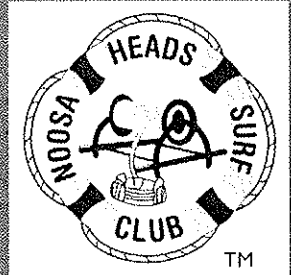


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Presidents Report

As you are all now aware the construction of the new building is well underway. Please remember that the club itself is now a construction site and where it is fenced off is a "no go zone". Thanks to all the members who have come down and helped out with the working bees over the past few weekends.

Congratulations to all competitors that participated in the Junior and Senior Branch titles, full results in the Surf Sports Report. Best of luck to all members participating in the up coming State and Australian Titles.

Results from the Junior State Championships showed Noosa Heads in 7th position in the overall point score. This is a fantastic result, congratulations to all who competed!

On Wednesday the 2nd of April will be the anniversary of the club's 80th year. We will be having a small celebration in the supporters club starting at 5:30pm. Please try and come along and join in the festivities. The major celebration will be held at the 80th Annual Dinner being held on the 31st of May.

Don't forget every Wednesday night is members night in the Supporters Club there is money to be won and discounts for members on meals when you show your membership card. Try and come down and have beer or two and support the club that supports you.

Kerry 'Pencil' Sorensen

<u>March</u>		<u>April</u>	
1st-2nd	JNR State Titles	1st - 6th	Australian Titles
15th	SNR State Titles	2nd	JAC Meeting
16th	SNR State Titles	14th	Surf Sports Meeting
17th	Surf Sports Meeting	17th	Lifesaving Meeting
20th	Lifesaving Meeting	28th	Management Meeting
24th	Management Meeting		

Lifesaving

Redevelopment of the Clubhouse is now underway and this will present some challenges to our members. Lifesaving will now be operating out of temporary facilities, two containers and a site shed, placed in front of the Club. All patrol members are requested to take care when accessing these facilities with particular attention to public safety on the boardwalk when transporting equipment to and from the beach.

I urge all members to be patient while building works are in progress and look forward to your cooperation in the coming months.

Please be aware that during the Surf Club renovations some of the reserved car parks have changed. Please note that the two lifesaver spots have now been moved to the eastern side of the centre isle. Where the two existing lifesavers car spots were have now become wheel chair only car spots. These spots are clearly marked with signs and paint on the ground. Members are reminded that they must continue to place the lifesavers parking vouchers on the dash of their car **only while on patrol**. These vouchers are only to be used while on patrol for the applicable date and must be disposed of after your patrol. If some members continue to use these vouchers during weekdays or while not on patrol council may take this privilege away from us which would be a major disadvantage.

There is now a new emergency first aid kit for the IRB which contains some basic supplies. This bag contains the necessary equipment to handle basic emergencies in remote locations (Eg. A-Bay or North Shore) until back up help arrives. This bag contains a resus mask, thermo blanket, triangular bandages and some other basic bandages. This bag is to be stored in the first aid room while not being used on patrol. Before the bag is used in the IRB, please ensure that the dry bag has been rolled properly and put inside the other dry bag at the front of the IRB so it does not get lost going through the break or in the event of a roll over. The bag is to be placed in the boat during the AM patrol setup in the morning and removed at the end of the day during pack up. At the end of the day, please ensure the dry bag is taken out of the IRB and taken back to the first aid room with the contents removed and the bag hung up to dry up which will help avoid moisture build up

Mick Froude
Club Captain

Swimming Training

Swim Training is available to all active members and U11 to U14 (only) Nippers at Good Shepherd Lutheran College Pool, Eumundi Rd Noosaville [enter off Walter Hay Drive]. Mondays and Thursdays 6.00pm – 7.00pm.

Coach: Vanessa Haines. All 8 lanes are available to the Surf Club.

DO NOT PARK IN SCHOOL GROUNDS - Park in Walter Hay Drive parking area.

Volunteer Training Co-Ordinators Report

Hi all. We are well into our new Bronze Course with all participants enjoying the challenge .

Operational First Aid Course will be held - Saturday 19th April & Sunday 20th April , 8.30 am start. This course will close on Tuesday 8th @ 4.30pm. Course sign on forms will be on the wall in front of the office.

Defib & ARC Course will be on Monday 7th April & Tuesday 8th April 5.30pm start .This course will close on Thursday 27th March 4.30pm.

SRC – Bronze Upgrades for cadets who are 15 years old - please contact Kylie via Email so she can compile a list of who needs this for next season.

Branch will be holding an ARC & Defib Course on Saturday 15th March & Sunday 16th March - anyone interested can contact Branch on 54441919.

Branch has an Operational First Aid Course on Wednesday 12th March 8.30-4.30pm RSVP Amanda on 54441919.

Kylie Cirillo
Volunteer Training Co-Coordinator
0432 096 550

Certificates awaiting collection from members

There are a large number of certificates waiting to be picked up from members who have completed proficiencies and courses in the past couple of months. Could all members please come into the office during office hours and check if you have any certificates waiting for you. Please collect these certificates ASAP as they are taking up unnecessary room.

Surf Sports

Queensland State Titles are on 13th-16th March. If you need accommodation at Kurrawa please contact Gina 0439 711 074 and if you have booked with Gina please make sure you have paid your deposit. Trailer will be loaded from West Beach [first groyne] after Ski training on **Wednesday morning from 7.00am 12th March**. As you are aware the club is getting renovations done and there is no room at the club car park to load gear. Both Ski and Board trailers will be there ready to be loaded. Both will leave for the Gold Coast at **11.00am**.

Well done to all who competed at Branch Titles. A Wet and windy 2 days at Mudjimba. Great to see the Noosa Heads March Past Team going around and picking up a silver medal. Thank you to the following club officials for your support: Neil Olander, Ron Lane, Ross Fisher, Peter Williams, Peter McDonald, Ken Edwards, Barry Newman, Brian Hill, John and Sue Jenkins, John Fallon and Tony Wetherell.

Well done to the Nippers State Team [48] who represented the club at Nth Kirra this weekend. Some excellent talent is coming through the nipper ranks, all looks good in the coming years. Full report will be provided shortly. Also well done to the U8-U10s who competed at the Junior Branch Championships at Redcliffe. A great effort by all with a special mention to Tuene Piggott who won a bronze medal in the surf race.

Aussies 08 are not far away, semi will be loaded from Noosa Civic car park on Easter Saturday. Thank you to Peter McDonald for getting the semi for free from his old mates at Alltrans in SA. Peter will also drive the semi to Perth and back by himself.

Ski training is now starting from 1st groyne at usual times.

Don't forget **to not miss your patrol obligations** , or you will find yourself suspended from the club and missing out on competing with your mates.

Boaties News

Last month was a successful one for the boat section with our Junior crew traveling to Stockton beach near Newcastle for the ASRL Australian open which attracts crews from all around the country. Our young boaties didn't miss a trick taking out all their heats and led the final all the way until the last few metres where Torquee from Vic slipped through on a wave to take the win. Noosa finished a fine 2nd place and are one of the favorites for the national titles. Branch was held a few weekends ago with 3 crews rowing in testing conditions with all crews taking wins in under 19s, reserve grade and masters. A less than successful time has been had by our under 23 women's crew, who after dominating all season have had a couple of crew changes with 2 new girls transferring from Mooloolaba. At the 6 pack carnival last weekend at Mooloolaba one of these new girls (Stephanie) suffered a broken wrist in the warm up putting paid to their State and National aspirations. Also at this carnival our under 19 crew finished a fine 2nd place on both days having also contested the A grade division of racing to toughen up with some hard rows. All are looking forward to up coming state and national titles and are hoping to do the rest of the club proud.

Cadets

Meeting

There will be a cadet meeting held on Saturday the 29th of March at 10:00pm. We will meet on the Hasting Street side of the club and then we will hold our meeting on the back deck. This will be an important meeting to attend as we will be discussing the potential of a Cadet Trip in September to the snow. There is a lot of work to be done if we want to go! If you are unable to make it please let me know as I will be starting to record attendances (you need 100% attendances to attend the trip).

Rainbow Beach Weekend

We will be doing another patrol weekend up at Rainbow Beach after the Aussie Titles in April. If you are interested in coming let me know.

Competition

Good luck to all the young guns at the up coming State and Aussie Titles.

If you have any questions give me a call.

Phil

5474 5688 or 0432 696 160

Supporters Club



Well it's all systems go with the new club and as you all can see it's in full swing.

Talk of a new Supporters Club is receiving very positive feedback from visitors and members alike.

Whilst there will be some inconveniences and disruptions to our trade over the coming months the

end result will be fantastic. With Hastings St streetscape still going, coupled with our clubs renovations the street itself is somewhat messy. However it is still important for us all to tell anybody and everybody that the Supporters club is still open for trade.

Our committee will visit the Queensland Hospitality and Gaming Expo in April to get the latest information on hospitality laws, changes and new initiatives.

Good luck to all competitors in the upcoming State and Aussie titles.

Do us all proud!

See you at the bar,

Moggy

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