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Newsletter for the North Haven  
Surf Life Saving Club

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June & July 2005



With thanks to our major sponsors



Mr  
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City of Port Adelaide Enfield

## Senior Presentation Night

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> of June saw the club hold it's annual dinner and presentation night. A good night for all those that turned up, members were treated to a display featuring many of us in action over the past 12 months, with on screen commentary that ensured laughs were had.

A big thank you to Homestead Catering Service for providing the evening meal for the second year running.

We would like to thank our sponsors that attended. They were Kevin Foley MP, Rod Sawford MP, John & Fay Fitzpatrick from North Haven Newsagency, Simon Allen, along with Greg and Cheryl Nankervis and Councillor Peter Jamieson.

Award winners on the night included:

**Andrew Renfrey & Garth Tierney**: Most Outstanding Competitor

**Rebecca Maslen**: Club Training Award, Most Improved Competitor, Most Consistent Competitor, President's Trophy for Club Swims, Handicap Club Swim, U/16 Club Marathon, Women's Club Championship, 300 Hour Club

**Grant Simpson**: Open Club Marathon, Open & Masters Club Ironman

**Brian Burrowes**: Masters Club Marathon, Master Club Championships

**Brett Nankervis**: State Award 150+ Patrol Hours, Most Club Patrol Hours, 1000 Hour Club

**Kimberly Bambery**: State Award 150+ Patrol Hours, 300 Hour Club

**Peter Jamieson**: State Award 150+ Patrol Hours, Lifesaver of the Year, 3000 (Yes, *three thousand*) Hour Club

**David Lucas**: State President's Youth Award, Lifesaver of the Year, Best Club Effort

The award for Most Outstanding Patrol went to those who dedicated themselves to triathlon water cover patrols, usually 7am on a Sunday morning. In no particular order, congratulations to: ***Kimberly Bambery, Shaun Brown, Peter Jamieson, Troy Jamieson, David Lucas, Brett Nankervis, Andrew Osborne and Brendan Searle.***

A full report on the night, and all the awards that were issued is available on the club website. Follow the links from the What's On? page. Also available on the website is a computer presentation of photo slideshow. It's a big 23meg download, but well worth it. If you can't download it, leave your name at the bar, and we will arrange for a copy to be put onto CD for you.



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## **NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Sunday the 31<sup>st</sup> of July 2005, at the clubrooms. Start time for the meeting is 11am. Please ensure you arrive at least 10 to 15 minutes early so that we can start on time.

All positions will be declared vacant from the Management Committee and other Club Officers, and nominations are now being called from all members to fill these positions for Season 2005/06. For a listing of all positions to be declared vacant, along with their job descriptions, please see the club website – [www.northhavenslsc.com.au/mgmtpositions](http://www.northhavenslsc.com.au/mgmtpositions). Of particular importance for this year, will be the positions of:

- Club Administrator
- Captain of Lifesaving
- Captain of Competition
- Chief Instructor

Elaine has filled Club Administrator for several years now and has indicated she will not stand again this year. Shaun Brown has held the other three positions for the majority of this season, and is looking for replacement. If you have any questions to these positions, please do not hesitate to contact either of them.

If you would like to nominate for any position on the Management Committee, or any other Club Officer position, your nomination must be put to Elaine Farmer via email ([elainef@surfrescue.com.au](mailto:elainef@surfrescue.com.au)) or regular mail (PO Box 1094 NORTH HAVEN 5015) no later than 5pm Friday 29<sup>th</sup> of July. We can only call for nominations from the floor if there are no nominations received prior to the meeting. So if you really want to take a position, you need to nominate.

### **With Thanks...**

On behalf of the Management Committee, I would like to thank our outgoing Treasurer, Lisa Rodgers for her efforts over the past 12 months. For those not aware, Lisa was pregnant for most of that time, which added to her problems.

Lisa resigned from the position of treasurer at the end of our financial year, 30<sup>th</sup> April. The Management Committee endorsed Paula Harnett to be our interim treasurer until the next Annual General Meeting.

### **A word for one of our sponsors...**



SGIC is a major sponsor of Surf Life Saving South Australia, and it's interstate counterparts are sponsors of Surf Life Saving Australia.

SGIC continually provide numerous grants and sponsorships to the clubs, as well as generous donations of equipment. Patrolling members will be well used to setting up the SGIC patrol surrounds each and every beach patrol during the summer, as well as using the rescue board donated to the club.

We are currently awaiting a response as to whether we are successful in applying for a grant that will enable us to purchase 2 vital pieces of equipment. The first being a oropharyngeal (OP) airways manikin, that will make Advanced Resuscitation Training easier. The second piece of equipment is a defibrillator, which aids in the resuscitation of a patient with no pulse.

### **SLSA Australian Championships 2006**



The 2006 Australian Surf Life Saving Championships are to be held at Kurrawa Beach (Qld), March 28<sup>th</sup> to April 2<sup>nd</sup> 2006. For those not aware, this will be the 10<sup>th</sup> year that the event has been hosted at Kurrawa Beach –

And it is also the last. From 2007, the event is being moved to Western Australia.

What does this mean? It means that this will undoubtedly be the biggest event held in Queensland for Surf Life Saving, and we are all invited.

Troy Jamieson would like to see North Haven make a decent trip out of this, and encourages as many members to make the trip as possible, even if it is only as a spectator and team supporter. To ensure



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that we can book as many people in as possible, Troy would like names ASAP, along with a \$100 deposit.

Full details on the event will be circulated to those who put their names down and pay a deposit when the time comes closer. If you have any further questions, Troy is more than happy to speak to you on it.

## Chocolate Fundraiser

**DO YOU STILL HAVE OUTSTANDING MONEY???**  
**IF YOU DO, IT IS REQUIRED TO BE BACK AT THE CLUB IMMEDIATELY.**

## Friday Night Meals

Head along to the club for a fantastic meal at great prices, and a few drinks with other members. Now that the footy season has started again, the big screen is back and Friday Night games are a must to watch.

Also be present for the weekly members draw. There is a bonus on this Friday, the 1<sup>st</sup> of July. We're going to ensure that 48 cans are given away with a continuous draw. This draw is a part of the festivities for the Port vs. Collingwood match. For all the information on this evening, check the special link on the club website. The link can be found on the Club Bar page.



Don't forget, the club also has shirts and stubbie holders available for members to purchase. Good quality and well worth the investment. \$8 for the stubbie holder and \$15 for the shirt.

## Trivial Pursuit SA Charity Edition

As many of you may be aware, a limited edition of Trivial Pursuit was released with a South Australian flavor to it. There are two major beneficiaries who receive 100% of the proceeds from the sale of the board game, the McGuinness McDermott Foundation and Surf Life Saving South Australia.

SLSSA President Bill Jamieson sent out a statewide email regarding this game, urging members to

support not only their club, but also the Foundation for it's work with seriously ill children.

The game retails for \$79.95 each, and are available at all Foodland stores. I have also attached a copy of the flyer for the game to this newsletter, which has included an order form, if you can't make it to the local Foodland. (Attached as a separate Adobe Acrobat file for those on email.)

## Newsletter & Website Advertisements

Anyone that has anything that they would like to have placed either in the newsletter or on the club website can do so at any time. Just send all the relevant information to David Lucas via email with either NEWSLETTER or WEBSITE in the subject line.

It has also been noted that members may object to their photos being posted on the website. While all due care is taken and photos are carefully assessed before being placed on the website, if any member has an objection to any photo, please do not hesitate to contact David. Photos of Nippers will not be placed on the website except after receiving express approval from parents/guardians of the Nippers. This is an on-going issue and will be reviewed prior to the commencement of season 2005-06.

Website Email Contact:

[webmaster@northhavenslsc.com.au](mailto:webmaster@northhavenslsc.com.au)

## White Pages & Yellow Pages

Yes, it's that time of the year again already. The phone books are due for replacement. The White Pages need to go out between the 30<sup>th</sup> of July and 26<sup>th</sup> of August, and Yellow Pages mid September to early October.



The club will again commit itself to deliver them in the North Haven – Taperoo area. The money that the club receives from making these deliveries is around the \$4000 plus mark, which is vital for the club if we are serious about our renovations and extensions.

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Last year saw a very dedicated team of people put their hands up many days to not only collect the books in the first place, but then assist with the delivery of them. While we are sure that these people will come forward again, we would like to see as many of our seniors help out where possible. If everyone does their little bit, then the club can only benefit.

Troy Jamieson will be organising the people-power for these days. If you can help out, please contact him on [troy.jamieson@lendlease.com.au](mailto:troy.jamieson@lendlease.com.au) or phone 0400 844 976. Rest assured, we will remind you when the time gets closer that help is required.

## SLSSA Patrol Inspections

As all our patrolling members would be aware, every year the club is subject to 3 patrol inspections (or 'raids') by officials from State Center. During these inspections, clubs accumulate points, and at the end of the season, the top ranking clubs are rewarded for their efforts. I am pleased to announce that at the conclusion of the inspections, North Haven finished 5th. Job well done to all patrol members



### ***HOWEVER!!!!***

During the course of the season, the club made two significant breaches of our patrol agreement.

The first breach was on Christmas Day. According to our patrol agreement, we are required to maintain a voluntary patrol between the hours of 2pm and 5pm. As a result of lack of communication, we did not have numbers to patrol for the full 3 hours and our patrol signed off with Surf Command at 4:30pm.

The second breach was on March 25th. Our club was signed on as a full patrol at 1pm (this is the time we are required to be on patrol). At this point, we had only 2 patrol members on patrol and signed the patrol log. The 3rd patrol member signed on at 2pm. As members should be aware, a full patrol requires a minimum of 3 Bronze Medallion holders (2 of which are to be experienced). The lack of patrol members for the first hour constituted this breach.

As a result of these breaches, the club was issued a penalty. The appropriate members of the Management Committee and Officers decided to take the penalty of 400 points being deducted from our

patrol inspections (200 per breach), rather than take the issue to a State Patrol Tribunal.

As a result of this penalty, our club dropped from the overall standing of 5th to 14th. This is a very disappointing result, as our club last year finished 3rd for patrol inspections. We have received this penalty for minor, yet serious breaches of our patrol agreement. Members need to remember that we are a surf life saving club, and if we can not effectively patrol the beach, then the entire reason for the existence of this club is put into doubt.

An important point to remember for Season 2005/06 is that we need to be on top of our patrols, remember to fulfill our patrol agreement, and if there are any questions as to our patrols, patrol captains need to contact and seek advice from the Captain of Patrols or the Captain of Life Saving, even if it means ringing them at 12:50 on a Sunday afternoon and telling them that we only have 2 members present for patrol.

## Advance Notice: Proposed Alterations to Officers of the Club

Advance notice is given to all members eligible to vote at the Annual General Meeting of the North Haven SLSC that the current Management Committee will propose to the AGM that the position of 'Gear Steward' be deleted as an officer of the North Haven SLSC. The position of Gear Steward is covered by Clause 3.2.d of the club By Laws.

Any queries as to this notice should be directed to either Troy Jamieson via email at: [troy.jamieson@lendlease.com.au](mailto:troy.jamieson@lendlease.com.au) or Elaine Farmer via email at: [elainef@surfrescue.com.au](mailto:elainef@surfrescue.com.au). The date that the AGM will be held will be advised in due course.

## Club History Boards & Media Boards

The club history boards have a few gaps in them. Primarily these gaps are for people that have won internal club competitions. If anyone believes that their name is missing from a spot on the board, please get in touch with David Lucas with the relevant details, and any supporting documentation you may have.



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We will arrange for the details to be added when the next opportunity arises.

We are also looking at finishing off the work that Don "Bullet" Henderson started with the large board full of a collection of old articles and photos of the club, as well as starting a new one with recent articles and photos. If anyone has any photos, news clippings, or other print material that they would like to donate to the club display, again please contact David.

David can be emailed at [d\\_lucas@bigpond.net.au](mailto:d_lucas@bigpond.net.au) or telephone 0414 853 018.

## SLSA Level 2 Surf Coach Accreditation Course

There is a level 2 coaches course on offer for interested parties who are currently qualified level 1 coaches. The course is being conducted in Sydney on the 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> of August. A maximum of 5 persons from South Australia can attend.

A copy of the circular from SLSSA is available on the club notice board along with the expression of interest form. If you can't get to the club prior to the closing date, please contact David Lucas to have one sent out via email.

Expressions of interest must be submitted by 30<sup>th</sup> of June.

A second course for Level 2 Surf Coach Accreditation will be held in South Australia on December 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>. Details of this course are yet to be released.

## Attention Patrol Members: Mandated Notification & Your Legal Obligations

Under current South Australian legislation, all Surf Lifesavers are REQUIRED to report suspicions of child abuse or neglect to authorities. If you do not report as required, you are breaking the law, whether you know it or not.

If you do not know what sort of behaviour needs to be reported, who you need to report to, or understand what mandated notification is – Then you should

think about attending a Mandated Notification Course.

SLSSA is running 2 courses for it's members to attend at a heavily reduced cost. The accreditation you receive from these courses will be recognised by a work place where required.

The course costs only \$20, and will be held at Grange SLSC on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> of July, and at Brighton SLSC on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> of August. Courses will run for 7 hours (9am to 4pm).

There is a maximum of 20 persons per course. Invoices will be sent to members prior to the course, and there will be no refunds.

If you are interested in attending these courses, then you need to contact Andrew Henry at Surf House to register your interest.

Andrew can be contacted on 8354 6904 or email [surflifesaving@surfrescue.com.au](mailto:surflifesaving@surfrescue.com.au).

***You must be over the age of 18 to attend a course, and a current registered member of Surf Life Saving South Australia.***

## Extraordinary Service 2004/2005

Congratulations to the following members who have been awarded Extraordinary Service for Season 2004/2005.

David Lucas  
Shane Harnett  
Paula Harnett  
Peter Jamieson  
Ashley Ruth  
Troy Jamieson  
Cheryl Print  
Jim Moody  
Elaine Farmer

