

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



18th Annual Report

1997



BROULEE SURFERS SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC

Notice is hereby given that the 18th Annual General Meeting of the Broulee Surfers Surf Life Saving Club will be held in the Clubhouse on Sunday, 20th July, 1997 commencing at 2-00pm

AGENDA

1. Welcome to Members and Guests
2. Apologies
3. Confirmation of the Minutes of the 18th Annual General Meeting
4. Business Arising from the Minutes
5. Presentation of the 18th Annual Report and Balance Sheet
6. Election of Officers for the 1997-98 Season
8. Urgent General Business
9. Presentation of Awards gained during the 1996-97 Season

Nick Dixon
Hon. Secretary

Nominations - all nominations for Office for the 1997-98 Season to be in the hands of the Hon. Secretary at least one hour prior to the commencement of the Meeting.

At the conclusion of the Meeting all in attendance are invited to refreshments.

OFFICE BEARERS 1996-97

PATRON
Ray Brown

FIRST AID OFFICER
Kim Griffiths

VICE PATRONS
Paul Bannon
Les Byrnes
Jack Horne
Ken Filmer
Richard Roberts

CHIEF INSTRUCTOR
John Gale

RADIO OFFICER
Shelli Dixon

PRESIDENT
Justin McCarthy Snr

GEAR STEWARD
Les Byrnes

VICE PRESIDENT
Vacant

BOARD AND SKI CAPTAIN
Les Byrnes

HON. SECRETARY
Nick Dixon

PUBLICITY OFFICER
Claudia Dixon

HON. TREASURER
Greg Howlett

HON. REGISTRAR
Gordon Harris

ASST. HON. SECRETARY/TREASURER
Claudia Dixon

DELEGATES TO FSC BRANCH
George Bunney
Claudia Dixon

CLUB CAPTAIN
Gavin Hunt

DELEGATES JUNIOR ACTIVITIES
Mick Lambert
John Shiels

CLUB VICE CAPTAIN
Greer Dixon

MAINTENANCE OFFICER
Justin McCarthy Snr

HOUSE CAPTAIN
John Hall

CHIEF INSTRUCTOR
John Gale

IRB CAPTAIN
Peter McKay

BOAT CAPTAIN
Mick Ginman

BROULEE BOUTIQUE
Vacant

PUBLIC OFFICER
Nick Dixon

HON. RESIDENT MEMBER
Nev Holloway

COMMITTEE
Ross Hayward, John Edmunds, John Shiels, Mick Lambert

BROULEE SURFERS SLSC
FINANCIAL MEMBERS - 1996-97

SENIOR ACTIVE

BOEHM, Peter	BONEHAM, Phil	BONEHAM, Sandra
BOWER, Adam	BRIAN, Amanda	BUNNEY, George
BUNNEY, Jason	BUNNEY, Stephen	CAMPBELL, Joel
CLAYTON, Stephen	COOK, Peter	COREY, Timothy
COSS, Andrea	CRAFT, Adrian	DARBY, Emma
DIXON, Greer	DIXON, Shelli	FOGARTY, Anthony
GAFFEY, Karen	GEIER, Benjamin	GINMAN, Mick
HAMMOND, Matthew	HAYWARD, Todd	HEFFERNAN, Stephen
HOGAN, John	HUNT, Gavin	HUNT, Matthew
JAMES, Ronald	KELLY, Craig	KINSMORE, Simon
KOSALKA, Brian	McCARTHY, Justin	McCARTHY, Daniel
McKAY, Peter	McWATT, Bruce	NOTT, Anthony
OLEJICNAK, Belinda	PAULL, David	PLATTS, Ian
PROW, Jeff	QUIRK, Ian	RAWLINGS, Stephen
RAMSDEN, Rohan	SHIELS, John	SMITH, Rod
SPELLACY, Mike	STICHNAU, Mick	SWIFT, Chris
SZELL, Don	TAYLOR, Duncan	WATT, Andrew
WILSON, Simon	WHITTEN, Emily	ZIVIANI, Nick

UNDER 18

DEMUTH-TYE, Leigh	GALLAGHER, Janelle	MITCHELL, James
SMITH, Aaron		

UNDER 16

BROOKS, Peta	McCARTHY, James	RICHES, Kacey
SMITH, Oliver		

ACTIVE RESERVE

GALE, John	HAYWARD, Ross	McCARTHY, Justin
SMITH, Alan		

AWARD MEMBER

ARMSTRONG, Keith	BROOKS, Angela	BROOKS, Noel
BROWN, Donald	BUFFLER, Robert	CAMERON, Kate
CAMPBELL, Graeme	COOTES, Albert (Ted)	COOTES, Pamela
DIXON, Claudia	GRIFFITHS, Kim	GRIFFITHS, Phil
HALL, John	HOGAN, Mark	HOLMES, Gregory
HOLMES, Yvonne	LAMBERT, Micheal	LEGGE, Robyn
LOUTTIT, Peter	PROW, Cath	PRIOR, Les
ROOKS, Gary	TYE, Robert	ZEIGLER, Steve

LONG SERVICE

BYRNES, Les
FRANKS, Lionel
HALPIN, Peter
KIDNEY, Anthony
ZANOTTI, John

DIXON, Nicholas
GALLAGHER, Colin
HOWLETT, Greg
TESSYMAN, Mark

FILMER, Kenneth
HARRIS, Gordon
HUNT, Bert
WHITE, Graeme

ASSOCIATE

BALCOMB, Robert
CARTER, Colin
CARTER, June
EDMUNDS, John
HALL Kerri
WHITE, Adele

BILLS, Peter
CARTER, Gary
DAVIS, Garry
FILMER, Margaret
ROBERTS, Barbara
ZANOTTI, Denise

COLEMAN, Rhonda
CARTER, Heather
DAVIS, Sandra
FREEMAN, Maree
SPITTLES, Edward

SOCIAL MEMBERS

HARKINS, John

SHAW , John

SHAW , Nardine

LIFE MEMBERS

FREEMAN, Terry
WEHNER, Kelvin

25 YEAR MEMBERS

Nick Dixon
Lionel Franks
Bert Hunt

50 YEAR MEMBER

Les Byrnes

**EIGHTEENTH
ANNUAL REPORT
AND
BALANCE SHEET
FOR SEASON 1996-97**

To be submitted at the Annual General Meeting of the Club to be held in the Club House, Broulee on Sunday, 20th July, 1997 at 1.30pm.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

This 18th Annual Report and Balance Sheet covers the activities of the Broulee Surfers SLSC for the 1996-97 Year. It is submitted to you for your consideration and adoption at the 18th Annual General Meeting of the Club

PATROLS

It is indeed pleasing to record once again that **"No lives were lost whilst Patrols were on Duty"**. This is a record which the Club has successfully maintained since its inception but, unfortunately, it is not achieved with the cooperation of all patrol members. It is time that some members consider their position as far as Club membership is concerned. It would be far better for some of our members not to rejoin the Club rather than let their colleagues down as far as patrol attendance is concerned.

MEMBERSHIP

Perusal of the Membership Table below will reveal that there has been a significant drop in Membership over the past year. This drop is most noticeable in the Active (Senior, Under 18 and Under 16) Membership and Associate categories. It is important that we strive to maintain our level of Membership in all categories in order to life saving and fund raising capabilities..

Membership Category	1996	1997
Life Members	1	2
Honorary Members	8	6
Senior Active	58	54
Under 18	9	4
Under 16	5	4
Active Reserve	8	4
Long Service	12	13
Award Member	13	23
Country Member	3	-
Associate	34	17
Social Member	-	3
Junior Activities	82	78
Grand Total	233	208

(NB There are two Members in more than one category so actual Membership is 206)

FINANCE

Club finances are, compared with previous years, in a reasonably healthy position even though we are just breaking even with our General Account. Our Club can still be regarded as a developing Club with general Clubhouse improvements high on the Agenda. The Club has had a plan in place for several years now and is very gradually working towards the achievement of its goals - finance availability and volunteer labour are the restrictions which we continually face.

Our Bar Account shows a healthy balance at the end of the year. This is due to the introduction by John Hall of a Friday Night Char Grill which was well received and highly successful over the holiday period. Thanks are due to those Members who were involved with this venture.

CLUBHOUSE IMPROVEMENTS

The Club was the recipient of a \$ for \$ Grant to the sum of \$5 000 from the NSW Department of Sport and Recreation to allow the Clubhouse to be improved to meet Fire Safety Standards. This work was completed during the year and the Club now meets Council requirements. Quite an effort after all these years!

Other Clubhouse improvements included the construction and tiling of shower cubicles downstairs in the Clubhouse. It is hoped that the facilities downstairs will be improved, as has been decided by the Committee, to accommodate our Canberra and other out of town Members during the patrol periods.

SLSA AWARDS

The Club continues to maintain a fine record for the attainment of Association Awards. Congratulations are in order to the successful candidates during the year. Our long serving Chief Instructor, John Gale has announced his retirement from this position, John has been a tower of strength in this part of Club activity and he has been responsible, over the years, for most of our Club Members gaining their awards. Many thanks John for your years of dedication.

COMPETITION

Our involvement in Carnival Competition at Branch level continues to decline and it is reported that our representation has been confined mainly to our boat crews, Greer Dixon and Peta Brooks with some other Members competing later in the Season. Five years ago we were considered by many as being good enough to win the Jack Beale Trophy for the Branch Carnival Point Score - last year we were placed fifth out of the six Clubs competing.

Competition, although not the top Club priority is an important part of Surf Club activity and does a lot to engender Club team spirit, increase Club Membership and add to the fitness of the Members.

The lack of Club concern for competition cannot be dismissed and should be high

on the Agenda for the incoming Committee. Lack of concern will eventually be to the Club's detriment.

AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Club was well represented at the National Championships (again conducted at Kurrawa, Queensland) by two of our Boat Crews - Open Boat Crew, Bert Hunt (Sweep), Ben Geier, Matthew Hunt, Mick Ginman and Gavin Hunt and our Reserve Boat Crew - Bert Hunt (Sweep), Simon Wilson, Peter Boehm. Bert Hunt was appointed Team Manager.

Both Crews acquitted the Club well but were eliminated before the final rounds. Once again it seems, that with all the modern scientific equipment and Carnival Officials can still not set the buoys fairly. When confronted with an obvious error, those in charge walk away from the problem. One day we may get it right - we can only but hope.

CONCLUSION

Our Club continues to make steady progress and the past Season has made significant contribution to that progress. The coming season will see new directions as there has to be new faces on the Club Committee. The Club needs Officers with vision for the future of the Club and not based on immediate personal interests.

The village of Broulee does not provide a strong population base for Club development and the Club must continue to attract new Members from Canberra to work with local Members to advance the Club. Our Club is not unique in this as there are many Clubs in the country areas of NSW who have similar problems as Broulee but are progressing quite well.

At the Annual General Meeting in 1994/95 I accepted the position of Club Secretary for a period of three years and I have honoured that commitment. During the these year I have had strong support from my wife Claudia, and who, as Assistant Secretary during the period of my illness this Season, took up the load with great credit.

Many thanks to all those Officers and Members who have made a contribution to the Club's progress during the Year and best wishes to those who accept Office for the 1997/98 Season.

Nick Dixon
Club Secretary

CLUB CAPTAIN

As another Season draws to a close, once again for the Club there were some great highs and some unforgettable lows.

On the Competition front, once again we have too few competitors to be seen a threat to the Jack Beale Trophy. However those competitors we did have performed admirably, usually dominating their chosen disciplines. Nobody travelled to the Country Championships due to the distance involved but we had a fairly strong contingent at the State Titles at Mollymook.

All competitors performed well, with three boat crews starting and the A Crew getting knocked out in the Quarter Finals. At the Australian Titles (once again at Kurrawa, QLD) we had the A Crew and Reserve Crew travel north. Both Crews were unfortunate to be knocked out in the second round, but as they say, that's surfboat rowing for you!

Another bright note for the Club was the popularity of the Friday Night Sippers and Barbecue. This is a big boost for the Club, both socially and financially, so all Members should behind it and spread the word. We have the facilities available u, so with a little hard work we can make our great Club even better.

Once again though, as has been the problem in recent years, the biggest problem which the Club has to break through is our patrol attendance. To put it bluntly, as a general rule it is woeful, and needs everyones immediate attention if the Club is to survive. I realise it is a voluntary organisation, but if you join a Surf Club as an Active Member, you do so knowing full well the responsibilities involved, the largest of which is completing your rostered patrols.

All of us at one time or another cannot make a rostered patrol, but how much time does it take to ring your Patrol Captain and let him or her know that you can't make it. It is not a hard thing to do and would solve a lot of problems and heartaches for everybody involved. The roster is made up with the best intentions of keeping everyone as happy as possible. Obviously it will not suit all of you, but if you have any suggestions please pass them on. We are always open to advice to make the patrols run as smoothly as possible.

In the off-season have a think about this issue and evaluate how things could be made better. It is another one of those things that if we all chip in, we could make it a lot easier. Every time one person does not turn up for patrol you are letting down your group. If a group does not turn up they are letting down the whole Club so make the phone call if you can't make it and don't let yourselves down.

On the same note a big thank-you goes out to Greer Dixon without whose efforts as Club Vice-Captain this Season there would have been a lot of days when the beach was left unattended. Greer's efforts in organising volunteers when patrols did not show up, and putting in a lot of hours herself deserves commendation. It showed a lot of devotion to help overcome this problem.

A big thank you to a lot of members who turned out on volunteer days such as Christmas Day and New Years Day.

Let's all show a little more of this dedication and hopefully next year's Club Captain's Report will be an absolute pleasure and tell of the Club's successes in both patrols and competition.

Gavin Hunt
Club Captain

IRB CAPTAIN'S REPORT

The 1996/97 Season has seen the IRBs clock up approximately 60 hours in the Log Books. They have made it through the Season reasonably unscathed with only minor repairs to keep them in A1 condition. It is interesting to note that approximately half the logged hours were done with Junior Activities. Members please note that it is very important to fill in the Log Books so that the IRBs can be kept fuelled and mechanically sound in case of any emergencies that may arise.

Important issues regarding the IRBs are:

1. Before undertaking driver training/operating you must hold a NSW Boat Licence and be instructed by an experienced driver.
2. Keep out of flagged swimming areas, including a buffer zone of 10-15 metres.
3. The IRB is potentially the most dangerous craft on the beach in the hands of inexperienced drivers - so if you are in training keep clear of all beach goers.
4. In the case of a rescue, the driver must be 100% certain they can handle the conditions so that they can perform the rescue quickly and safely.

I would like to thank the Committee, the parents involved with Junior Activities on Sundays and Nev Holloway for all his help.

Peter McKay
IRB Captain

CHIEF INSTRUCTOR

A reasonably busy year with Bronze Medallion and Surf Life Saving Certificate squads completing their courses. Congratulations to these squads for gaining their Awards.

Kim Griffiths and Peter McKay completed the ARC course. Kim also completed the 'Train the Trainer' Course and put John Hogan through his ARC.

Due to family and business commitments I will not be standing for this position next season. I wish to thank the Committees and Members for their support during the past Seasons.

John Gale
Chief Instructor

ASSOCIATION AWARDS

Sincere congratulations to the following Members who were successful in gaining Association Lifesaving Awards during the Season -

BRONZE MEDALLION

BOEHM, Peter
BOWER, Adam
BROOKS, Noel
BUFFLER, Robert
CAMPBELL, Graham
CAMPBELL, Joel
DONOGHOE, Susan
McCARTHY, James
PRIOR, Les
RAMSDEN, Rohan
RICHES, Kacey
SWIFT, Chris
TAYLOR, Duncan
WHITTEN, Emily

ADVANCED RESUSCITATION CERTIFICATE

HOGAN, John

ADVANCED RESUSCITATION CERTIFICATE INSTRUCTOR'S CERTIFICATE

GRIFFITHS, Kim

GEAR STEWARD/BOARD & SKI CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Another Season completed and another successful sortie with the repair game - actually its not a game its a serious business with numerous repairs. Time and effort could have been avoided if more care is taken with Club craft. While accidents do happen in competition, most are caused. There is a blackboard inside the Board & Ski Shed, on the left, so write up any damage to be repaired and on which craft and maybe the 'Phantom' will fix it.

All surf skis and to be hosed down after use and placed in racks - nose facing down.

Similarly with malibus - racing and rescue boards.

Rescues tubers, after use, also to be hosed down and placed on hooks to the right hand side of the door. Same applies to wet suits, coat hangers supplied. Place on nails on opposite side of partition (boat shed side) to dry.

Competition - well what can 'one' say, our Club has gone from one the top competitive Clubs in our area to the bottom of the heap. It appears that the lassais-faire (she will be all right mate) attitude has become the norm.

The ball is in our court, so let's pick it up and run with it, develop a revitalised pride in our Club, train and compete at Carnivals, look after club gear, stop dragging boards and skis up and down the beach and thus stamp out the 'Dragg Team'.

See you all in 1997/98 - all the best for the coming Season.

Les Byrnes
Gear Steward
Board and Ski Captain

HOUSE CAPTAIN

The Club Hire Income was down this year but the profits were up due to the Bar and Char Grill. Due to the positive thinking by the volunteers most of the profit was made up to January 1997. A lot of thanks must go to the local community which fully supported the Friday Night Char Grill until it seemed to be forgotten that all the work that has gone into the Club is voluntary - so get behind your workers - don't ride them and every thing will run smoothly.

It has been a very rewarding experience working for the Club and the Committee. Special thanks must go to the Secretary Nick Dixon who has been the back-bone of the Club for some years now and without him the Club wouldn't be where it is. Well done Nick and the best of luck.

John Hall
House Captain

SPECIAL CLUB AWARDS

Congratulations to the following Members who were successful in gaining the Club Special Awards for the 1996-97 Season -

* Patrolman of the Year	Tony Fogarty
* Junior Achiever	Peta Brooks
* Club Person of the Year	John Shiels

BRANCH CHAMPIONS

Congratulations to the following Members who were Branch Champions for the 1996-97 Season -

Kacey Riches	- Open Ladies Surf Champion
Kacey Riches	- Under 16 Ladies Surf Champion
Broulee	- Open Surfboat Champions
Broulee	- Reserve Surfboat Champions

GEORGE BASS MARATHON

The 10th George Bass Marathon from Batemans Bay to Eden was conducted this year between January 4th and January 11th under very difficult conditions. The Club was well represented and sincere congratulations are extended to our crew for their outstanding effort in finishing in seventh place overall.

The crew consisted of Jason Bunney, Stephen Bunney, Stephen Clayton, Stephen Heffernan, Nick Ziviani, Peter Boehm, Peter Cook, Ian Quirk and Stephen Wilson with George Bunney the Team Manager.

VICE PATRON

Members there is a wave of apathy coursing. Its way through the life blood of this Club. Members each Season our Canberra Membership decreases a little more. And yes, we have lost some local Members to school and university in Canberra or elsewhere.

This Club, through its affiliation with the Surf Life Saving Association has a charter from the Association and is given the authority and responsibility for 'Vigilance and Service' over the surfing public.

Patrol attendance has, in the main, towards the end of the Season, only be described as pathetic with some cases of only one rostered Members turning up for a Patrol. Situational thinking applies here - put yourself in the Club position (bearing in mind earlier remarks) and consider your fellow Patrol Members.

Competition - what competition? Outside of the Boat Crews, Greer Dixon and Peta Brooks there has only been an odd sprinkle of Members competing.

Personally I could not recommend (as Gear Steward) the Club purchasing new craft when we don't have competitors or whilst we have Members and Juniors who drag craft up and down the beach..

Craft bought should, with care, last at least three seasons and thus allow the Club to build up capital to finish renovations and and provide amenities for Members. Don't lose sight of the fact that the Club doesn't have sponsors.

The Clubhouse: A Members of this Club drew up plans indicating what improvements could be made to the Clubhouse to make it a going concern as a fund raiser, to hold functions or hire the Club out for functions. Some amenities have been completed but there are still some aspects, relating to the plans and discussed at length by the Committee, that still have to be completed - ie kitchen, toilet facilities and some form of accommodation for our Country/Canberra Members. When completed they not only make our Clubhouse one of the best but one of the best venues.

Election of Office Bearers Season 1997/98 (A.G.M.) - this Meeting is the most important of the Season, whereby Members can vote for their choice of strong, decisive Members who will do the job.

Looking forward to a good roll-up - see you all at the Clubhouse.

Les Byrnes
Vice Patron

JUNIOR ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

The 1996/97 Season saw the continued development of Junior Activities at Broulee Surfers Surf Life Saving Club.

Registrations increased in all age groups so that the total number approached eighty members by the end of the Season.

Participation in Sunday morning activities was keen and resulted in a pleasing development of skills as well as comradeship and team spirit.

The Season saw many highlights with five members being selected in the Interbranch Team that competed in the Championships at Newcastle. These Members were Stephanie Edmunds, Bridget Edmunds, Brianna Tye, Ben Lambert and Nick Brooks.

Our Juniors were fortunate enough to participate in a number of development camps - the first at Berry and the second at Tathra. Members to participate include Stephanie Edmunds, Brianna Tye, Jack Johnston, Michael Pugh and Brad Mensforth.

The Season saw three local Carnivals held with Broulee being well represented at each. Not only did the Broulee Juniors enjoy themselves but the results were encouraging and reflected the enthusiasm and interest among our members.

Any successful season is the result of hard work and interest and Broulee was fortunate to have interested and dedicated age managers, and supportive parents whose help at the Friday Night Bistro, Doorknock and local carnivals was greatly appreciated.

Judging by the Season just gone, next Season promises to be enjoyable and successful.

Michael Lambert
Secretary,
Junior Activities Committee

THANKS AND APPRECIATION

- Eurobodalla Shire Council - for recognition of our service to the Community by the award of a subsidy of \$2,300
- Hon. Auditors - Keary, Flynn and Bannon (Brian Hingston) - for completion of the Annual Audit of the Club Accounts and for advice and assistance given
- Batemans Bay Engineering (Peter McKay) - for assistance with IRB maintenance
- Department of Sport and Recreation for the provision of Capital Assistance Grant of \$5 000 for the upgrading of the Clubhouse to meet fire safety standards
- Christine May (Community Health) and Kim Griffiths (First Aid Officer) for the completion of the Club's Sun Safety Policy
- Nev Holloway (Hon. Resident Member) for his work in and around the Clubhouse
- Eurobodalla Paper Chasers - for continuing to organise the recycling of waste paper in Moruya, a project which has benefited this Club financially and to those members who assisted. Special appreciation is again extended to Alan Smith and Greg Holmes and to Terry Freeman who co-ordinates the Club's participation
- Les Byrnes, Vice Patron - for continued support and for the donation of a new Television Set and Video Recorder

BROULEE SURFERS SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC.

**TRADING AND OPERATIONS STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH APRIL 1997**

	1997	1996
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SALES		
Sales- Bar	36,393.86	31,050.85
LESS: COST OF GOODS SOLD		
Opening Stock	1,371.00	446.00
Purchases - Bar	22,951.87	17,992.74
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	24,322.87	18,438.74
Less Closing Stock	1,396.00	623.00
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	(22,926.87)	(17,815.74)
GROSS PROFIT FROM BAR TRADING	<hr/>	<hr/>
	13,466.99	13,235.11
OTHER INCOME		
Donations	6,388.00	3,574.00
Fundraising & Hall Hire	7,525.35	5,388.00
Grants	5,000.00	-
Interest Received	73.46	72.80
Membership	2,815.00	3,475.00
Sales	3,607.80	1,700.00
S.L.S.A.	285.00	576.00
Sundry Receipts	720.00	445.50
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	26,414.61	15,231.30
TOTAL INCOME	<hr/>	<hr/>
	39,881.60	28,466.41
EXPENDITURE		
Bank Charges & Interest	62.09	290.17
Cleaning & Rubbish Disposal	144.00	557.94
Clubhouse/Boatshed	2,107.44	2,167.06
Depreciation	7,678.00	7,219.00
Carnival Expenses	494.00	-
Gas & Beer Equipment	158.05	1,389.69
Insurance	969.20	471.30
Licences & Fees	1,868.00	656.00
Maintain Equipment	7,036.08	2,188.03
New Equipment	331.30	180.00
Office Supplies	827.08	1,359.44
Power	1,320.56	1,416.76
Purchases	4,731.31	5,135.82
S.L.S.C.	6,435.49	2,285.10
Sundry Expenses	453.00	381.54
Telephone	799.65	992.00
Travelling & Seminar Expense	-	315.00
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TOTAL EXPENDITURE	35,415.25	27,004.85
SURPLUS FUNDS FOR YEAR	<hr/>	<hr/>
Accumulated Funds B/F	\$4,466.35	\$1,461.56
	10,345.88	8,884.32
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ACCUMULATED FUNDS AS AT 30TH APRIL 1997	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$14,812.23	\$10,345.88

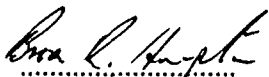
BROULEE SURFERS SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC.

BALANCE SHEET
AS AT 30TH APRIL 1997

	1997	1996
<u>ACCUMULATED FUNDS</u>		
Asset Revaluation Reserve	\$38,732.00	\$38,732.00
Accumulated Funds B/F	\$10,345.88	\$8,884.32
Plus Surplus for the Year	\$4,466.35	\$1,461.56
<u>TOTAL ACCUMULATED FUNDS</u>	<u>\$53,544.23</u>	<u>\$49,077.88</u>
REPRESENTED BY:		
<u>CURRENT ASSETS</u>		
Cash on Hand	\$450.00	\$300.00
Commonwealth Bank A/c 0090 1714	\$2,173.60	\$2,953.67
Commonwealth Bank A/c 1002 2799	\$10,304.63	\$1,456.21
Stock on Hand - Bar	\$1,396.00	\$623.00
Stock on Hand - Spray Jackets	\$125.00	\$748.00
	<u>\$14,449.23</u>	<u>\$6,080.88</u>
Property Improvements	\$5,061.00	\$5,061.00
	<u>\$5,061.00</u>	<u>\$5,061.00</u>
Plant & Equipment	\$10,199.00	\$6,723.00
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	\$2,811.00	\$1,176.00
	<u>\$7,388.00</u>	<u>\$5,547.00</u>
Furniture & Equipment at Committee		
Valuation 30/4/95	\$17,032.00	\$17,032.00
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	\$3,406.00	\$1,703.00
	<u>\$13,626.00</u>	<u>\$15,329.00</u>
Lifesaving Equipment at Committee		
Valuation 30/4/95	\$21,700.00	\$21,700.00
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	\$8,680.00	\$4,340.00
	<u>\$13,020.00</u>	<u>\$17,360.00</u>
	<u>\$39,095.00</u>	<u>\$43,297.00</u>
<u>TOTAL ASSETS</u>	<u>\$53,544.23</u>	<u>\$49,377.88</u>
<u>CURRENT LIABILITIES</u>		
Creditors - Bar Bond	-	\$300.00
	-	\$300.00
<u>TOTAL LIABILITIES</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$300.00</u>
<u>NET ASSETS</u>	<u>\$53,544.23</u>	<u>\$49,077.88</u>

ACCOUNTANTS' STATEMENT

I have examined the books and vouchers of Broulee Surfers S.L.S.C. Inc. and certify that the above Income & Expenditure Statement and Balance Sheet for the year ended 30th April 1997 are in accordance therewith.



Brian R. Hingston, B.Bus., A.S.A.
KEAREY, FLYNN AND BANNON

Dated: 28th May, 1997

PRESIDENT'S ADDENDUM

Season 1996/97 has been one of mixed fortune for the Club. Our Patrol Membership fell in numbers resulting in some of our Patrols struggling to get sufficient people on the beach for their rostered patrols which was disappointing. But thank-you to those who fulfilled their patrol hours and to those who did extra to fill in the gaps.

However, the Juniors had an increase in numbers and a very successful Season. It was great to see the Nippers at local Carnivals and representing the Club at the Interbranch Championships for the first time. Congratulations to the kids, Committee and parents for their fine efforts.

Congratulations to those who competed at the Senior Carnivals. Although few in numbers they had some excellent results throughout the Season and we should encourage more members to participate at the Carnivals. Thank-you also to those who helped make our own Carnival successful.

During the Season the downstairs section of the Club was renovated and the Club brought up to fire safety standards with assistance of a Department of Sport and Recreation Grant which was skilfully applied for and received by Nick Dixon. Thanks to Nev Holloway, John Shiels and Bob Balcomb for their work in gyprocking, bricklaying, tiling and painting the room.

Thank-you to those who gave their time so generously on Friday nights to help run the Bistro which was very successful both financially and socially.

Finally, I would like to congratulate all the members of the Committee for their efforts throughout the year and thank everyone who supported the Club this year.

Justin McCarthy
Club President

