

# **SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY**

## **Gold & Blue Newsletter**

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### **SYDNEY BRANCH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

The 58<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Surf Life Saving Sydney Branch will be held on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2007 at the Coogee SLSC commencing at 7:00 pm.

### **SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY OFFICERS Management 2007/08**

Patron	Maurice Singleton
President	Robert Yeldon
Deputy President	John De Cean
Director of Finance	Peter Carney
Director of Administration	John De Cean
Director of Youth	George Fatseas
Media Officer	Kerryn Briody
Honorary IT Adviser	Purruna
Team Manager	John De Cean
	Tracey Schriek
Team Coach	Doug Iredale
Points Recorders	Graham Giles
	Stephen Strange
	Robert Yeldon
Delegate to SLSNSW	Mark Paul
Hon. Grievance Officer	Mark Paul
Hon. Legal Officer	Mark Paul
Hon. Auditor	Frank Larosa

### **STANDING COMMITTEES**

#### **Judiciary Panel (panel of 15)**

John Restuccia, Ian Toll, Scott Laney, Gary Daly, Edwin Brooker, Peter Quartly, Ron Camilleri, Mark Doepel

#### **Constitution Committee**

Stephen Strange (Convener), Peter Quartly, Bill Singleton

#### **Finance Committee**

Peter Carney (Convener), Peter Pearce, Trevor Elliott, Brain Ferguson, Derek Raymond

#### **Selection Committee**

Michael Vitnell (Convener), John De Cean, John Restuccia, Doug Iredale, Kevin Neilson

#### **Life Membership Committee**

Peter Pearce (Convener), John De Cean, Peter Quartly, Edwin Brooker, Ron Camilleri

### **BOARD OF LIFESAVING 07-08**

Director of Lifesaving	Michael Hodsdon
Dep. Director of Lifesaving	Tony Coffey
Rescue services Manager	Stephen Leahy
Education Manager	Michael Bretherton
Board Secretary	Peter Quartly

#### **Lifesaving District Supervisors**

Royal National Park	Vacant
Cronulla Sutherland	Graham Hill
Randwick	Dave Jenkins
Waverley	Martin Drennan

#### **Asst Lifesaving District Supervisors**

Royal National Park	Vacant
Cronulla Sutherland	Vacant
Randwick	Mark Doepel
Waverley	Vacant

#### **Education District Supervisors**

Royal National Park	Vacant
Cronulla Sutherland	Scott Rofe
Randwick	John Campanaro
Waverley	Vacant

#### **Asst Education District Supervisors**

Royal National Park	Vacant
Cronulla Sutherland	Kym Pennell
Randwick	Phil Kemp
Waverley	Martin Drennan

#### **BOL Officers and Advisers**

Lifesaving Competition	Peter Agnew
Youth	Vacant
Communication	Kerryn Briody
Rescue Water Craft	Ben Whibley
Inflatable Rescue Boats	David Winkle
Offshore Rescue Boats	Ron Camilleri

#### **BOL COMMITTEES**

##### **Meritorious Awards & Lifesaving Selection Committee**

Michael Hodsdon (Convener), Stephen Leahy, Ron Camilleri, Michael Bretherton

##### **Gear Inspection Panel**

Kerryn Briody, Peter Quartly, Gary Daly, Scott Rofe, Glen Clarke, Greg Causer, Mark Percy, John Restuccia, Peter Carney

##### **Research and Development Committee**

Kerryn Briody, Peter Quartly, Michael Bretherton, Peter Murphy, Kym Pennell

## **BOARD OF SURF SPORTS 07-08**

Director of Surf Sports	Mike Vitnell
Asst Director of Surf Sports	Graham Bruce
Competition Manager	Vacant
Board Secretary	Vacant
BJD Competition Coordinator	Michael Roye

## **BOARD OF JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT**

Director of Junior Development	Tim Murray
Deputy Chairman	Mike Vitnell
Secretary/ Treasurer	Margaret Sears
BJD Lifesaving Adviser	Doug Hawkins
BJD Competition Coordinator	Michael Roye
Team Manager	Margaret Sears
Selectors	Barney Johansen, Tim Smith
Chaperone Female	Sue McGuinn
Chaperone Male	Vacant

## **SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE - RESULTS**

### **LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR**

Dave Haggart - Maroubra

### **VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR**

Doug Hawkins - Coogee

### **UNDER 19 LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR**

Trent Thomas – Maroubra

### **High Commendation**

Tara Johnson – North Cronulla

Erin Renford – South Maroubra

### **UNDER 21 LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR**

Laura Percy - Clovelly

### **ROOKIE LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR**

Maxwell Gonzalez – Coogee

### **High Commendation**

Nicholas Reilly – Maroubra

### **MOST AWARDS PER DISTRICT**

Waverley	North Bondi
Randwick	Coogee
Cron/Sutherland	Elouera
National Park	Garie

### **PATROL EFFICENCY AWARDS**

Waverley	Bondi
Randwick	Coogee
Cron/Sutherland	Nth Cronulla
Royal National Park	Burning Palms

### **OVERALL WINNER IS:- Bondi**

### **GEAR INSPECTION**

1st Wanda, Era, Elouera, Cronulla

### **RESCUE OF THE YEAR**

Garie SLSC

### **COMMUNITY EVENT OF THE YEAR**

Tamarama SLSC for Holly Days at Tamarama

### **UNDER 15 FEMALE ATHLETE**

Kailah Elliott-Koloamatangi – Sth Maroubra

### **UNDER 15 MALE ATHLETE**

Jake Little – Cronulla

### **UNDER 17 FEMALE ATHLETE**

Elly Graf – Cronulla

### **UNDER 17 MALE ATHLETE**

Tom O’Keeffe - Elouera

### **UNDER 19 FEMALE ATHLETE**

Peta Scanlon – Cronulla

### **UNDER 19 MALE ATHLETE**

Hayden Allum – Wanda

### **OPEN FEMALE ATHLETE**

Nicki Jones – Cronulla

### **High Commendation**

Melissa Campbell

### **OPEN MALE ATHLETE**

Christopher Allum

### **High Commendation**

Daniel McLellan

### **SPECIAL OPERATIONS GROUP MEMBER**

Peter Agnew – North Bondi

### **High Commendation**

Joe White – South Maroubra

### **FACILITATOR OF THE YEAR**

Keith Grima – Maroubra

### **ROOKIE TRAINING OFFICER**

Tony Grivell - Maroubra

### **High Commendation**

Tanya Rouse – Clovelly

### **TRAINING OFFICER OF THE YEAR**

Alex Flower – North Bondi

Katherine Cusak – Coogee

### **High Commendation**

Mark Trevaskis – Burning Palms

Peter Wright-Smith - Coogee

### **ROOKIE ASSESSOR OF THE YEAR**

Phil Kemp – Coogee

### **ASSESSOR OF THE YEAR**

Glen Clarke – Clovelly

### **PATROL OF THE YEAR**

Hutching Patrol – Bondi SBLSC

### **ROOKIE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR**

Adam Sparrow – Coogee

### **MASTERS ATHLETE OF THE YEAR**

Scott Thomson – North Bondi

### **TEAM OF THE YEAR**

Cronulla Open Women’s Beach Relay

Coogee U17 Men’s Beach Relay Team

### **High Commendation**

Wanda Open 6 Person R & R Team

Brock Douglas                      Tim Lee

Gordon McKirdy                      Kurt Melville

Grant Sandstrom                      Ryan Shelley

Stuart Smith

Bondi Open Womens R & R Team

Louise Santos    Kylie Miller  
Jann Ashley    Joanne Heatrick  
Megan Hingston

COACH OF THE YEAR

Richard Garnsey – Cronulla

High Commendation

Michael De Hann - Cronulla  
Warwick Everingham – Coogee

PRESIDENTS AWARD

Cronulla Sutherland District Executive

COMPETITION OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR

Gordon McKirdy – Wanda

BRANCH MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Gary Daly – Coogee

BJD FEMALE LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR

Angie Smith – Elouera

BJD MALE LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR

Nathan Roye – Cronulla

BJD COMPETITION OFFICIAL

Michael Day –North Cronulla

BJD FEMALE ATHLETE

Bridget Little – Cronulla

BJD MALE ATHLETE

Kyle O'Brien – Cronulla

BJD FEMALE ROOKIE ATHLETE

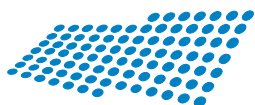
Eliza Casaceli – Cronulla  
Siobhan Dibley – Nth Cronulla

BJD MALE ROOKIE ATHLETE

Jay Furniss – Wanda

CHAMPION CLUB OF THE YEAR

BURNING PALMS SLSC



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Trent Thomas – winner of the U19 Lifesaver of the Year together with High Commendations awarded to Erin Renford and Tara Johnson

Elly Graff  
U17  
Female  
Athlete





Chris Allum  
Open Male Athlete



Peter Agnew  
Special Operations Group Member



Training Officers of the Year  
Winners – Alex Flower and Katherine  
Cuyak  
High Commencations to: Mark Trevaskis &  
Peter Wright-Smith



**BURNING PALMS  
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2006-07**



My thanks are extended to Bill  
Sheridan for taking and supplying  
the Awards of Excellence Photos