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Newsletter for the North Haven
Surf Life Saving Club

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Proficiency Requirements for Season 2005/06

That time of the year is around again, where proficiencies are to be made a priority for our patrolling members. Every year, a few questions are asked – So here are your answers:

Why do I need to do “Proficiencies”?

Every patrolling member needs to complete a proficiency every 12 months for the awards they wish to remain current in. It is important to show that you still have the knowledge to complete all aspects of duties as a lifesaver, in the event of needing to rescue someone, SLSSA needs to know that you are capable of doing it.

It is also a legal requirement of SLSSA to ensure its members are checked every 12 months on their skills.

When can I do this?

We will be holding TWO days for proficiencies this year. That gives members the option on either of TWO days for you to complete your proficiencies. You will need to turn up to the club on EITHER **Saturday the 29th of October**, OR **Sunday the 6th of November**. It is important that ALL members make an appearance on at least ONE of the TWO days to complete their proficiencies.

What if I don't complete them?

In simple terms, you will not be allowed to patrol or enter any form of competitions – SLSSA or Club run. You will not be permitted to assist with any water cover duties for carnivals, nippers, or triathlons. Any hours you do accumulate whilst non-proficient will not count, and the club will be in breach of its contract, which leads to serious penalties for the club.

I have more questions...

Please contact Brett Nankervis (Captain of Lifesaving). Phone 0409 671 716 or email brett_nankervis@hotmail.com.

For those who have not filled out registration forms, and paid their registration – You will be able to do so on both proficiency days. It is important that you remember that you CAN NOT START your proficiencies until you have PAID your registration and membership fees.



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Mexican Night

Saturday 22nd of October, from 7pm. All the tacos and tequila you'd expect. For \$30 per head, you get Mexican food and cocktails along with the tequila. For those aged under 18 years, \$10 will get you Mexican food and plenty of soft drink. All other bar facilities will be available.

For more information, see Leah Nankervis.

Nippers 05/06

The Nipper season has kicked off just prior to patrols commencing. Saturday the 15th saw the first day back. With a few new faces to the club, it was encouraging to see, and promising to be a great season for them, finally having the numbers in some age groups to start forming teams. If there are any senior members that wish to lend their expertise (or otherwise just help out), Cheryl will be more than happy to let you know what is going on.

Come and Try days will be held on November 12th and November 26th.

For more information on the Nippers, please contact Cheryl Print on 8248 0702 or 0411 772 127.

Monday Night Swimming

Yes, it's still on. With those proficiencies coming around again, it's time to make sure you still have that all important swimming technique. All welcome.

Appointments By Management Committee

At the first Management Committee meeting for this season, the committee appointed two people to fill vacancies where no person was elected at the Annual General Meeting.

The first appointment was Andrew Osborne, who was elected as Club Administrator.

The second appointment was Elaine Farmer, who was elected as Club Registrar. This position was

created by the committee to assist Oz while he 'learns the ropes' of his position as Administrator.

It should also be noted that we still do not have people in the positions of Captain of Competition and Members Representative. While the current committee can fulfill these positions as it stands, it is not the most desired situation. If anyone would like more information about the vacant positions, please do not hesitate to speak to Troy Jamieson about it.

A word for one of our sponsors...



Rod Sawford MP

Mr. Sawford has been a long time supporter of the club, and regularly provides donations to the club. Mr. Sawford also presents the Internal Club Patrol Competition Trophy every year at our Senior Presentation night.

A member of the Australian Labor Party, Mr. Sawford has been the elected member of the Federal Port Adelaide electorate to the Australian House of Representatives since the by-election in 1988. During his time in parliament, he has been on several committees and delegation visits to Romania, Greece, the UK, the USA, Madrid, Egypt, Israel, France, and Belgium, and a Committee Exchange Visit to the House of Representatives in New Zealand.

Besides politics, Mr. Sawford is a qualified teacher, and worked as a teacher, and as a primary school principal before turning to politics.

The club is grateful to have our local Federal Member as a long running supporter of the club. Should you wish to discuss a issue with Mr. Sawford, his office is located in Customs House, 220 Commercial Road in Port Adelaide.



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The Phantom

The Phantom's back again ...
www.northhavenslsc.com.au/thephantom

*Who is the Munchkin?
Was that Colonel Sanders we saw?
Friday Night Mayhem is back!*

Phone Book Deliveries

A huge thank you goes out to all those people (of who there are too many to name) who volunteered their time to collect, organise groups, deliver, and otherwise assisted in the deliveries of both the White Pages and Yellow Pages over the past few months.

This exercise is a financially important one to the club, where by we can make a few thousand dollars for the job. The more money we can raise like this, the less we need to hit members and sponsors for to get our renovations off the ground.

For those that weren't able to assist us this year in delivering, then we'll see you out there next year.

Australian Masters Games Success

Congratulations to Grant Simpson, Neil Clarke and Andrew Osborne. These three competed in various swimming events at the Australian Masters Games recently.

Unfortunately at time of printing, results were not made available. However, watch the next edition of Northern Exposure for a full list of results.

Patrol Uniforms

A reminder goes out to all patrol members that the only approved uniform you can wear whilst performing patrol duties is uniform that carries the DHL logo on it. If your patrol shorts do not have the DHL logo on, or your top does not have DHL, and Telstra, and SGIC on it – Then you need new uniform. See Brett or Paula to arrange this.

It is critical to remember that these national sponsors help keep our entire national organisation afloat with

quite substantial sponsorship. Any members that undertake any promotional work (be it having photos taken for the newspaper or participating in the Port Parade) must ensure their uniform is clean, presentable, and carries the correct logos.

Happy Birthday To ...

Since our last newsletter, the following have celebrated the turn of a new year of their life. Happy birthday to the August & September crowd:

Bronwyn Jamieson	August 4th
Sharon Oaklands	August 4th
Kathryn Homes	August 7 th
Madeline Renfrey	August 8 th
Garth Tierney	August 10 th
Marc Colquhoun	August 12 th
Patty Moody	August 16 th
James Richards	August 27 th



Neil Clarke	September 11 th
Anthony Print	September 11 th
Paul Rooney	September 11 th
Philip Garner	September 14 th
Megan Print	September 14 th
Matthew Foureux	September 17 th
Rebecca Maslen	September 18 th
James Moody	September 20 th
Kimberly Print	September 25 th
Grant Simpson	September 26 th
Jay Greatrex	September 28 th

With Thanks

Greg, Frog, Oz, Peter & Bronwyn,
Nicole, Dave, Ashley, Krystal.

Thank you for assisting in the cleanup of the ASC site. It took us a little over an hour to pick up quite a bit of rubbish. It is important to remember that for that quick hour of little work, the club receives a donation of about \$800.

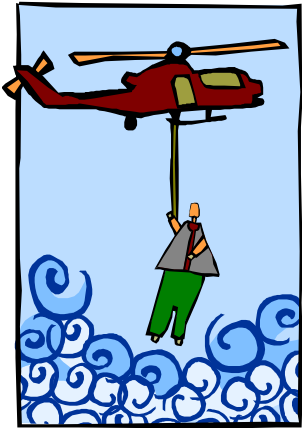


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Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Crewpersons Positions Available

With the launch of the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter over and done with, and the patrolling season about to commence, applications are open to lifesavers to apply to become a crewperson.



If you are physically fit, at least 21 years of age, have paid your club membership fees for this season, have completed a minimum of 5 years patrolling service, are a proficient holder of a Bronze Medallion, and Advanced Resuscitation Certificate, and a Senior First Aid certificate (SLSA or equivalent), and have written endorsement from appropriate Management

Committee members – Then you can apply.

For more information, please see the Surf Life Saving SA website – www.surfrescue.com.au, and follow the links on the “Lifesaving” page.

Please note

Applications close Monday 24th of October

Friday Night Meals

Footy is over, and the summer is upon us. Perfect time to head down to the club on a Friday night, catch up with the other members, enjoy a meal and a quiet drink outside.



Members Draw Updates

Below are the names of those who have had their tag pulled out on a Friday night to win the Member’s Draw. Were you there to claim your prize? A full list of names drawn since the last win is available on the club website – Follow the links from the Bar page.

- 12th of August – Michael Homes (Jackpot)
- 26th of August – Chris Engelhardt (10 Cans)
- 2nd of September – Matthew Nankervis (Jackpot)
- 9th of September – Shane Harnett (8 Cans)
- 16th of September – Shane Harnett (Jackpot)
- 23rd of September – Garth Tierney (Jackpot)

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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.

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 or telephone 0414 853 018.

Chiton Rocks SLSC

Chiton Rocks SLSC is offering all clubs the opportunity to use their club bunkhouse at no cost, for groups of people who wish to head south for the weekend.

The catch? You need to assist them with their patrol duties for the weekend. Oz has all the details, so if you’re interested and want to find out more, give him a call on 0415 815 130.

Coming Soon Exclusive To The Club Website

The Biggest News Of The Centaury

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