



14 TH ANNUAL REPORT

BROULEE SURFERS LIFE SAVING CLUB INC. 14TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING SUNDAY 18TH JULY 11.00AM IN THE BOATSHED

AGENDA

1. Welcome to members and visitors

2. Apologies

3. Confirmation of 1992-1993 Minutes

4. Annual Report - General Officers

5. Annual Report Financial

6. Election of Officers for 1993/94 Season

7. Urgent General Business

NOMINATIONS

All nominations are to be in the hands of the Club Secretary prior to the A.G.M.

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*** FOLLOWING THE MEETING WE WILL HOLD A PRESENTATION OF NEW BRONZE AWARDS, OTHER ASSOCIATION AWARDS AND 25YEAR MEMBERSHIP AWARDS TO BERT HUNT AND LIONEL FRANKS. ****

This will be followed by Batehaven Pies and refreshments.

OFFICE BEARERS 1992-93

Patron

Jack Horne

<u>Vice Patrons</u> C. Carter G. Carter L. Carter

President Terry Freeman

Hon. Secretary Claudia Dixon

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AsstHon.Secretary/Treasurer Nick Dixon

Club Captain Mick Ginman

<u>Chief Instructor</u> John Gale (Resigned 2/12/92)

First Aid Officer Shelli Dixon

Boat Captain Craig Kelly

Board & Ski Captain James Hayward (Elected 3/2/93)

Committeemen Lionel Franks Ross Hayward

K. Filmer K. Smith P. Smith

Vice President Eric Henderson

Hon. Treasurer Vince Lollback

Publicity Officer Barbara Roberts

<u>Club Vice Captain</u> Mark Hogan

IRB Captain Rob Suter

House Captain Ted Cootes

<u>Gear Steward</u> Les Byrnes (Resigned 2/12/93)

Peter Halpin Annette Wensing

Life Members(1)

K. Werner

Vice Patrons (6)

C. Carter G. Carter L. Carter

Active(61)

G. Adam M. Barr D. Bullen G. Bunney I. Bunney S. Bunney G. Brown K. Cameron B. Cannon S.Chesterton S. Clayton T. Corey A. Craft S.Croser I. Crowe C.Cuthbertson M. Dennis M.Dubbert A. Fogarty T. Fretwell I. Gabler B. Geier G. Gillett M. Ginman F. Graetsch K. Greaves K. Griffiths M. Hammond I. Hayward T. Hayward M. Hogan

<u>Under 16(6)</u>

P.Cole G. Dixon S. Dixon

Veteran(3)

L. Byrnes L. Franks K. Filmer K. Smith P. Smith

S. Holyland G. Hunt C. Kelly M. Kelly S. Kinsmore A. Kirk E. Lollback P. McKay D. McLean D.McLeod B. McWatt M. Maguire G. Marcks T. Morrison T.Nott P. O'Neill L. Platts I. Quirk **T.Roberts** I. Shiels M. Shonk P. Skidmore G. Spanos M. Spellacy R. Suter D. Szell T. Taylor J. Vaughan A. Watt N. Ziviani

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C. Lollback M. Roberts K. Zanotti

J. Zanotti

Active Reserve (10)

N. Dixon T. Freeman P. Halpin R. Hayward E. Henderson

Award Members (5)

A.Cootes C. Dixon C. Henderson R. Legge V. Lollback

I. Home

B. Hunt

A. Kidney

L. Morwich

P. Williamson

Country Members (3)

M. Hohnberg B. Munce R. Vest

Associate(33)

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K. Armstrong J. Baldwin R. Coleman P.Cootes M. Filmer N.Ford V. Ford W. Forsyth H. Franks M. Freeman P. Griffiths G. Harris G. Holmes Y. Holmes N. Jeavons A. Jones N. Jones

J. Lollback R. Mealey V. Nichols E. Reid J. Reid D. Richards H. Round D. Rutter

A. Smith D. Smith M.Storer P.Storer A. Wensing F. Wensing D. Zanotti

OBITUARIES

During the Year we lost two of our long serving Members, Life Member, Jim Cooper and Associate Member, John Beecher ("Big John"). To the families of these valued members we extend our sincere condolences.

In accordance with their wishes, the ashes of Jim Cooper together with those of his wife were scattered off Broulee Beach, by the Club IRB.

SLSA AWARDS

Congratulations to the following Members who obtained Association Awards during the Season -

25 Year Long Service Award (2)

Bert Hunt Lionel Franks

SLS Certificate (1)

Bronze Medallion (14)

Claire Lollback

Training Officers Certificate (2)

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SLS Instructors Certificate (1)

Jason Baldwin Darryl Bullen Scott Chesterton Tiffany Fretwell Karen Greaves Erica Lollback Vince Lollback Malcolm Kelly Tony Kelly Simon Kinsmore David McLeod George Spanos Tanya Taylor Andrew Watt

Michael Ginman Craig Kelly

Shelli Dixon

Advanced Resuscitation Certificate (7) Advanced Resuscitation - Examiner (1)

Michael Ginman Craig Kelly Peter O'Neill Ian Platts Paul Skidmore Don Szell Tim Corey

Nick Dixon

CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Well it's getting colder and here we are reminiscing about summer !

To start I'd like to thank people for their time organising and supporting the Club during the season which has just concluded. A quick note to new award members, the medallions are on the way - come down and collect them at the A.G.M. (18th July) at 11.00am in the boatshed.

Congratulations to all competitors over the recent season - we had great success at the **Local Carnivals** for those keen to travel and were pipped at the post in the Club Championships for Branch Title. Maybe next year the Title will not elude us. Those wishing to generate extra Carnival experience outside the Branch can always contact those travelling Boaties and maybe we can organise transport!

Now moving on to fun times! Enthusiasm and turn up to Patrols this recent summer was only enough to get by and needs some attention in order to be more efficient for **93/94Season**. I don't want to scare anyone but your Patrol is a commitment by you to ensure safety on the beach. Patrols were set up to cater for you the Lifesaver - that's the way you wanted them! If you were unable to attend your rostered Patrol you had a choice of 60 odd eligible counterparts plus Reserves to select from - all it took was a call-and all the number were there for you. See it is all too easy - don't let your Patrol Captain and Club down - organise it yourself so Patrols will run smoothly.

Up until now transporting craft to and from Carnivals has been a problem but as usual our Colonel has the solution. Currently under construction is a gear trailer that can accommodate enough gear to be competitive - so if you want to partake in an event requiring craft ensure its packed on the trailer **BEFORE** and **AFTER** the Carnival.

A building program to set up the downstairs "Bunkhouse" and Loungeroom is underway so if anyone has any building materials to donate or even chairs, tables or a sofa bed or anything that may be of use \(in good condition) and you don't need it anymore, we can organise a pickup anywhere.

And now I'd like to thank the rest of the Committee for their unseen, tireless efforts that usually go unthanked as another season ends.

Thanks for a great year ! Mick Ginman Club Captain

BUILDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Activity occurred in November when a Working Bee was arranged to paint the external cladding on the boathouse. Not having previously been painted the weathered timber soaked up the applied liquid (linseed oil) like a thirsty boat crew.

During the summer season building activity was confined to maintenance items (security locks etc).

With cooler weather came a flurry of activity in May renovating the downstairs area to provide a bunkroom with glass sliding doors located behind the existing roller doors.

The previous bunkroom in the boathouse has been converted for the use of a caretaker. The new bunkroom with associated facilities will be the major on-going building project,

Ross Hayward for the Building Committee

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Many thanks to everyone associated with the Club for their continued support in fundraising and social events, in competition at Carnivals, in gear and Clubhouse maintenance, in Clubhouse and Boatshed reorganization, and most importantly in vigilance on the beach.

It's true that there were some shortcomings and that some Club Members carried more than their fair share of the load, especially on Patrol. However on a positive note let's also remember that everyone has contributed something this season no matter how small and that without these contributions Broulee Surfers wouldn't exist let alone prosper.

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Our financial situation is quite healthy; our membership stable; our premises gradually improving with each year; young people are beginning to join; the "old" guard continues to be supportive and active; local sponsors continue to support us; the paper-chasers are very busy; competition gear is increasing; Carnivals are generally well supported considering the distance many of our members must travel; and the President and the Executive try to make well judged and fair decisions in everyones bestinterest.

Let's look forward not backward and strive to be even bigger and better in in 93/94.

Claudia Dixon Hon. Secretary

IRB CAPTAIN'S REPORT

This Season has been quiet for our IRBs with no IRB Drivers Awards. I hope there will be more interest next season. During the past season the Carters IRB had to be sent to Zodiac Aust to repair a fault with PVC flooring where it hardens and splits. The second IRB, the Achilles is currently in good condition. Also, our two motors are running well. The Club is in the process of purchasing a new fuel tank, a new motor and a floor mat for the Achilles which is used to protect the crew and passengers from injury. The Club wants to sell its outboard motors to purchase new ones. So if you know of anyone who would like to buy a second hand outboard motor short shaft 25hp please contact the Club. The IRBs have been moved from the clubhouse to their new home in the boat shed. I would like to thank Tony Mackenzie for his support with the servicing and maintenance of our Johnson motor.

Our IRB was used as the rescue boat at the 2EC Moruya Dolphins Dragon Boat Regatta which was held on the Moruya River. The day was a great success and I hope it becomes an annual event.

Patrols ran well this season - 20 preventative actions and 4 swimmer rescues performed by patrol members in the IRB. Once again another season has drawn to a close and I would like to congratulate all the members for making this year a great year and I hope to see everybody back for the next season.

R. Suter IRB CAPTAIN

BROULEE SURFERS S.L.S.C. INC.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH APRIL 1993

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ACCOUNTANTS' STATEMENT

I have examined the books and vouchers of Broulee Surfers S.L.S.C. Inc. and certify that the above Financial Statements for the year ended 30th April 1993 are in accordance therewith.

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KEAREY, FLYNN AND BANNON

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Dated: 1st July, 1993

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DONATIONS SEASON 1992-93

CartersStore(Season1991-92)		1000
Dolphins RUFC		220
CartersStore(Season1992-93)		1000
Ray Brown		100
Door Knock (Community Collection)		1939
Broulee Beach Caravan Park		1000
Buttercup		500
	Total	\$5759

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Les Byrnes donated to the Club several items relating to maintenance together with a fine donation of Exit Signs for the top floor of the Clubhouse. His continued assistance is very much appreciated.

The Eurobodalla Shire again granted the Club a subsidy of \$2150 which has been used for Clubhouse and gear maintenance.

The gratitude of the Club is extended to all those who gave support and assistance to the Club over the past year.

REGISTERED CLUBS CHARITY PROMOTION

During the period November - January last Season the Far South Coast Registered Clubs Association conducted a Charity Promotion with the Surf Life Saving Association the targeted charity. For the entire the promotion the Registered Clubs raffled a Dahatsu Feroza 4 Wheel Drive vehicle. The Surf Association's involvement in this raffle was co-ordinated by Allan Head (Moruya) and the Broulee organisation was undertaken by Ted Cootes. It is pleasing to report that Broulee, together with the other Clubs in the FSC Branch gave strong support to the raffle. The Promotion culminated in a Race Day at the Moruya Racecourse. This Gala Day was preceded by Street Parades in Batemans Bay and Moruya.

An amount of \$18,000: 00 was raised from this venture and the money has been presented to the Branch for the purchase of equipment to support the operation of IRBs in the Branch. Many thanks to those members who gave assistance to this promotion and thank-you also to Tony Druett, Chairman of the Registered Clubs Association, his Committee and the Licenced Clubs for their support.

An initial Meeting for the promotion for this coming year has been held and it is pleasing to report that the Association together with the Volunteer Coastal Patrol groups along the far south coast will be the beneficiaries.

BOAT CAPTAIN'S REPORT

With the close of the 1992-93 Season, the Broulee Boaties have been noted, standing around the Broulee Surf Club bar scratching their bums contemplating a season of what could have been's, and no doubt wondering whether a season of smooth bums, blisters, cranky wives, horny girl friends, loss of libido and general brain damage, was really worth it.

What started off looking like a huge years for the "mega super star" rowers of Broulee finished on a somewhat quieter note. The only predictable passage of rowing for the 93 Season would have had to have been the "die hard, no brain no gain bombastics" who managed to, for the second year running, crash into the judges stand at the State Titles at Mollymook. I believe there is a book running with sizable odds as to whether the Bombastics can duplicate the past two year's achievements and make it three years in a row. Needless to say we are all proud a Donny, Tim, Blacky and Crafty, who, with all jokes aside displayed a far more committed effort this Season, which was evident with their more consistent results.

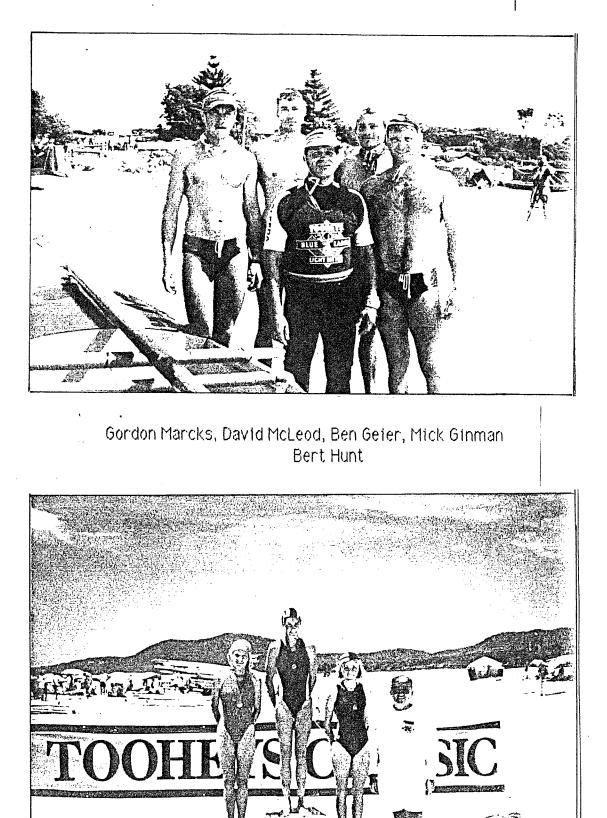
George Bunny returned to the water this year in what George considered his last attempt in conquering the mighty George Bass Marathon. George's crew trained most of the 92 winter, alternating their training between Canberra and the South Coast. Unfortunately for George and his dedicated team, the event was cancelled. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Bunny for her endless supply of food which she dished out every time rowers ventured to the south coast. It was 'bloody great tucker' and made the trip south from Canberra all the more worth while.

The only crew to achieve results this year. was once again Uncle Bert's band of steroid munching, non-drinking, non-smoking, never late for training, I am at peace with the environment, crew of fitness nuts, who expel so much energy during a race that they would all fall asleep in the surf tent and require a cattle prod to wake them before the next event. Uncle Bert can be congratulated for achieving what many thought an impossibility - converting a crew of social misfits into a formidable rowing crew, All he has to do now is to get them drinking alcohol and they may become members of the Broulee Alcoholics Club. In fairness to Bert's 'A' Crew of Mad Mick, Gordon, Ben and Dave will no doubt remember their win at the Inter-Branch Championships as the highlight of the 93 Season.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank members, families and friends and sponsors for your support and we look forward to a bigger and better coming year.

LONG LIVE THE BOATIES

Craig Kelly BOAT CAPTAIN <u>'A' Boat Crew</u> - 2nd NSW Country Branches Championships 1st NSW Interbranch Championships 1st Far South Coast Open Championship



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<u>Greer Dixon</u> 3rd Under 16 Beach Sprint - NSW Country Branches Championships 1st Far South Coast Branch Under 16 Beach Sprint .

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CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Open Surf Todd Hayward

Over 30 Surf Peter Halpin

Under 18 Surf Todd Havward

Under 16 Surf Martin Roberts

<u>Open Ski</u> Fredi Graestch

Under 18 Ski Todd Hayward

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Open Surfboard Fredi Graetsch

Under 18 Surfboard Todd Hayward

Under 16 Surfboard Martin Roberts

<u>Open Beach Sprint</u> Fredi Graetsch

Under 18 Beach Sprint Todd Hayward

Under 16 Beach Sprint Martin Roberts

Open Beach Flags Fredi Graetsch

Under 18 Beach Flags TomRoberts

Under 16 Beach Flags Martin Roberts Open Ladies Surf Not contested

Under 18 Ladies Surf Not contested

Under 16 Ladies Surf Greer Dixon

Ladies Surfboard Not contested

Under 18 Ladies Surfboard Shelli Dixon

Under 16 Ladies Surfboard Greer Dixon

Open Ladies Beach Sprint Not Contested

Under 18 Ladies Beach Sprint Shelli Dixon

Under 16 Ladies Beach Sprint Greer Dixon

Open Ladies Beach Beach Flags Not contested

Under 18 Ladies Beach Flags Shelli Dixon

Under 16 Ladies Beach Flags Greer Dixon

PRESIDENTS ADDENDUM

This season started as did last years with a crowded rush of expectations and enthusiasm on Proficiency Day. To the Club and Branches credit personnel and organisation successfully managed to restless masses as they emerged from winter hibernation.

Active patrol members continue to demonstrate their vigilance and service towards the public on our beach. Those times they were needed saw assistance given as required so that no loss of life occurred Early season patrol rosters saw what appears to be an inherent with previous active members not being available causing some difficulties.

Our sponsors, the local community's continued support and the committee's professional management has further consolidated the Club's financial position so that facilities and equipment are maintained and renewed for the benefit of all members and the community.

Members involved in competition continue to improve the Club's standing. Boat crews again fared well locally - bettered by no others. Once again they travelled to the Country Titles (South West Rocks), State Titles (Mollymook) and the Australian Titles (Kurrawa, Qld). Whilst not ultimately successful in gaining "Gold" they continue to be amongst the top crews in all arenas - proven by the A Crews's championship win at the Inter-Branch Titles at Manly.

Twenty-seven members competed at the State Titles held at nearby Mollymook, all satisfied with their efforts and looking forward to further opportunities to improve their competition skills for the future.

As I said earlier, a year of consolidation, further broadening the Club's already solid base from which to grow.

Congratulations to all. See you next Season.

Terry Freeman PRESIDENT