

Together We Can



TAMARAMA SLSC INC.
ANNUAL REPORT 2017-2018





Objectives

Tamarama Surf Life Saving Club

The objectives are an important part of any organisation.

The ongoing objectives of TAMARAMA SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INCORPORATED are as follows:

- To minimise the loss of life by drowning by providing efficient life saving equipment and rendering first aid.
- To preserve and safeguard life by the study and practice of the methods of Life Saving as taught by Surf Life Saving Australia.
- To promote and arrange demonstration, and arrange classes of instruction to bring about a thorough knowledge of the principles which underline the art of Life Saving.
- To assist the Council's Lifeguards in their duty and by appointing patrols, render all possible aid to those in distress.
- To provide conveniences for Club Members and obtain the best facilities for surf bathing.

Tamarama SLSC recognises and acknowledges
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders are the original peoples and the
traditional owners and custodians of Australian lands and waters.



Office Bearers Season 2017–18

PATRON:	Henry Hourihan
PRESIDENT:	Tim Murray
VICE PRESIDENT:	Troy Longworth
SECRETARY:	Alice Lang
TREASURER:	Matt Napier / Mark Larmour / Alanna Wood
CLUB CAPTAIN:	Danny Adams
CHIEF INSTRUCTOR:	Eloise Pietsch
JUNIOR ACTIVITIES DIRECTOR:	Guy Waddell
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VICE CAPTAIN (COMPETITION):	Michael Dixon
VICE CAPTAIN (LIFESAVING):	Kim Doherty
ASSISTANT SECRETARY/ REGISTRAR:	Aryan Shahabi-Sirjani
GEAR STEWARD:	Matteo Salval
BOAT CAPTAIN:	unfilled
IRB CAPTAIN:	Dan Zafir
ASSISTANT CHIEF INSTRUCTOR:	Marilee Tamasy
SOCIAL SECRETARY:	David Murphy
PUBLIC OFFICER:	Alice Lang
RADIO OFFICER:	Thomas Veit
BOARD AND SKI CAPTAIN:	Sue Jackson
PUBLICITY OFFICER:	Holly Love
FIRST AID OFFICER:	unfilled
HERITAGE STEWARD:	Philippa Ardlie
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REGISTERED SPORTS OFFICIALS:	Peter Davis Guy Waddell
SLSA DELEGATE:	Tim Murray
HON LEGAL OFFICERS:	Martin Hadley Santo Losurdo
HON MEDICAL OFFICERS:	unfilled

Tamarama Committees

MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Tim Murray	Danny Adams	Troy Longworth
Matt Napier (July 17–February 18) / Mark Larmour and Alanna Wood		
Eloise Pietsch	Guy Waddell	Alice Lang

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Peter Davis	Jon Hancock	Chris Glover
Sue Jackson	Tom Bodger	

AWARDS COMMITTEE

Sophie Taylor	Aymeric Maudous	Marilee Tamasy
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BUILDING COMMITTEE

Michael Turner	William Shires	Ronan MacSweeney
Michael Alvisse		

HERITAGE PROJECT

Philippa Ardlie

Club Members who are Life Members of Surf Lifesaving Australia Ltd

Ron Buist*	Michael Burke*
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Ron Buist*	Michael Burke*	Kevin Andrews*
John Wardall*	Clive Owens OAM	

* Denotes Member is deceased



Club Patron's Report

As always, my deepest thanks to all the active members, for maintaining our proud record of 'NO LIVES LOST' in our 112th year.

The background to the above, is of course, the training received to qualify and for the further up grades made available. My thanks to Eloise and her top assistant Marilee, for maintaining, the high standards in this area. I always feel privileged, when I receive an invitation, to the celebration lunch. It's a chance, to talk to all of them. I know they will forgive me for saying this, but I'm proud of them. Maybe it's my fatherly instincts?

I would also like to thank Ellie for taking the position of Caretaker. It's now a prestige job having also been held by Danny and Rob (Dr. Rip) Brander.

Patrick Connors, I would like you to show me your Gold Medallion at the Annual Meeting.

Gives me a chance to raise a toast to you.

Another six IRB crews and more training to be drivers! Us swimmers better watch out or they will take over the joint!!

Congratulation on the Sydney Branch Award for our Migrant Safety Days.

Mighty thanks to the all those other members who helped make this the great club it is.

Finally, it's great to see the progress we are making on the fundraising for our fabulous new club.

Looking forward to seeing you at the AGM.

Kind regards

HENRY HOURIHAN
Club Patron



Club President's Report

Being a Surf Lifesaver is a great way to keep fit, meet people and serve the community while having a good time. I would like to thank all our members for their service this year. I had a great season and I hope you did too.

We are members of a club with a long history of innovation. Our new strategic vision is embracing the future of surf lifesaving.

Our members have embraced this new strategy and I am inspired by the enthusiasm of our volunteers to support our migrant beach safety days and the Holly Days Indigenous Nipper Program. A special thank you to Jo Miller, Andrew Farley, David Murphy, Sophie Taylor and to all the volunteers supporting these initiatives. We will continue to expand our migrant beach safety program with the education and tech hub in our new building. We are developing virtual reality training for migrants on beach safety. We have a new Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander engagement plan for the club and we will soon be developing an Aboriginal language and culture unit for our Nippers training.

The unsung heroes of our club are our training officers. They provide many hours of service training people for the Bronze Medallion and other awards. I would like to thank Ellie Pietsch our CTO, Assistant CTO Marilee Tamasy and all the members that assisted them this year. Our club has a great depth of experience in training, former CTOs Tom Bodger, Troy Longworth and Phil Capps continue to patrol Tamarama Beach. Thank you for your great service. If you like training please think about joining our training team to continue our proud tradition of delivering quality training to our members.

We need to retain more lifesavers. Each year we train about 40 new surf lifesavers and yet our active patrol numbers have been stable for the last few years

at around 110 members. About half of our new Bronze Medallion members do not stay for more than one season.

Establishing friendships is a key element to retaining members. Please welcome the new Bronze Medallion members to your patrol. We need to recruit more women to our club. Only 33% of our club is female and the average across surf lifesaving is 45%. We have strong female representation in the leadership of the club we just need more on the beach! Please encourage more women to join our club in the new season.

We are proud of Margie Simpson-Lee who again represented our club at the National Surf Life Saving Competition. Patrick who qualified for his Gold Medallion. They are an inspiration for us to improve our skills. Please think about upgrading your skills next season, and consider completing the ARTC, First Aid, IRB crew or one of the many other courses offered in the area.

It is a pleasure to work with the Management Committee of the Club. It is a talented and dedicated team. We would like to thank Guy Waddell for his many years of service as the head of Nippers. Guy will still be around catching waves with a rescue tube in a lurid rashie, he just won't have the whistle around his neck on a Sunday morning.

Our Capital Campaign has made huge leaps in the past year. Our funds raised has gone from \$1.1 million to \$3.3 million. Thank you to everyone for your support. The Vice President's report contains details of the campaign's progress. I would like to ask for your support for the various fund raising initiatives planned – including our Barefoot Ball as soon as it is scheduled.

The Tamarama SLSC was a proud supporter of marriage equality. David Murphy, the Club's Social Secretary, arranged to have the club painted and our members body painted for the Walk for Equality.



Our Mission

We are volunteers committed to inclusiveness who work with the community to promote beach safety at Tamarama and beyond.

Our Vision

To be the home of innovative lifesaving education and a vibrant global community of people who love and respect the beach.

It was a huge success and attracted national and international media coverage. Tamarama became the poster image for the campaign. It was heartening to see our local community support marriage equality with 80% support in the area. While we painted the club back to its traditional, iconic yellow on a warm Autumn Friday afternoon, many locals passing by asked us to keep the club painted in support of the campaign.

Our member, Bruce Bouchard, provided first aid to a swimmer that had dislocated their shoulder on the reef last year outside of patrol hours. Lance Brooks, who had recently moved into the area, watched on as Bruce helped the swimmer and thought Bruce must have been a doctor he handled the situation so professionally. Bruce modestly pointed out that he

was just a local life saver. This inspired Lance to do his Bronze Medallion this season. Lance, in turn this year saved a drowning swimmer outside of patrol hours, when no one else was around and he was out on a rescue board. This is the sort of community that I want to live in.

Our participation through Tamarama SLSC is shaping what our Australia will be, we have the opportunity to define the future with our actions. I look forward to serving together with you next season.

TIM MURRAY
President

Prime Minister Malcolm Turnbull launching the Bendigo Bank sponsored 'Kirsty Boden' IRB at Bondi Beach with Tim Murray and the Tama crew

Club Vice President's Report

I'm proud to be a Tamarama Lifesaver with our club punching above it weight in contributing to the community education around lifesaving.

The club's revised mission and vision has been a driving force in focusing the clubs activities;

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- VISION – To be the home of innovative lifesaving education and a vibrant global community of people who love and respect the beach.

We established two programs as a result of our revised mission and vision.

BEACH SAFETY DAYS

Local drowning data (Randwick LGA) shows that our area has one of the highest rates of drowning in NSW with 56% by people born in another country and 19% born in China. With the significant volume of people from other countries that visit Sydney's eastern beaches we initiated the beach safety days to teach Culturally and Linguistically Diverse (CALD) groups beach safety in a three hour education program teaching them how to stay safe at the beach.

Delivered in partnership with Surf Lifesaving NSW the program has had enormous success with over 300 people being through the program with 85% of participants strongly agree they have gained knowledge from participating in the program, 100% of participants stated they now feel either confident (38%) or very confident (62%) knowing where the correct place to swim is at the beach.

The program is now being run monthly, thanks to the many volunteers who have helped run the program especially Sophie Taylor and David Murphy. What a contribution Tamarama SLSC is making to welcome

new Australians and teach them to safely enjoy the beach.

KIRSTY BODEN LIFE SAVING SCHOLARSHIPS

To bring more diversity into our club and target high risk groups to be lifesavers the club is recruiting from CALD groups. Scholars receive a grant to help with Bronze and first aid fees, swimming lessons if needed, transport costs and equipment. Our first scholar Alex Jang from South Korea passed his Bronze and has proven to be a great asset to the club.

Thanks to Ben McMullin and Will Chan for administering the scholarship grants.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

On the back of the revitalised vision for the club the capital campaign tally for the redevelopment of the clubhouse into a state of the art education and training facility has reached \$3.3 million.

Major steps forward in the campaign have included:

- A unanimous decision by Waverley Council to commit an additional \$1.04 million to the project, taking their overall commitment to \$1.79 million
- An additional \$350,000 secured from the NSW Government, taking their overall commitment to \$650,000
- Increase in the overall commitment from club members to \$300,000
- A greatly appreciated \$200,000 commitment from the Easts Leagues Club
- Federal Government support through the Stronger Communities Program and contra support from Lendlease that builds on earlier in-kind support from the business community



Troy speaking to participants of the Tamarama Migrant Program

We thank Councillors from each of Waverley Council's three political parties for their bi-partisan support and the State Member for Coogee, Bruce Notley-Smith, for his continued support.

Thank you also to the following club members/family members (listed in alphabetical order) who have deposited their donations and pledged their support:

- The Bagatourian/Labi family
- Wayne Butcher
- Alex Clamen
- The Charters/Miller family
- Ben and Kim Doherty
- John Fallon
- Andrew Farley
- Martin Hadley
- David Handley
- Phil Hogan
- The Hurley family
- Phil and Belinda Janis
- Faye Keech
- Mark Larmour
- The Lamoury/Kooner family
- Adrian Lim and Dora Quah
- Troy Longworth and Jay Ly
- Holly Love
- Ronan MacSweeney
- Paul and Samantha McGivern
- The McIntosh family
- Stephen Moynihan
- Eva Muller
- Ellie Pietsch and Andrew Nicholson



The new 'Kirsty Boden' IRB sponsored by Bendigo Bank

- Matteo Salval
- Bill Shires
- Antony Spanbrook and Chris Yeo
- Marilee Tamasy
- Mike Turner
- The Waddell family
- Mieka White
- Ray and Bernadette Wilson
- Dan Zafir

This leadership support from these club members has made a difference in the campaign and the support of other members will be important in its final stages. The campaign is being spurred on by the generation of significant media coverage at a local, state and national level, including stories on Channel 7's Weekend Sunrise, SBS TV, ABC Radio National, an article in the Sydney Morning Herald and terrific continued coverage in the Wentworth Courier.

Focus of the campaign in the second half of 2018 will be on obtaining backing for a Technology Hub. As a new flagship feature of the building, we will be sourcing a major corporate backer and support from the philanthropic sector.

Thanks to Andrew Farley who has been the driving force behind the capital campaign, your dedication and tenacity has been appreciated.

TROY LONGWORTH
Vice President

Club Secretary's Report

It has been a great year to be involved as the Club Secretary. Tim, Troy, Danny, Guy, Matt, Mark, and Ellie have made it a delight to learn more about the club and what is required to keep it going each year, making sure that we are all trained, tested, kitted out, rostered on, and looked after. Matteo and Alanna have also stepped in to help out the Committee very generously, and we appreciate that very much. Huge thanks to you all.

Tamarama continues to be a club that is actively engaged in the community. Even if you weren't there on the day, many would have seen the glorious paintwork, on the club's building and bodies, showing support for the Rainbow Walk for marriage equality. Some of those photos were shown around the world, and I hope were seen as an expression of the very welcoming and supportive character of the club.

The bumper Bronzie crops this season have surely been some of our most enthusiastic, and I think it's partly thanks to them that we've had some great skills and fitness sessions in mornings and evenings each week throughout the season, and beyond. I hope that the second Bronzie group, who paddled back from North Bondi after finishing their exam, 'for tradition', will continue to inspire us all to go out for board and swim sessions. I must call out Hugh French, awarded the John Kelly Memorial Trophy for Senior Club Member of the Year, for making sure so many of us get involved and get to know our fellow club members.

There has been a committed crew enjoying yoga at the club, and it's been great to see other groups use it for activities such as Zumba and Taekwondo as well. The gym that Danny, Louise, and others have worked hard to kit out has certainly got quite a work out this year, and rumour has it that next year we shall be building Spartans to attempt their Gold Medallion. Good luck to you all!

We do continue to have steady, rather than growing, numbers of active club members. Please get in touch with any member of the Committee to discuss how we might improve our retention of members from year to year. We'd love to hear your ideas.

I joined Tamarama a few years ago because it seemed convenient, but it's been the friendship, and some of the more unexpected moments, that make it worthwhile. This year, seeing such incredible support from the club for marriage equality was a highlight; attending a Council meeting for the first time was certainly an experience; and seeing people celebrate milestones – Bronze medallions, making it through the IRB crew course, a NSW government Young Woman of the Year Award, beating times at Icebergs, welcoming babies (and dogs), a book launch, and birthdays, have made me really happy to be a part of the club. Those things, and also David Murphy's stellar catering – he is a true wizard in an underwhelming kitchen – and many, many, brunches at M's.

Make sure you have signed up to the club newsletter from the Tamarama homepage, sign up to the member Facebook page, and keep your details up to date in Surfguard, via the SLSA Member Portal, so that you can keep up to date with what's happening, and get involved.

As mentioned in Guy's Junior Activities report, it is well worth taking a look at the historical Annual Reports. Guy has done an amazing job at getting these digitised. As he recommends, check out the history of the club by Ron Buist in in 1956, and if you see Henry Hourihan around, get him to tell you some stories.

I look forward to seeing you all next season, and hopefully on the beach or in the pool before that.

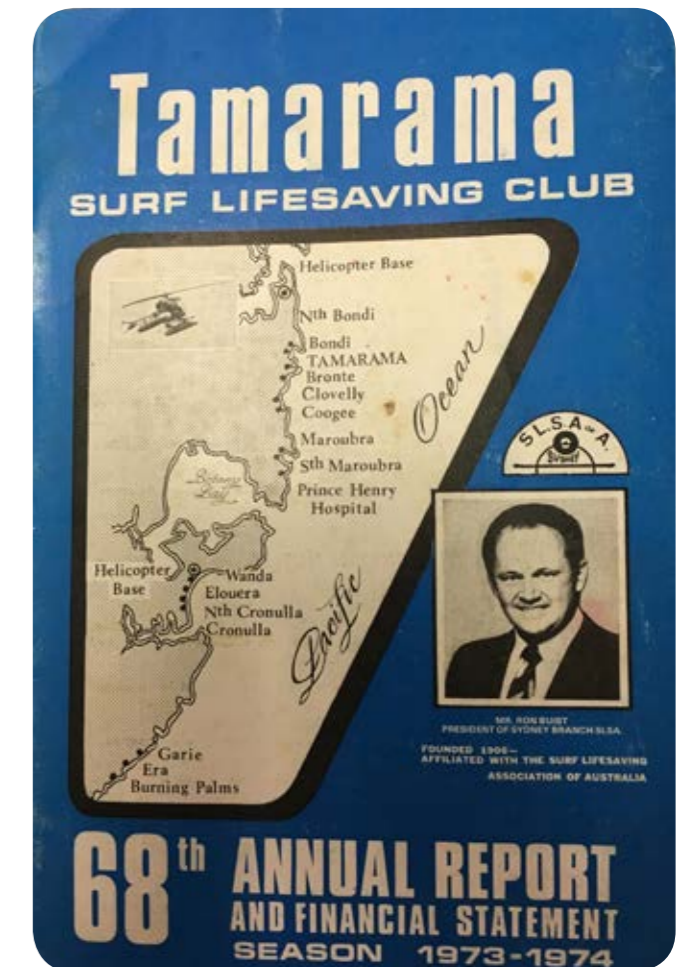
ALICE LANG
Secretary



Left: Each session, members from different migrant communities receive theoretical and practical instruction on beach safety

Below: The 68th Tamarama SLSC Annual Report from 1974

Bottom: Club members at the TSLSC event for the Rainbow Walk for Marriage Equality



Club Registrar's Report

It's been an honour to serve as the Club Registrar and Assistant Secretary. It's heartwarming to see every day the genuine desire of all members to make the beach a safe and enjoyable place for all people.

As we plan for the future of the club it's important we understand where we're at statistically and use that to guide our goals in terms of membership, training and development. There are currently 382 active members in Tamarama SLSC, of whom 33% are female and 67% are male. In 2016/17 the nation-wide gender ratio was 45% female and 55% male, meaning Tamarama needs to continue to work on bridging the gender gap. Our membership consists of people from at least 61

PATROL ATTENDANCE

(number of patrolled hours by members)

	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Patrol Hours	4,317	3,911	4,560

RECORDED STATISTICS

	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Total Preventative Action	1,841	1,495	1,604
Preventative Actions	1,839	1,492	1,603
Shark Alarm	0	1	0
Search	1	1	1
Lost Child	1	1	0

RESCUES

	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Total Rescues	51	89	140
No Gear	2	8	12
Rescue Tube	21	44	82
Rescue Board	19	36	44
IRB	8	0	2
Other	1	1	0

different occupations, and 40% of members are listed as living outside of the Eastern Suburbs of Sydney. Our club thrives on diversity and inclusiveness and we should continue to work towards an ever-expanding membership base.

Congratulations to all our dedicated volunteer Surf Lifesavers for patrolling over 4,500 hours this season, undertaking 140 rescues and at least 1,600 preventions. Thank you to all members, Patrol Captains and Vice Captains for maintaining accurate and clear Patrol Logs this season.

ARYAN SHAHABI-SIRJANI
Club Registrar and Assistant Secretary

FIRST AID

	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Total First Aid Actions	100	90	84
Major Wounds	0	1	4
Minor Cuts/ Abrasions	13	16	25
Minor Marine Stings	78	70	44
Major Marine Stings	4	3	5
Other	5	0	6
Resuscitation	0	0	0
Spinal	0	0	0

BEACH ATTENDANCE

	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Total	29,579	33,960	50,797
Sign On	10,045	10,615	12,624
Mid Patrol	11,774	12,273	15,274
Sign Off	7,760	11,072	22,899

TAMARAMA EDUCATION

Club Chief Instructor's Report

In 1999, I first become CTO at a Victorian Surf Life Saving Club (who said Juc?!). I was 18 years old, had helped deliver two bronze courses after obtaining my own Bronze and was thrown into the deep end, having to handle the paperwork, administration and the management of a training team responsible for 30 15-year-olds on a camp in December (the only time it's warm enough to go in the water in Victoria!).

Subsequently, I have been CTO at another two clubs and have delivered 13 more bronze courses, as well as refreshing my own qualifications at Tama four years ago.

The paperwork, and my lack of skills in completing it, have remained a constant for nearly 20 years. The course work is largely the same, with a few variations – resus is now simpler to deliver, defibs have been introduced, IRB crewing has been in, and out... The personalities around the club committee room are familiar, even though names and locations have changed.

For me, the greatest challenge, and the most rewarding part of this high energy and intensity position, is the responsibility of sharing the club

culture with each new bronzie. The Training team have the unique position to be the first face that a new member recognises and the unparalleled privilege of being able to shape the experience of new members.

At Tamarama, our first impressions start with an information night and friendly emails. We meet each new candidate and answer as many questions as they have about commitment, uniform, sharks, patrolling, Bondi Rescue, the gym, timed swims – you name it! We follow this up with games and activities that help each new member meet each other, explore the club and local area and become familiar with what makes Tamarama unique. Our new members soon realise that lifesaving at Tama is a team activity, that no one person has to be the best, fastest, strongest or cutest to make a valued contribution.

The essence of the bronze experience is to belong, or to find your place in our tribe. Our Training team strives to create this opportunity for each candidate throughout the ten week bronze course. My gratitude to each of the Training team members who worked so hard every Saturday morning to create the inclusive,



Left: Ellie with inaugural Kirsty Boden Migrant Scholarship recipient Alex Jang from South Korea

Below: Our 2017/2018 Spring bronzies





Patrick points out to new Bronzies how to use the rip to get to NZ

Alice training for fire fighting in IRB training

welcoming and diverse atmosphere for our new bronzies. This year we again invited every member to come down and join the Training team, so there are far too many helpers to mention each individually – you know who you are! Thank you for curtailing your Friday night shenanigans just enough to make it to the beach before 8am on a Saturday and for sharing your experience and wisdom with our recruits.

There are a special few I would like to single out for their leadership contribution to the Training team:

Patrick Connors	Tom Veit
Isabella Veales	Danny Adams
Matteo Salval	Angus Wilkie
David Murphy	Troy Longworth
Tom Bodger	Guy Waddell
Dan Zafir	Sophie Taylor

And, of course, the Best Deputy CTO a gal could ever have... Marilee Tamasy.

Without the leadership of these key people delivering practice assessments, proficiencies, arranging catering, repairing gear, providing dedicated water safety, we could not have delivered such successful

lifesaving training programs. The many hundreds of hours we each spent this season supporting the club, candidates, training and each other is demonstrated in the extraordinary talents of each of members.

I would like to acknowledge the tremendous achievements of members who have obtained awards beyond the Bronze medallion. This year we hosted ARTC and First Aid courses at the club and had members obtain their IRB Crew, Training qualification, Silver Medallion Beach Management and Gold Medallion (congrats Patrick!). I encourage every member to think about what skills they may like to develop next season and to seek out opportunities to practice and grow your lifesaving talents, or to share them with other members.

I look forward to being a part of the training team for many years to come. The legacy of maintaining this amazing warm, inclusive, generous, diverse and welcoming club culture is a responsibility I look forward to honouring.

ELLIE PIETSCH
Chief Training Officer

Life Saving Awards 2017–2018

GOLD MEDALLION – ADVANCED LIFESAVING – 1

Patrick Connors

SILVER MEDALLION – BASIC BEACH MANAGEMENT – 7

Sarah Beasley	Patrick Connors	Sophia Coombs	Hugh French	Alice Lang
David Murphy	Marilee Tamasy			

BRONZE MEDALLION – 33

Lance Brooks	Alex Chang	Bradley Charters	Caroline Christian	Jack Collins
Danielle Cooper	Michelle Cowans	Michelle Dick	Ruari Dowdney	Jessica Ferguson
Daniel Fritz	John Grady	Richard Hamilton	David Head	Michael Hutchings
Rob Kempen	Maximilian Lawson	Kevin McCall	Dimitri Pavlovsky	Kate Petrie
Alberto Puls Cruz	Nicola Schlitz Welsh	Joshua Scotland	Kemper Shaw	Alex Walkden
Simone Walsh	Zoe Whitton	Kristin Zoega		

SURF RESCUE CERTIFICATE – 6

Monique Bouchard	Oliver Hunt	Eleanor Labi	Honor Veals	Lachlan Waddell
Jack Wilson				

IRB CREW CERTIFICATE – 12

Ievgen Aleinikov	Bruce Bouchard	Giulia Collivadino	Patrick Connors	Sophia Coombs
Ruari Dowdney	Daniel Fritz	James Gray	Holly Love	Aymeric Maudous
Alexandre Michelet	Daniel Qualischefski			

ADVANCED RESUSCITATION CERTIFICATE – 34

Ievgen Aleinikov	Sarah Beasley	Gregory Bell	Alex Chang	Jack Collins
Cameron Colwell	Patrick Connors	Danielle Cooper	Michelle Cowans	Peter Davis
Michelle Dick	Robert Foulkes	Hugh French	Richard Hamilton	David Head
Rob Kempen	Eric Kleiman	Mark Larmour	Alice Lang	Troy Longworth
Kevin McCall	Benjamin McMullin	David Murphy	Dimitri Pavlovsky	Kate Petrie
Eloise Pietsch	Alberto Puls Cruz	Matteo Salval	Nicola Schlitz Welsh	Joshua Scotland
Kurt Shields	Brent Solomon	Nicholas Spencer	Guy Waddell	

25 YEAR LONG SERVICE AWARD – 1

John Lackey

40 YEAR LONG SERVICE AWARD – 2

Ian Hopkins Denis Paterson

CERT IV IN TRAINING AND ASSESSMENT – 1

Troy Longworth

RADIO OPERATOR CERTIFICATE – 2

William Lenard William Forrest

JUNIOR ACTIVITIES AGE MANAGER COURSE – 2

Michelle Ng Phillip Serjeant

NIPPER SURF EDUCATION – 66



Club Captain's Report

We’ve had many successes during the 2017–18 season, but nothing more important than seeing the dawn of a new strategic plan for Tamarana SLSC.

Our long term members, who have contributed many years of their lives to volunteering at Tamarana, have seen the rise and fall of many a hero and member. This season we’ve seen quite a changing of the guard at Tamarana and the launch of our new Strategic Plan.

Firstly, let me pay tribute to the original guardians of Tamarana who came before us. The first people who watched over Tamarana were the Traditional Owners

of this land. We’ve been honoured this season to continue to support the inclusivity and access to Aboriginal people with the continued aboriginal outreach program, which has resulted in additional young Indigenous kids taking part in Nippers.

I’d also like to acknowledge the life members who literally built earlier iterations of Tamarana’s clubhouse with their bare hands. This was my first season without our former President, Bill Shires in that leadership role. It’s vital we remember and acknowledge the massive efforts of the people who came before us. We stand on the shoulders of giants like Sandra Fox, Bill Shires, Guy Waddell, Ian Hopkins and the Building Committee who have contributed decades of their lives to support and rebuilding Tamarana. Not to mention their and our families who have volunteered and donated their own time silently, behind the scenes.

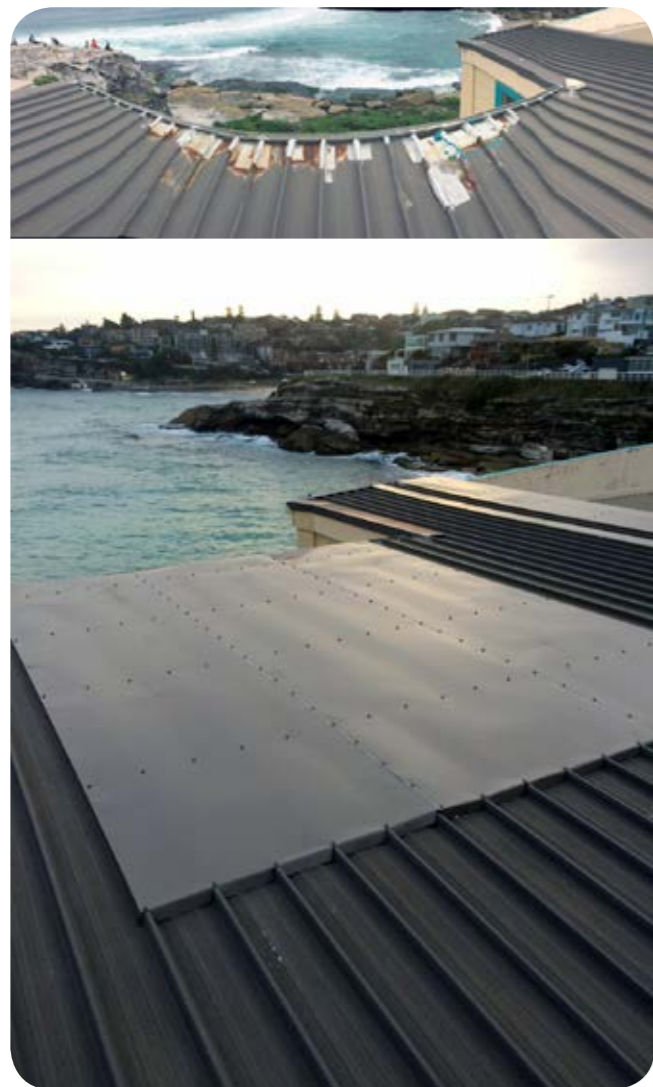
One such legacy which I must acknowledge is the combined effort of the new Patrol 8, formally known as Patrol 11, who have the combined experience of 121 years of patrolling. Their continued mateship and loyalty has been above and beyond the average contribution.

One of the incredible aspects of Surf Lifesaving is keeping our beaches accessible to everyone. Australia’s Lifesaving Clubs are some of the few remaining public buildings at many of Australia’s most exclusive beaches – ensuring those assets maintain accessibility and in the public domain is essential to preventing our beaches becoming private and exclusive playgrounds for Australia’s most privileged. Our migrant training days have opened up Australia’s beaches to an entire new generation of new Australians.

The 2017–2018 season was opened by a welcome dance from the Warada Dancers from Soldiers’ Settlement Public School.

One of these amazing performers, Isaac K is one of our Tama nippers who was chosen for this years U11 Branch Junior Development Camp.





In the last few seasons we’ve seen some incredible new talent and dedicated members step into the expanding roles and opportunities now offered at Tamarama. I’d love to thank the new members who have accepted increased responsibility and breathed life into our new challenges.

In the coming season, I look forward to the rebuild, and the old and new members working tirelessly together, leading us into a new era.

If you haven’t read our new Strategic Plan, please see it on our website.

DANNY ADAMS
 Club Captain



Above left: The State Government CBP (Community Building Partnership Program) grant was used to part pay for essential roof repairs

Above: The Federal Government BSEF (Beach Safety Emergency Fund) grant was used to purchase six new rescue boards (four full size Bennett epoxy boards and two ¾ size soft Dolphin rescue boards) and a new Oxygen Resus Unit



Club Vice-Captain Competition Report

Interclub competition was the highlight for the 2017–18 season.

Refer to the Junior Activities report for the events and successes of the Junior members of the club.

Tamarama was represented at Branch, State and National levels this season past.

Branch representatives were Margie Simpson-Lee, Phil Serjeant, Hugh French and Guy Waddell. Branch Masters titles were held at Coogee in February. Margie secured a gold medal in the beach flags and a silver medal in the surf race. Phil secured gold in the beach flags. Hugh and Guy were pleased to wave the Tamarama colours!

Margie represented Tamarama at both State and National titles and finished her season on a high, placing 5th in the flags and 5th in the surf race with both events attracting an extremely high calibre of competitors.

Sue Jackson once again organised for club members to participate in a six week training session on ski

paddling. Training was held in March and April at OzPaddle in Rose Bay under the supervision of both Sue and Tommy Woodriff from OzPaddle. A number of club members took advantage of this opportunity to start to learn the complex skills involved. We have a number of beginner skis in the shed and for those who have done the training, check in with Sue for details on how to access these and the best way to continue your development.

Well done to all competitors and especially to Margie for taking the club through all levels of competition through the season. A huge call out to Sue for taking the initiative with ski training for our members. Any member wishing to explore Surf Sports, please get in contact with one of the Management Committee members.

MICHAEL DIXON
 Vice Captain – Competition

Margie in full flight at the National Titles in Perth
 Inset: Phil and Margie – Branch Masters medalists

TAMARAMA INFLATABLE RESCUE BOAT

IRB Captain's Report



I hope you're all now banking with Bendigo Bank Clovelly, because they came through with the goods!

Tamarama's new IRB was sponsored in full by the bank, and for that we're grateful. AND you all now bank there, right? (Well, you should.) The boat was launched in September of this season by His Highest Lordship Malcolm Turnbull PM, and christened in honour of late member Kirsty Boden. The ceremony was a hit in all the major media, and I photographed well.

Congratulations to the candidates who passed their IRB Crew exams this season. Giulia Collivadino and Ievgen Aleinikov in Round 1; and Daniel Fritz, Patrick Connors, Sophia Morwenna and Ruari Dowdney in Round 2. Honourable mention to Tom Veit who missed the exam, but will be assessed at a later date. I am excited that several of you have already signed up for the mid-winter Silver Medallion IRB Driver qualification. Come September, the Tama IRB Team will certainly have returned to strength!

Acknowledgements and thanks to the following members who have gone above and beyond this season:

Hugh French, James Gray and Michael Dixon (Bondi to Bronte Water Safety)
Holly Love and Alexandre Michelet (South Head Roughwater Water Safety)
Michael Dixon (IRB Crew Training at South Maroubra)
Guy Waddell (Service par Excellence)
AND:
Ronny Krite, Simon Torsellini and the team at South Maroubra for generously inviting our IRB Crew candidates to complete their training and assessment – and even supplying the boats and the fuel. (Can someone send them a case of beer or three?)
Some seasons pass in a blink, and this was one of them. Perhaps the IRB machine is (finally) well oiled and running smoothly.

DANIEL ZAFIR
IRB Captain

Left: Round 1 IRB crew graduates with South Maroubra SLSC
Right: IRB crew 2

TAMARAMA NIPPERS – FUTURE LIFESAVERS IN TRAINING

Junior Activities Directors Report



The 2017–18 season was yet again another action packed one as myself and our band of dedicated Age Managers lived the Junior Lifesaving movement motto 'Future Lifesaver in Training' as our youngest members continued development of their skills to become Lifesavers.

It's the nature of our beach so we work with what we have – this season we were in the water at Tamarama no more than five times given the difficult conditions that once again plagued the beach this Summer.
As usual, the program kicked off in September with registration and proficiencies held at the University of NSW. By the time registrations were concluded we were 90 Nippers strong for the season.
Following a successful trial late in the 2016–17 season, 2017–18 marked a full year recommencement of the Holly Days program. Run in partnership with Weave Youth Services, Holly Days is a program that allows kids who would otherwise be unable to participate in Nippers the opportunity to do so and is named

in memory of club member Holly Robinson. A huge thanks to Jo Miller for being the driving force behind this program with support from several members including Sami Eskin, Warwick Clout, Cameron Henry-Colwell, Peter Gallagher and Meika White. I can't thank Jo enough for her energy with this initiative at expense of her own and family time – Jo you are a really generous person and quickly becoming a Tamarama SLSC Legend! Thanks to Waverley Council for providing a grant which was a great help in allowing us to bring these kids into the program.
First day for Nipper activities for the season was 8 October. The SLSA Surf Education program continues as the foundation of our program, around which all other activities orbit. The numbers of Nippers receiving their Surf Education award this year was 66, the highest in recent times.

U10 Nippers Max N, Aaron H and Felix M leading the charge for Tama at the Tamarama-Clovelly Challenge



SRC – Monique B, Eleanor L, Honor V, Lachlan W and Jack W with their trainers, Bruce Bouchard and Guy Waddell. Absent was Oliver Hunt.



Happy Holly Days Nippers – Makaylah, Liara, Aleah, Holli, Isaac, Jo Miller, Jayla, Jade, Taneisha and Michelle Ng

In addition to the Surf Education awards, six of our U14 Nippers went on to achieve their Surf Rescue Certificate this season – congratulations to Monique Bouchard, Eleanor Labi, Oliver Hunt, Honor Veals, Lachlan Waddell and Jack Wilson. Parent support through the program was great and I’d like to thank Jon Veals, Gary Hunt, Bruce Bouchard and Derek Bagatourian for assisting with training and riding shotgun throughout the program, that ran from September to November.

We said farewell to several Age Managers this year who have been core to our organisation for many years – Jon ‘Shotgun’ Veals, Gary Hunt and Kim and Tony Kench. Thanks for your contribution and here’s hoping you keep in touch and remain members of the club, even if at a distance.

The team from Little Heroes joined us again this season to work on basic surf awareness and skills at the water’s edge with our U7 and U6 Age Groups.

In 2017–18 we welcomed some new Age Managers to the crew – including Phil Serjeant, Jim Eck and Michelle Ng. I’d like to thank the Age Managers and assistants for their relentless efforts during the season, turning up, every weekend, rain, hail or shine to work with the Nippers. The Age Manager Group this year was:

U14 – Jon Veals and Guy Waddell
U13/U12 – Gary Hunt and Ken Powell
U11 – Jo Miller, Michelle Ng and Derek Bagatourian
U10 – Neil McFarlane and Jim Eck
U8/U9 – Phil Janis, Kim and Tony Kench and Jon Hancock
U6/U7 – Margie Simpson-Lee, Tim Murray, Phil Serjeant, Tim Gow and Shay Deguara

A special call out to Brad Charters who secured his Bronze Medallion this season and was a key player in water safety activities during the season. The senior club once again supported skills development and water safety throughout. Thanks to our club captain Danny Adams for his support, Sunday morning Patrol Captains (Michael/Chris, Jason and Derek) and patrolling members.

In January we had booked in an excursion to Garie to compete with the crew there – unfortunately a bush fire at the last minute prevented us from making the trip. A huge thanks to Belinda and the crew at Garie for all the trouble they went to – perhaps next year.

On the competition front, Tamarama Nippers was active, with the annual Australia Day Challenge being held at Clovelly this year – a huge thanks to Bryce and the crew from Clovelly for making us welcome for



Bondi Blue Water Challenge Tama team – Wil C, Tily T, Lucy L, Orlanda G, Allegra M, Aaron H and Annabelle C.

what was a ripper of a morning. Clovelly secured the coveted Tamarama-Clovelly shield this year.

Bondi hosted the Bondi Blue Water Challenge in February and Tamarama Nippers were in action again. The team put in a really strong performance, coming second this year with some notable wins including Tily T winning the Surf Race. Well done!

Tamarama Nippers sent a team to the U11 Sydney Branch Junior Development Camp and were well represented by our Nippers. Jo Miller led our representatives who included Annabelle C, Isaac K, Isabella M and Darcey W. The camp focuses on teamwork, leadership and skills development within and beyond the Surf Life Saving framework.

Friday afternoon board training was again held this year in the first half of the season. This year we took to North Bondi with up to 15 Nippers attending, building confidence in the gentle waves that North Bondi provides. Thanks to Derek, Jo and Jim for digging deep and assisting with this activity.

This year, via an introduction from one of the Senior members of the club, Aymeric Maudous, the Nipper group embraced the ‘Take 3 for the Sea’ program, focusing on awareness of and taking action on reducing the amount of plastic in our environment.

Don’t forget – when you are at the beach – Take 3 for the Sea!

Thanks to our President and introductions from other club members, we secured a sponsorship from the Sydney Roosters this year to the value of \$2,000. We had some Roosters players join us in February to talk about their experiences as elite sports people and other subjects including the importance of teamwork. We hope to continue our relationship with the Roosters in following seasons.

The season concluded on 11 March with our presentation day. Major award winners for 2017–18 were:

Lucinda Labi – Nipper of the Year
Isabella Middleton – Best and Fairest

Well done to Lucy and Isi.

Thanks to all parents who donated their time, effort and resources throughout the season to make the program work as well as it did and to ensure that all our social functions were well run and provisioned.

This year marks my last year of leading our band of Junior Lifesavers in Training – with my kids no longer in the program, after 16 or so years involved with Nippers and five years leading it’s time to hang up the cap and shirt and hand over to some new blood. Jon Hancock, Brad Charters and Shay Deguara will be taking on the responsibility of carrying our Junior Lifesaving team forward from next season.

I’d like to extend a huge thanks to Doug Hawkins and the team from Sydney Branch Junior Development who keep us all informed, motivated and inspired to work with our Nippers in a safe, inclusive, and informed way.

On a final note and not related to the Nipper program at all, being a member of the Management Committee has afforded me a number of opportunities which I would like to thank Tim and the team for providing. I note these below as they have been beneficial for the club and provided learning opportunities for me personally. I would encourage other members to embrace the opportunity to learn and contribute to your club.



U11 Nippers Isaac K, Annabelle C, Darcey W and Isabella M at the Sydney Branch Development Camp

SRC Assessment Part 2, November 2017

In July 2017, in conjunction with the Tamarama Cheah Tae Kwon Do team (led by past Vice President and long time member Denis Paterson), we took the opportunity to spend a weekend sanding and sealing the hall floor so that it would last until the club renovations commence (Lesson: how to sand and seal a wooden floor).

In the winter of 2017, with the vital technical assistance of Eric Kleiman, we commissioned a member only webcam, which streams pictures of surf and beach conditions to the Tamarama website (Lesson: how to build and integrate a web cam into a web site).

During the 2017–18 season, the Management Committee allowed me to supervise and fulfill two grants for the Club. The first was the final year of the Federal Government BSEF (Beach Safety Emergency Fund) to the value of \$10,000 and the State Government CBP (Community Building Partnership Program) to the value of \$2,500. The BSEF grant was used to purchase six new rescue boards (four full size Bennett epoxy boards and two ¾ size soft Dolphin rescue boards) and a new Oxygen Resus Unit. I’m really pleased that in parallel with this we were able to retire five fibreglass rescue boards to a better place – the wide expanses of Sussex Inlet and to a Surf Club that was in need of equipment. The CBP grant was

used to part pay for essential roof repairs (Lesson: how to apply for, be granted and run a grant program).

More recently, I have turned my sights to matters historical – following a series of requests from members for information on their records, I have commenced an initiative that will allow members to self serve some aspects of club history and membership records. At time of writing, 30 Annual Reports from my own collection, dating back to the 1970s have been scanned and stored on the club’s Google storage repository. With the permission of Waverley Library who hold the balance of reports, I plan to complete the exercise during winter 2018, scanning all available Annual Reports, dating back to the 1940s at least. There is a link to this repository on the club web site at www.tamaramaslsc.org for members interested in understanding more about the history of their club – I recommend a read of the 75th Annual report and the reproduction of the short club history written by Ron Buist in 1956. Happy researching.

GUY WADDELL
Junior Activities Director

Club Membership – Members 2017–18

LIFE MEMBERS – 93

John Annand*	Brian Beer	John Bell	Rob Brander
Graeme Brewer	George Brooke*	William Brooke*	Tom Brooks*
Ron Buist*	Michael Burke*	Ivan Butterworth*	Alex Cahill
Des Carroll*	Wally Charles*	Arthur Cole*	Vince Cole*
Paul Cooper	George Corbould*	Ced Davis*	Peter Davis
Geoff Dellet*	Fred Denham*	Bob Deverall*	S Dewild*
James Doyle*	Ray Doyle*	Ken Eastment	Col Ferris*
Geoff Fowle*	Sandra Fox	David Fryer*	Edward Gillroy
Robert Gillroy*	Chris Glover	Neville Gray*	John Hall
Sir Eric Hallstrom*	Jon Hancock	J Hann*	Robert Hann*
Brian Henry	Robert Hodgson	Phil Hogan	Ian Hopkins
Wal Horne*	Henry Hourihan	Vince Jackman*	David Jex
Sid Joss*	Don Keech*	Les Lawrence*	Albert Levy*
Robert Marrott	Max Martin*	Jack Mayes*	Doug McDonell*
Alex McNab*	Geoff Mould	Ron Muller*	Ron Norman
Wal Norton*	Clive Owens OAM	Robert Parton*	Charles Philip*
Ernie G Philip*	George B Philip*	William Philip*	John Proctor
David Radford*	Les Rayne*	Allan Roberts	John Shand
Richard Sheldon	William Shires	Frank Smith	Neil Smith
Ken Stewart*	William Stewart*	Eric Tatnall*	Brian Tutil
Geoffrey Vaughan	Geoffrey Vincent	Guy Waddell	John Wardall*
Peter Wardall*	Neill Warren	B A Weir*	Ernie E Weir*
Dr John Weir*	Wilton Weir*	Bryan Williams*	Robert Wormleaton
Daniel Zafir			

* Denotes Member is deceased

HONORARY MEMBERS – 25

Clr Sally Betts	Ellen Buist	Wayne Butcher	Raphaella K Crosby
Frank Darvas	Simon Exleton	Graham Ford	Dianne Fryer
Martin Hadley	David Handley	Deborah Hutton	Dare Jennings
Clr Tony Kay	Catherine Lawrence	Santo Losurdo	Marcus Moufarrige
Bruce Notley Smith MP	Greig Pickhaver	Ann Robinson	Ted Robinson
Robert Talbott OAM	Eugene Tan	Malcolm Turnbull MP	Shirley Van Dyk
Joan Wardall			

LONG SERVICE MEMBERS – 22

Greg Bell	Steve Bell	David Blamires	Megan Blamires
Peter Bishop	Mark Cassidy	Warwick Clout	Chris Cooper
Bruce Copas	Guy Debelle	Shay Deguara	Wayne Evans
John Fisher	Rex Hatton	Bob Jones	John Lackey
Paul Martin	Neil McFarlane	Paul Murphy	Denis Paterson
Phillip Serjeant			

RESERVE ACTIVE MEMBERS – 10

Michael Alvisse	Andrew Blenkinsop	Adrian Lim	Tim MacCormick
Ronan Macsweeney	Andres Mafia Salgado	Mischee Mardardy	Ian Moate
John Raymond	Mark Wilcox		

SENIOR ACTIVE MEMBERS – 125

Daniel Adams	Lee Adamthwaite	Ievgen Aleinikov	Philippa Ardlie
Derek Bagatourian	Steven Batten	Sarah Beasley	Cameron Berry
Davide Bini	Stephanie Bird	Rachel Blenkinsop	Thomas Bodger
Paul Borrud	Bruce Bouchard	Declan Bowring	Edward Boyd
Lance Brooks	Philip Capps	Lachlan Carr	Hy William Chan
Alex Chang	Bradley Charters	Sebastian Chee	Caroline Christian
Alexandre Clamen	Jack Collins	Giulia Collivadino	Cameron Colwell
Patrick Connors	Sophia Coombs	Danielle Cooper	Michelle Cowans
Ric Deverell	Michelle Dick	Michael Dixon	Ben Doherty
Kimberley Doherty	Ruari Dowdney	Michael Elder	Samantha Eskin
Jessica Ferguson	Robert Foulkes	Rohan Frame	Hugh French
Daniel Fritz	Peter Gallagher	Alice Godet	Timothy Gow
John Grady	James Gray	Alexander Hamilton	Richard Hamilton
David Head	Michael Hutchings	Sue Jackson	Michael Keenan
Rob Kempen	Paul Kennedy	Eric Kleiman	Duncan Koop
Joshua Lacoste	Alice Lang	Mark Larmour	Maximilian Lawson
David Lee	Troy Longworth	Javier Lopez Gil	Holly Love
Aymeric Maudous	Josh McCall	Kevin McCall	Liam McDermott
Tara McKenty	Benjamin McMullin	Iain Melhuish	Alexandre Michelet
Stephen Moynihan	Jason Mula	Eva Muller	David Murphy
Timothy Murray	Matthew Napier	Nanak Narulla	David Ogle
Taryn Orkin	Robert Page	Dimitri Pavlovsky	Kate Petrie
Eloise Pietsch	Alberto Puls Cruz	Daniel Qualischefski	Elissa Raptis
Laura Roff	Nicholas Rolls	David Roux	Matteo Salval
Carlos Sanchez	Nicola Schlitz Welsh	Joshua Scotland	Calum Scott
Aryan Shahabi-Sirjani	Kemper Shaw	Margaret Simpson-Lee	Grant Slade

SENIOR ACTIVE MEMBERS CONTINUED

Brent Solomon	Robert Sparshott	David Speck	Nicholas Spencer
Marilee Tamasy	Duncan Taylor	Sophie E. Taylor	Robert Tomlin
Sebastian Trevaskis	Rowan Varrall	Thomas Veit	Jemima Waddell
Alex Walkden	Adrien Wallace	Simone Walsh	Sara Watson
Michael Wells	Mieka White	Zoe Whitton	Angus Wilkie
Kristin Zoega			

JUNIOR MEMBERS – 8

Dylan Broom Waugh	Lauren Eskin	Daniel Morgan	Yasmene Placer
Ben Porter	Kim Porter	Miranda Rodgers	Isabella Veals

SURF RESCUE CERTIFICATE – 9

Monique Bouchard	William Forrest	Oliver Hunt	Eleanor Labi
William Lenard	Oscar Mcgivern	Honor Veals	Lachlan Waddell
Jack Wilson			

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS – 56

Henrietta Ardlie	Sally Ayto	Anita Bariamis	Andrew Benzie
Robert Bowring	Chris Bromhead	Robert Bustos-McNeil	Francine Caratti
Luke Carter	Antoinette Corkill	Claire Crichton	John Darvill
Anthony Dow	Lucinda Dowse	Reg Dowse	Peter Duff
Mairead Dunbar	Jim Eck	Roland Flesch	Danielle Forrest
Ben Forsyth	Kenneth Gray	Megan Howard	Jennie Howe
Michael Huggins	Gary Hunt	Phillip Janis	Heather Jex
Annette Keay	Tony Kench	Gillian Lamoury	Andrew Lees
Mark Longhurst	Gabrielle Middleton	Leisa Mikkelsen	Jo Miller
Natasha Munro	Todd Naphthali	Michelle Ng	Andrew Nicholson
Mark O'Reilly	Steve Oakley	Patsie Polly	Ken Powell
Ian Randall	Tracy Rockwell	Katherine Serjeant	Alan Sheldon
Rowan Sinden	Richard Smith	Michael Turner	Chris Volpatti
Ray Wilson	William Wolfenden	Alanna Wood	Chris Yeo

Major Award Winners

SEASON	E. E. WEIR	JOHN KELLY	MAJOR RIPLEY
1993–1994	J Lackey	P Hogan	C Smith
1994–1995	W Clout	R Sheldon	M McAfee
1995–1996	M Perry	D Radford	A Vass
1996–1997	M Perry	M Perry	M Walton
1997–1998	N Warren	D Radford	J Lackey
1998–1999	I Hamilton	P Hogan	W Clout
1999–2000	I Hamilton	W Evans	M Walton
2000–2001	R Wade	N Warren	P Walshe
2001–2002	R Wade	R Brander	P Walshe
2002–2003	M Corke	A Stevenson	R Scott
2003–2004	D Bosomworth	S Birch	A Stevenson
2004–2005	S Birch	R Brander	S Deguara
2005–2006	N Warren	P Hogan	S Deguara
2006–2007	D Zafir	P Hogan	M Simpson-Lee
2007–2008	C Glover	C Nisbet	M Simpson-Lee
2008–2009	J Leung	R Hatton	S Jackson
2009–2010	R Hatton	P Plesums	J Turner
2010–2011	T Bodger	J Leung	J Turner
2011–2012	T Longworth	C Nisbet	Not Awarded
2012–2013	G Sharratt	K West	T Goyarzu
2013–2014	M Turner	D Turner	F Lynch
2014–2015	D Adams	P Capps	D Adams
2015–2016	A Blenkinsop	Not Awarded	M Simpson-Lee
2016–2017	M Tamasy	Chris Glover and Patrol 11	M Simpson-Lee
2017–2018	E Pietsch	H French	M Simpson-Lee

SEASON		PRESIDENT'S	GEORGE BISHOP	TED WARDALL
1996–1997		Not Awarded	Nigel Gallagher	Not Awarded
1997–1998		P Serjeant	T Vernados	Not Awarded
1998–1999		G Debelle	E Fletcher	E Fletcher
1999–2000		R Wade	Not Awarded	Not Awarded
2000–2001		M Corke	Not Awarded	Not Awarded
2001–2002	Male Female	I Hamilton E Meagher	R Evans	R Evans
2002–2003	Male Female	I Hamilton E Meagher	M Drennan	M Drennan
2003–2004	Male	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	Not Awarded
2004–2005	Male Female	S Birch S Snow	M Drennan	Not Awarded
2005–2006	Male Female	S Birch S Snow	M Gallagher	M Gallagher
2006–2007	Male Female	C Glover M Simpson-Lee	Not Awarded	Not Awarded
2007–2008	Male Female	C Glover M Simpson-Lee	Not Awarded	Not Awarded
2008–2009	Male Female	C Glover P Ardlie	Not Awarded	Not Awarded
2009–2010	Male Female	C Glover M Tjhin	D Bowring	Not Awarded
2010–2011	Male Female	J Turner D Morley	Not Awarded	Not Awarded
2011–2012	Male Female	J Turner J Davies	Not Awarded	Not Awarded
2012–2013	Male Female	R Hatton P Ardlie	Not Awarded	A Lawther
2013–2014	Male Female	J Turner D Morley	Not Awarded	Not Awarded
2014–2015	Male Female	G Waddell S Fox	L McArthur	Not Awarded
2015–2016	Male	T Longworth	Not Awarded	Not Awarded
2016–2017	Male	G Waddell	Not Awarded	Not Awarded
2017–2018	Male	I Hopkins	Not Awarded	Not Awarded

Club Trophies

'EE' Pop Weir Trophy for Club Member of the Year	Eloise Pietsch
John Kelly Memorial Trophy for Senior Club Member of the Year	Hugh French
George Bishop Trophy for Under 21 Club Member of the Year	Not Awarded
Jack Bluey Mayes Rookie of the Year Award	Daniel Fritz
Major Ripley Trophy for the Most Valuable Carnival Competitor	Margaret Simpson-Lee
David Radford Trophy for Cadet of the Year	Oliver Hunt
G.B. Philip Foundation President's Trophy for Senior Club Champions	Not Awarded
Ted Wardall Trophy for Under 18 Club Champion	Not Awarded
Roland Talbot Trophy for Nipper of the Year	Lucinda Labi
Ron Buist Trophy for Club Service	Sophie Taylor
Les Lawrence Trophy for Club Spirit	Will Forrest and Will Lenard
John Wardall Trophy for Life Saving Instruction	Tom Veit
Dave Fryer Trophy for Outstanding Surf Rescues	Tim Murray, Rob Page and Liam McDermott
President's Award for Service to the Club	Ian Hopkins
Club Captain's Trophy	Margaret Simpson-Lee
Chief Instructor's Award for Best Bronze Medallion Candidates	Kevin McCall (Spring) and Michelle Cowans (Autumn)
Top Gun Award (most hours in a season)	Daniel Fritz
Sandra Fox Woman of the Year	Holly Love

THE FINANCIAL REPORTS WILL BE TABLED AT THE AGM

Club Financial Report



Acknowledgements & Appreciation

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- Australian Government through the National Maritime Museum and the Beach Safety Equipment Fund
- The NSW Government for their support of Surf Lifesaving, for the grant provided this year under the Community Building Partnership 2017 Program and for the grant provided in support of our Migrant Beach Safety Program
- Waverley Council, Councillors and staff for their continued support
- Surf Lifesaving Sydney
- Surf Lifesaving NSW
- Surf Lifesaving Australia
- Brigden Partners, Chartered Accountants
- Simon Exelton – McGrath Estate
- Clovelly Community Bank (Bendigo Bank).

We also thank our many members and members of our community who make donations and/or provide their time to support our fundraising activities.



VALE
*Max Martin, Doug McDonnell
 and John Annand
 all of whom were were Life Members
 of Tamarama SLSC.*

13/4/2018
 TO THE TAMARAMA SURF LIFESAVING CLUB,
 I WISH TO PRESENT THIS CHEQUE TO THE CLUB FOR \$1,500 ON BEHALF OF MY LATE HUSBAND HEDLEY RICHARD SCOTT-CHILD WHO DIED LAST NOVEMBER 2017.
 IN HIS WILL HE REQUESTED THAT THIS SUM OF MONEY SHOULD BE USED IN THE ADVANCEMENT IN SURF LIFESAVING ABSOLUTELY.
 BACK IN 1979 MY HUSBAND WAS RESCUED FROM THE SURF AT TAMARAMA BEACH BY A MEMBER OF YOUR CLUB AFTER BEING CAUGHT IN A RIP.
 OVER THE YEARS HE HAS NEVER FORGOTTEN HOW CLOSE HE CAME TO DROWNING THAT DAY.
 HE ALWAYS REMEMBER THE EFFORT THE LIFESAVER TOOK IN RESCUING HIM AND TWO OTHER PEOPLE IN THE SURF THAT DAY.
 THANK YOU ANDREW FOR RETURNING MY CANL AND I HOPE THIS MONEY CAN BE PUT TO GOOD USE.
 Yours Sincerely,
 Pamela SCOTT-CHILD.

To all those who have lost family or friends during the past season, the Club offers our sincerest condolences.

Together We Will



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