



Issue 1 – July – 2008/2009 Season

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Welcome to the July edition of the Burleigh Heads Mowbray Park SLSC newsletter. The Annual General Meeting was held at the club on Sunday 29th June. I would like to thank the members of the last years committee that decided not to stand again this season, all of your work and effort that you have contributed to the running of the club whilst you have been on the management committee is very much appreciated by all members.

I would like to also welcome the new members that have put their hand up to sit on the committee for the coming season, especially Michael Boyce as Deputy President, Christina Walker as Director of Finance and Property (Treasurer) and Danny Zerbst as Chief Training Officer (Life Saving Director). These positions are very important and are positions that will see these members be on the Management Committee for a number of years (hopefully). They will need a lot of support and guidance to fulfill their positions up to the required standard that has been set by their predecessors. I'm sure that they will receive the support they require, because at Burleigh we support each other to ensure that the club always remains the main focus and our number 1 priority. A full list of the Management Committee for the 2008-2009 is in this newsletter.

Training has started with the seniors and I think the juniors are not far away if the kids have anything to say about it. To all new members and older members please do the right thing and pay your membership, it is imperative that if you are training or using club facilities, remember that to be covered by insurance you must be financial.

At the AGM it was mentioned that we are looking for sponsorship from anyone that would be interested in supporting the club that is to be the next club to be crowned as Surf Life Saving Australian Champion club. With our seniors attaining second place at the National Australian Surf Life Saving titles in Perth last season and our Junior section being crowned as Surf Life Saving Queensland Champion Club, all we have to do is remain as a team and if its not next season it will be the season after. So if you know of any potential sponsors that want a part of it or if you are one your self, please let us know.

A mention of our new web site www.burleighslsc.com.au This web site will be updated weekly for all information that you want from a web site, from the Annual report, newsletters, training session, patrol rosters, etc. So do your self a favour put it in your favourites for easy access.

I welcome all of our new members to Burleigh, I know you will enjoy your time with us which I hope is for the rest of your life within the Life Saving movement.

See you on the beach at Burleigh,

Mick Slattery

Secretary's Report

On behalf of the club members I would like to congratulate Sharon Crichton on being awarded Life Membership of the club at the Annual General Meeting on 29th June 2008. Sharon was Secretary of the club for 10 years, Registrar for 12 years and Chairperson of the Constitution Committee for 12 years. Sharon also has held positions on boards of SLSQ for a number of years.

History was made on that day as Sharon is the first female Life Member of Burleigh Heads Mowbray Park SLSC.

MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE 2008/2009

Executive Committee

President	Michael Slattery	Director of Lifesaving	Daniel Zerbst
Deputy President	Michael Boyce	Director of Surf Sports	Brett Yates
Secretary	Maureen Fleming	Youth Development Officer	Brooke Muir
Treasurer	Kristina O'Connell	Junior Activities Chairman	Tony Martin
Club Captain	Peter Whitty		

CLUB SECURITY

As of the 1st August 2008, members who have not paid their membership for 2008/2009 will not be able to enter the clubhouse with their security fob, as they will have been deactivated from the system. They will be reactivated once the membership is paid.

Captains Report

Welcome back to another Season. The AGM has come and gone and once again, I have been elected as your Club Captain for the Season 2008/2009.

There are some new faces on the Management Committee this season with Life Members Terry Imrie & Titch Forte standing down from their positions as Deputy President and Treasurer respectively these positions were filled by Michael Boyce & Kristina O'Connell.

On the lifesaving side one of the Club's Vice Captains Brent Imrie stood down due to family and work commitments. Brent's support since I have returned as Captain has been greatly appreciated. His assistance and support has helped to make my job as Captain much easier. Our Chief Instructor Alf Mikelat has called it a day and is moving on and taking his expertise on to Branch level. Alf's experience, through his position with Gold Coast City Council, has helped to streamline the National Training Packages presented by S.L.S.A. Brent and Alf's lifesaving experience have not been totally lost as both are still staying on as Patrol Captains. The Club and I thank you both for your dedication to your duties.

I would like to welcome Mark Allardyce to the position as one of the Club's Vice Captains and John Philistin as the other Vice Captain. The position of Chief Training Officer was filled by Danny Zerbst. Welcome aboard and I look forward to working closely with you in the upcoming season. I ask all members to take the time to get to know these gentlemen and work closely with them.

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome a new Life Member, Sharon Crichton. If my memory serves me correctly Sharon is the first female Life Member in Burleigh SLSC. Congratulations Sharon.

You thought I would not say anything – ‘PATROLS’.

You will probably know what I am going to say if you resurrect the Pipeline from this time last year. In case you have forgotten – FULL PATROL UNIFORM IS TO BE WORN WHILST ON PATROL ONLY. From the beginning of the Season please do your rostered patrols when they fall due and we will get on famously.

RESPONSIBILITY - Duty – Onus – Dependability - Accountability

It is your responsibility to fulfill your patrol obligations when they fall due. It is also your responsibility if you cannot fulfill your patrol commitment on the day you are to find a suitable sub. NO IFS – NO BUTS. A kindly reminder – Bronze sub with Bronze, SRC sub with SRC. More patrolling information in Captain’s Column before the Season starts. Your commitment to this procedure would be greatly appreciated.

At the AGM we were updated on the latest proceedings with the redevelopment of the Club house and surrounds. In theory the plans look adequate but there is still more discussion to come on the layout of the floor plans. Personally a court yard would go well in the long term as it would let in natural light and save the Club on electricity charges but short term it may be inconvenient fitting it into the floor plan.

As you read this, the new web site is under construction and you can access it via www.burleighslsc.com.au

Congratulations to the IRB Team. Whilst you were all resting and trying to keep warm the IRB Team was flying the flag for Burleigh and gave it a real hot go. At the State Titles, the U21’s collected two gold and one silver. Congratulations to all involved – officials, supporters and the team.

Congratulations to Jeff and Dawn Luck who will be celebrating their 20th Wedding Anniversary in July.

For the month of July – congratulations to those celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries – Congratulations.

See you on the beach.

Whit



James Street, Burleigh Heads

Memberships

When renewing memberships please complete membership forms correctly updating any incorrect information especially mobile phone numbers and email addresses. This information will be used especially for the patrolling members to remind them of their patrol times in the coming season.

For the Junior Activity members who are not renewing until the sign on days please put your renewal forms somewhere safe and bring them to the sign on. This will make your sign on day much easier and eliminate completing new membership forms.

Anyone who has or is changing addresses, phone numbers, mobile numbers or email addresses please advise Julie on bhmpslsc@bigpond.net.au

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IRB Racing Team Report

This season has proved to be one of Burleigh's finest in the history of IRB Racing. This could not have been achieved without the dedication of Steve Herbert (Team Manager), our officials and each and every IRB team member and supporter; thank you to you all.

The season was capped off with some well deserved state medals, and I'm proud to say each and every team member put in their absolute best effort and we are looking extremely strong for next season!

Queensland State Championships (Dickeys Beach)

Overall Placing = 8th

1st U21 Tube Rescue – Ryan Solomon, Sam Powell and David Bingham.

1st U21 Teams Rescue – Ryan Solomon, Matthew Crooks, Sam Powell, Dean Hofstee, David Bingham and Nicole Allardyce.

2nd U21 Tube Rescue – Matthew Crooks, Dean Hofstee and Steve Puccini

Steve Puccini
Coach

Old Lifesavers Report

BURLEIGH HEADS OLD LIFESAVERS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Please put an advanced note in your diary that the BHMP SLSC Old Lifesavers AGM will be held at the Surf Club on Saturday 25 October.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership of the Old Lifesavers is open to all current and past members and supporters.

It is easy to join, just drop Bruce Mayne a line (b_mayne@bigpond.com) or give him a call. (Ph 3341 4656 or Mob. 0408 774130) Membership is currently only \$10 per annum and payable before the Old Lifesavers AGM in October.

EASTER KEG 2009

Put another advanced note in your diary.

It was previously announced that next years Easter Wooden Kegs would be in honour of Les Mole and Bruce Mayne, however, due to heavy work commitments at that time of the year, Les has had to withdraw.

The honour has now been bestowed upon our big mate, Bill Robinson to join Bruce. For those of you who do not know Bill, he passed his Bronze medallion on 29/11/1958, nearly 50 years ago. Other members of the bronze squad included Stan Bankowaki, John West, Barry Brown, Barry Coghill and Kev Fenner. Bill is a top bloke and one of the first to volunteer to be a member of now famous Burleigh Workforce. Bill also paddles with the Burleigh Old Boys outrigger group and is attempting to organize a March Past Team.

The other honoured member, Bruce is our Old Lifesavers Secretary. Bruce gained his Bronze in March 1964, Instructors in 1969 and Jet Boat Licence in 1974. Bruce did his bronze with Ron Whitmore, Ray Richards, John Knight, Gary Hardie, and Don Wright. Bruce competed as a swimmer and R&R member and held many positions in the Club. A quiet retiring bloke.

Bruce Mayne

Sportsman's Lunch



Friday 26th September 2008

Tickets \$110 each

Put this date in your diary and come along to support your club

And

“Celebrate the Olympics”

~ Exciting guest speakers ~

For tickets, contact Mark Dennis – 0407 163 145

Perth 2009

To date only 1 family has returned the expression of interest form that was due back by 11th July. This date has now been extended to 30th July so please let us know if your going.

We also requested help with the fundraising and to date no one has put their hand up to help.

We cannot organise this trip if we don't know who is going or without some help so please don't leave it to someone else to do or it won't happen.

Please contact Julie if you can assist in any way.

Thanks to our sponsors for their continued support



**Please complete this form below and return it
with your deposit by 30th July 2008**

Name: _____

Contact number: _____ (home) _____ (mobile)

Email: _____

- YES I am going to Perth
- Yes I wish to be involved in fundraising
- No I do not wish to be involved in fundraising

Total number of family members attending: _____

Names: _____

Accommodation preferred -

- Quest on Arlington Apartments - South Perth - \$500 per person
- Broadwater Como Apartments - South Perth - \$600 per person
- I will arrange my own accommodation

I will require freight for the following equipment

- Board
- Ski

Deposit attached: \$ _____ Cash or Cheque

Or

Charge my Credit Card (Visa or Mastercard)

Credit Card Number: _____ Exp date: ____/____

Amount: \$ _____

Or

Debit my credit card in equal instalments of \$ _____ over the following _____ months

(Charges will be debited on the 25th of each month or the next working day and full payment is required by 30/01/09)

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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