTOR (Club Captain)

Over the winter months IRB training will continue and anyone interested in training please contact myself or Matt Saunders.

Also during the off season the branch run ALBERT training course continues “Australian Life Boat Emergency Rescue Training”. In July this will be held in Yamba, I strongly recommend all IRB drivers and crew to give some serious thought about joining in, if only for the July session in Yamba.

A couple of statistics for the season just past: we had approximately 19862 people come visit our beach, 767 preventative actions to keep these people safe, 46 recorded first aids and 1 major search of a reported missing person. Most importantly no lives lost. Thanks to our patrolling members.

James Ryan – Club Captain

Ph. 0400353792



...from the Director of Junior Activities (Nippers)

Thank you to the families that attended the Nippers Annual General Meeting on Saturday the 30th May at the Yamba Shores Tavern. Thank you to people who have taken on a role, the committee so far consists of:

JAC Director: Kerry Lee

Vice JAC Director: Andrew Morris

Secretary: Kerri Wunderlich

Registrar: Not yet filled. Are you more of a behind the scenes type of person? Pretty handy on the computer? This is the job for you! The Registrars role involves entering membership details and surf ed awards into the computer and assisting on Nipper registration days.

Water Safety Coordinator: Simon Worboys

Recording Officer: Not yet filled. Another behind the scenes job. The Recording officer keeps an attendance and participation record for weekly nippers, carnivals and club championship days for the end of season awards.

Coach/Development Officer: A super coach is needed for board, swimming, flags and running training one or even two sessions per week for U9s to U14s of mixed ability. Must have or be willing to gain relevant coaching awards.

BBQ Co-ordinator: not only do our sausage sandwiches taste great, but they are a great fundraiser. The BBQ Co-ordinator is responsible for ordering the goods and overseeing the running of the BBQ each week.

Publicity Officer: Leah Corcoran

Merchandise Officer: Rob Becker

Gear/ Equipment Steward: keeps a check on all the boards and equipment to make sure it is in good working order for weekly nippers, organises equipment for carnivals and refers any repairs or purchasing of equipment to the JAC Director.

U6's Age Manager: not yet filled

U7's Age Manager: Katie Becker, Helen Morris

U8's Age Manager: not yet filled

U9's Age Manager: Anita Salvestro

U10's Age Manager: not yet filled

U11's Age Manager: not yet filled

U12's Age Manager: Andrea Miltiadou, Roger Varcoe

U13's/14's Age Manager: Simone Bradley

A meeting will be held towards the start of the season to fill the remaining committee positions. If you are able to take on a role for the 2015/16 please have a chat to me over the next few months.

Wishing you all a safe and flu free winter,

Kerry Lee

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Director of Administration (Secretary).....

The new club website is up and mostly operational, apart from the members login area which will be activated before the start of the new season. Any comments, questions, or problems, please email to secretary@yambaslsc.com.au.

I will not be standing for the job of Director of Administration (Secretary) at the July AGM, primarily because my husband and I travel quite a bit, and I found it difficult to do the job well when I was away three or four months of the year. The Board held 2 open meetings last season, and there were many comments from members that they were often unsure of what was happening at the Board level, or wanted to have a bigger voice in the running of the club. The role of Secretary is an important and influential one in the club. I would urge anyone who seriously wants to be more involved in running and establishing the direction of the club to consider standing for the Board. Yes, there is a steep learning curve, and work to do, but it is a very interesting role. As well, the office staff are very helpful and do a lot of the paperwork and day to day administration that used to be the responsibility of the volunteer board members

I was previously Secretary of Mona Vale SLSC in Sydney. I took on that job as a total novice, with no experience of surf life saving apart from having obtained my bronze a few months before. I survived and enjoyed it for 10 years, and I am sure there are many capable members in this club who could do the same for Yamba SLSC. I am happy to help anyone who is interested in the job for a season if they need time to find their feet.

Please think about this very seriously. This is your club, and this is an opportunity to help implement the programs and projects that you think are important.

Thank you
Bobbie Winger

Weren't able to make the Presentation Evening on Saturday 13th June?

Don't worry, you can pick up your certificates, bronze medallions, handicap surf race awards and patrol attendance awards from the Office. Just pop in on Monday or Tuesday between 9am and 12 noon and see Nicole, or Fridays between 2pm and 5pm and see Kerry.



Thank you to our many members who run the weekly meat raffles at the Golf Club every Saturday night. These raffles run all year round, and have been a long term fundraiser for our club for many years

now.

GOLF CLUB RAFFLE ROSTER

- 20th June Group 3: Jane & Alan Lawrence, Ken Ryan, Jill Ennever
- 27th June Group 4: Anne & Brian Jones, William Onslow.
- 4th July Group 5: Nicole & Greg Don, Trish & Kerry Pidcock.
- 11th July Group 6: Ray O'Brien, Pat Ridgway, Steve Pettet, Rob Foster
- 18th July Group 7: Bob Darby, Greg Zietsch, Jo and Grant Bennett, Rick Harris
- 25th July Group 8: Heather and Brian Badgery, Roger McLean, Scott Greensill
- 1st August Group 9: Greg Wylie, James Ryan, Mark Gillespie, Mitch Imeson
- 8th August Group 1: John Barnier, Sachie Ardrey, Keith Bradley
- 15th August Group 2: Jan and John Snelling, Alan Schofield, Warwick Mawhinney
- 22nd August Group 3: Jane & Alan Lawrence, Ken Ryan, Jill Ennever
- 29th August Group 4: Anne & Brian Jones, William Onslow.
- 5th September Group 5: Nicole & Greg Don, Trish & Kerry Pidcock.
- 12th September Group 6: Ray O'Brien, Pat Ridgway, Steve Pettet, Rob Foster
- 19th September Group 7: Bob Darby, Greg Zietsch, Jo and Grant Bennett, Rick Harris
- 26th September Group 8: Heather and Brian Badgery, Roger McLean, Scott Greensill
- 3rd October Group 9: Greg Wylie, James Ryan, Mark Gillespie, Mitch Imeson

2015

JULY

- 12 July ARTC course- Ballina
- 19 Sun IRB ALBERT Training Day - Yamba
- 26 Sun Club Annual General Meeting

AUGUST

- 8 Sat Spinal Management Course- Lennox
- 16 Sun IRB ALBERT Training Day - Fingal
- 22 Sat Branch Pre Season Education Meeting- Ballina
- 23 Sun Yamba SLSC Golf Day

SEPTEMBER

- 13 Sun IRB ALBERT Training Day - Brunswick
- 19 Sat Patrols Start for 2015/16 season
- 26 Sat Jacob Lollback Board Race Day

OCTOBER

- 10/11 Sat-Sun Coolangatta Gold
- 17 Sat Lennox Head Enduro
- 18 Sun Surf Club Open Day
- 31 Sat Cudgen Classic

DECEMBER

- 28 Mon Yamba Ocean Swim

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JANUARY

- 30-31 Sat/Sun JAC Branch Titles

FEBRUARY 2016

- 7 Sun Senior Branch Titles - Cabarita
- 12-14 Fri/Sun NSW Country Titles

MARCH 2016

- 4-6 Fri/Sun NSW Age Titles - Umina
- 9-10 Wed/Thu NSW Masters Titles - Umina
- 11-13 Fri/Sun NSW Open Titles - Umina
- 18-20 Fri/Sun Qld State Titles - North Kirra

APRIL 2016

- 16-24 Australian Titles- Maroochydore

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