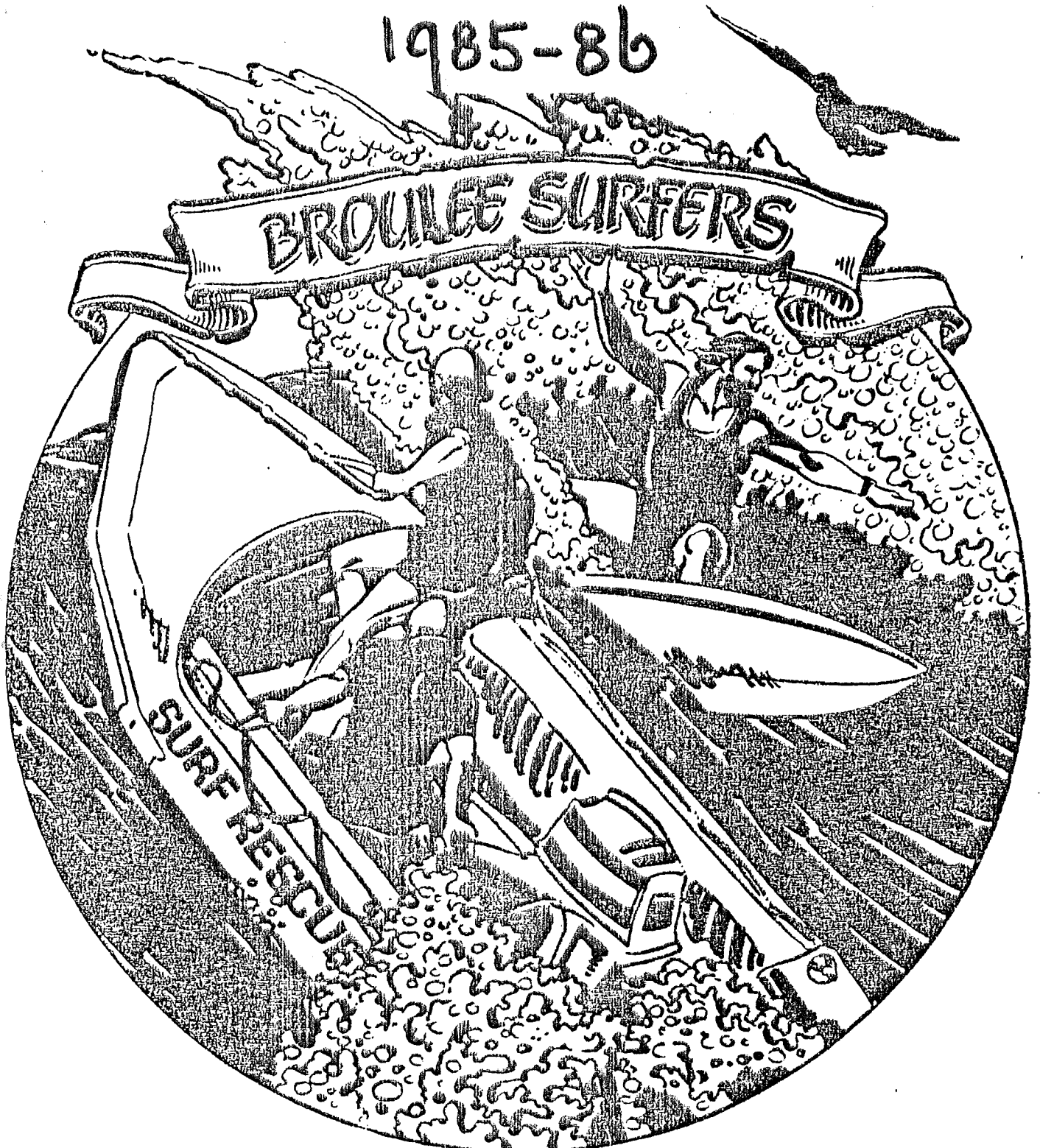


# ANNUAL REPORT

1985-86



S.L.S.C.

BROULEE SURFERS S.L.S.C.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Broulee Surfers S.L.S.C. will be held in the Club Rooms at 2pm on Sunday the 6th July, 1986.

AGENDA.

1. Welcome members and visitors.
2. Apologies.
3. Confirmation of 1985/86 Minutes.
4. Annual Report - General.
5. Annual Report - Financial.
6. Council Management Agreement.
7. Election of Officers as follows.

RADIO OFFICER

FIRST AID OFFICER

HOUSE CAPTAIN

GEAR STEWARD

CRAFT CAPTAIN

ASSISTANT CHIEF INSTRUCTOR

CHIEF INSTRUCTOR

SURFBOARD CONTEST ORGANISOR

VICE CLUB CAPTAIN

CLUB CAPTAIN

VICE SURF BOAT CAPTAIN

SURF BOAT CAPTAIN

POWER CRAFT CAPTAIN

PUBLICITY OFFICER

SOCIAL SECRETARY

ASSISTANT SECRETARY

SECRETARY

ASSISTANT TREASURER

TREASURER

VICE PRESIDENT

PRESIDENT

4 (FOUR) COMMITTEE MEMBERS

BROULEE SURFERS OFFICE BEARERS 1985/86.

President ..... Ian Louden  
Vice President..... Greg Pay  
Treasurer..... Maurice McMahon  
assistant Treasurer.....Annete Wenzing  
Secretary..... as from 30th Sept.85 Eric Henderson  
Social Secretary..... Dave Connaughton  
Publicity Officer..... Craig Filmer  
Power Craft Captain..... Barend Hantjeens  
Boat Captain..... Graham Macdonald  
Vice Boat Captain..... Steve Van Meirlo  
Club Captain..... Terry Freeman  
Vice Club Captain..... Mark Tesseyman  
Surfboard Contest Organiser Hillary Zeigler  
Chief Instructor..... Greg Pay  
Assistant Chief Inst..... John Owens  
Craft Captain..... Allan Broomby  
Gear Steward..... John Sheils  
House Captain..... Graham White  
First Aid Officer..... Jim Brown  
Radio Officer..... Craig Filmer  
Committee Members..... John Neary... Rob Tye,  
Nick Dixon.. Ken Filmer.

CLUB ACHIEVEMENTS 1985/86 SEASON.

Rowed in the Masda Surf Boat Marathon.

Rowed in the George Bass Surfboat Marathon.

Reached the finals in the N.S.W. I.R.B. Championships

Staged the First Surf Carnival at home.

Took part in all events at local Carnivals.

WON THE I.M.B. HANDICAP BRANCH COMPETITION POINT SCORE

RESCUES PERFORMED WITHOUT GEAR..... 25

RESCUES PERFORMED WITH RESCUE TUBE..... 10

RESCUES PERFORMED WITH BOARD..... 10

RESCUES PERFORMED WITH IRB..... 38

TOTAL RESCUES 83

FIRST AID CASES..... 28

MAN HOURS ON PATROL..... 780

BROULEE PRESIDENTS REPORT.

The 1985/86 surfing season is now over and a very eventful one for the Broulee Club. Many Milestones were passed this year with the Club branching out in all facets of surf life saving and club social life.

Early in the season the members decided to increase the number of committee persons to 21 by introducing several new positions. These included Woden Boat captain, assistant secretary, assistant instructor, vice captain, house captain. This proved invaluable as Broulee not only had a good beach ptrolling season, but was better able to reach the many difficult goals it set for itself in 1985/86.

The building of the club House progressed famously once more owing to the enthusiasm of our general club membership, both in raising funds and actually working on the building. We now have a Club House that everyone in Broulee can be very proud of.

This year saw the club make some radical changes in policy and direction, in that our members began to compete in all traditional surf life saving events. This included our first beach surf carnival. A very successful event, well attended by all clubs in the far south coast branch.

This type of competition has encouraged more younger active members to the club ensuring a strong safe future for our beach. Our boat crews are progressing famously after a few teething problems and are not only showing their strength manning the oars but also in fund raising and general club administration and life saving.

A Mention must also be made of the members determination to keep our beach areas safe, not only our immediate patrol area but Broulee north beach, the island and Tomakin river mouth as well as our emergency number rescue phone and rubber duck were again utilised to this aim and a remarkable job was done by all concerned.

My personal thanks for a great season must go to all members and friends, especially our active members and committee.

Ian. F. Loudon  
Broulee Club President.

## FINANCIAL REPORT

1985 - 1986 SEASON

This year has seen a much needed increase in club sponsored activities. The introduction of a Triathlon and Surf Carnival to our competition calendar has really put the Club on the map as a money earning proposition.

The work done by the boaties both in competition and administrative avenues has helped enormously to promote the Broulee Surfers S.L.S.C.

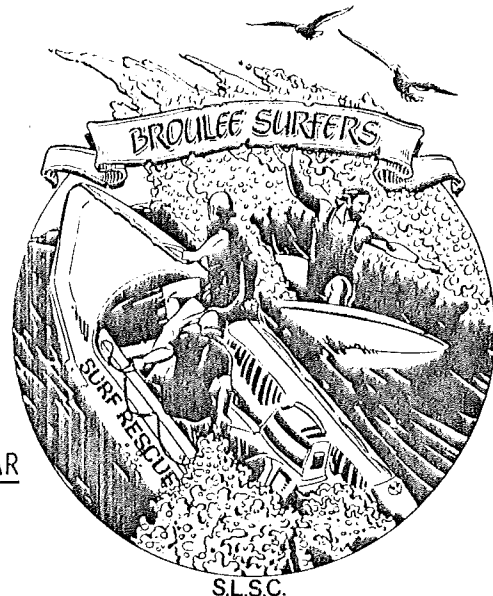
Hopefully, now that the clubhouse is near completion, functions will soon be held at home enabling us to become comfortably independent financially. Many thanks to Dave Connaughton and his team for keeping us above water during the past season with their fundraising activities. Their work has made my job easier and allowed the club to function month by month.

Looking forward to a wealthier and financially more comfortable season.

Maurice McMahon  
TREASURER

# Broulee Surfers S.L.S.C.

Secretary, P.O. Broulee 2537 N.S.W. Ph: (044) 717480



## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

1985 - 86 SEASON

RECORD OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR  
ENDED 30TH JUNE 1986

<u>OPENING BALANCE :</u>	\$	
C.T.B. Moruya	\$1,259.53	DR
I.M.B. Moruya	200.57	
		\$1,058.96 DR
 <u>ADD RECEIPTS :</u>	 \$	
Membership	340.00	
Bands	4,124.90	
T. Shirts	-	
Donations	3,666.00	
S.L.S.A.	1,037.61	
		12,945.16
 <u>LESS PAYMENTS :</u>	 \$	
Advertising	17.76	
Power/Telephone	624.18	
Jet Boat/I.R.B	541.24	
S.L.S.A.	1,035.69	
Clubhouse	4,190.80	
Sundries	5,054.48	
Fees & Insurance	506.51	
Bank Charges	43.90	
		12,014.56
 <u>CLOSING BALANCE :</u>		\$128.36 DR
 <u>REPRESENTED BY :</u>		
C.T.B. Moruya	343.22	DR
I.M.B. Moruya	214.86	
 <u>PREPARED BY :</u>		
Maurice McMahon, Treasurer		

BROULEE SURFERS SLSC  
SECRETARYS REPORT.  
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Ladies and Gentlemen,

Broulee Surfers this past season went through a change in direction and Policy with the advent of Competition at Branch level and interbranch level. With good performances from our fellow club members.

We staged our first carnival which together with the weather was fabulous. We obtained a good deal of support from our fellow clubs in the Branch as well as a large crowd in attendance on our beach.

Committee meetings were well attended in most cases with the workload sharred out evenly to all.

The Club this past season, as well as carrying on normal patrol duties, took part in the Masda Surfboat Marathon and the George Bass Surfboat Marathon. Our IRB crew has made it through to the final of the N.S.W. Titles, the only club in this Branch to do so.

We also turned up a couple of very capable swimmers in the form of Spike Spellacy and Allan Broomby.

The Club this season owes a lot to the youngies in the shape of Mark Tessayman, Norm Sheppard, Craig Neary David Law, Alan Broomby, Rob Souter, Craig Filmer, Ian Filmer, Tim & Andrew Crakanthorpe, Chris Albers, Ruth McGrath. It is with these members that the future of the Club lies. They must this season take very senior and ownorous tasks on the committee, they will I am sure have all the support that we can give them.

Unfortunately, our President Ian Louden will be standing down for a well earned rest. We will all miss Ian as our President but he assures me he will be on the beach over the next season with us.

There must be an all out effort this coming season to complete the Club House and surrounds, so we can officially open OUR Club.

Eric Henderson,  
Hon Secretary.



## CLUB CAPTAINS REPORT.

The keenness and dedication of many of our young members along with the strength and experience of our longer serving members, made the 85/86 season the best in my 3 years as Club Captain. Increases in the number of new members along with the retention of more of last years members over previous season, saw this club come close to actually having sufficient active members to run a 3 weekly, rotating roster. Obviously, this was not possible in peak holiday periods, but was balanced by the more realistic approach of Branches extension of Surveillance patrols during low season times.

With 6 members qualifying as I.R.B. drivers and 2 others as crew members late in the year, next seasons patrols should all benefit from having a qualified driver and A.R.C. holder as part of their structure.

Early and late in the season, saw the greatest need for our services, with patients requiring oxygen therapy and hospital examination following a knock or exhaustion on reaching the beach from the surf. During peak season holiday times, the preventative action taken by members in warning swimmers of potential danger areas was very successful.

Surf skills of many of our younger members improved as the club became more involved in branch competition. The extra time and effort put in by these members outside the required patrol hours has brought increased community awareness of Broulee Surfers S.L.S.C. Congratulations and thanks to these members.

Equipment improvements will further enhance the patrol and rescue ability of our members in the future.

Finally, my main function as club captain, as I see it, is to ensure the beach is adequately patrolled throughout the season.

I could not do this without the help of the long serving and experienced members who give up their time to ensure that the public in their leisure time can relax, knowing that the beach is patrolled.

Thanks once again to all our active members,

See you next season.

Yours in Vigilance and Service

T. Freeman,  
Club Captain.

VICE CAPTAINS REPORT

Well another successful year is at its end, and we are already faced with the re-elections for the 86/87 season. As Vice Captain for 85/86 I would like to take this chance to give a brief report of my involvement with the club.

Being my 1st year as Vice Captain, I was always opened for suggestions. Once again we enjoyed a very hectic season and I was always keen to sit back and watch, in an effort to gain some experience.

In fulfilling my role as Vice Captain, I spent some time assisting Terry Freeman, in the setting up and repairing of patrols.

As you already know, this is a very important task and must be carried out correctly, for the safety of the public. I always tried to keep alert and make sure there was a full patrol, and if necessary equipment to accompany.

Other than this I spent a lot of time training new members and just generally helping out in the overall running of the club.

The only suggestion I can think of for a more efficient season, is greater organisation prior to the season in the Club patrols.

Other than this I would like to thank the club, and especially Terry Freeman our Captain, for his support and am looking forward to a bigger and brighter season. Thanks again, your 85/86 Vice Captain for the Broulee Surfers S.L.S.C.

M. Tesseyman,  
Vice Captain.

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BURNING PALMS REPORT

FOR the George Bass Surf Boat Marathon in January 86 the Broulee Surfers SLSC were honoured enough to have the support of the Burning Palms SLSC. This Club assisted us over the course of the gruelling 7 day Marathon.

with the George Bass well behind us the Burning Club invited the whole of the Broulee Club for a weekend of bliss at the Palms.

It turned out to be a very bad response on our behalf for only four members of our club rose to the occasion.

John Gail, Alan Broomby, Robert Suiter and Mark Tesseyman took advantage of the invitation and travelled to the Palms on Friday the 25th April. We arrived early that afternoon and was greeted by Alan, one of the Palm members. Alan was waiting to take us on a hike of our lives, a 2.5KM hike straight down into a valley of Palms. It was here that we were confronted with the terrible problem of all the free grog we could lay our hand on. One of our well known beer drinkers John Gail had no trouble what so ever in consuming the timmies.

We were greeted with a warm welcome, although we could see the disappointment of all their faces due to the poor response of Club members. We all enjoyed a terrific weekend and was entertained to the fullest at all times. There was never a shortage of food and where ever we went visiting we were always greeted with a cold one. By the end of the weekend we had derived the slogan, "Broulee supports Burning Palms a can in the hand". We met some unbelievable people over the course of the 3 days, but unfortunately all good things must come to an end. After lunch we headed home, tired sad to be leaving, but carrying many great memories. We had made many friends and would like to thank Burning Palms for the terrific reception they gave us. Personally I found it to be one of the most enjoyable weekends of my life.....

Mark Tesseyman..

GEAR STEWARDS REPORT.

I am pleased to report this being the first year we have had a Gear Steward. Everything went well, considering the gear we have, and it was used to its fullest capacity. All equipment was looked after fairly well, and that is why the equipment is in fairly good condition. But like all things, they get old and worn out. For this reason, I would like to see the Club purchase some new gear in the 1986/87 season, to cope with all the patrol use, as well as some for carnival use. Summing up we have about 5 skis, 4 Boards, 2 Rescue Boards, 2 Torpedo Tubes, and one set of fins.

For the coming season, I would like to see purchased, two sets of different size fins, two torpedo tubes, two rescue boards, I feel this would be a goal to set for next season. All our gear and equipment is well used throughout the Club. I have had a very fulfilling 85/86 Surf Season, and am looking forward to next season.

Alan Broomby,  
Gear Steward.

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RADIO OFFICERS REPORT

The year to date in respect of Radio Equipment has been quite an eventful one.

Parts of both base sets were malfunctioning early in the 85/86 season, and as a result, the club was left somewhat inadequate for several weeks whilst the parts were being repaired.

Soon after, the transformer most used was rendered 'out of action' due to lack of adequate usage procedure and possibly storage facilities. It was with a sigh of relief that we has a spare transformer to fall back on.

The hand held sets that the club possesses managed to last most of the season without incident. Due to exposure in the George Bass Surf Boat Marathon, 2 Hand Held sets malfunctioned with corrosion troubles.

Most of the problems were resolved by the generous help of a Mr. Stack of Mossy Point. The Surf Club would have been crippled if Mr Stack's assistance had not been readily accessible. The two hand held sets are in the process of being fixed by the Australian Army at minimal cost. Thanks here must go to David Law, whose assistance led to the reconditioning of these sets.

Through experiences reached this year it is hereby:

RECOMMENDED:

- i) Protective spray be purchased and used regularly on Patrols for the upkeep of hand held radio sets.
- ii) A proper (lockable) storage cabinet be made for the Radio Room so that Radios may be kept on at the Power Point and avoid blowing fuses due to incorrect turning off procedures.
- iii) A suitable container be invested in for keeping hand held sets free from sand and water on beach patrol.
- iv) A suitable follow up Thank you letter be sent to Mr. Stack for his work over the 1985/86 season.

K.L.Filmer,  
Radio Officer.