



From the desk of.....

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A NOTE FROM THE COMMITTEE....

Well, carnival season is with us again and the now familiar South Curly cap can be seen on the sprint tracks,

in the flags areas, in the water events, and of course in the boat area. To date we have had some significant success with medals of all colours finding homes with our South Curly competitors. To all our competitors, supporters, and groupies....best of luck at the various carnivals.

Our next phase of development is one step closer after some positive meetings with the Council. The proposed changes to the club will see the building capable of handling growth for hopefully at least the next ten years, so with a little luck we can continue to have these works progress.

If anyone is in the market to buy a new Holden Car: one of our members has a Holden Card. This card allows any purchaser to receive an additional discount over and above the best price that has been negotiated. These additional discounts vary between a few hundred dollars up to several thousand dollars, dependent upon what model Holden is being purchased. Always looking for a way to make money for the

club we would propose that if anyone wants to leverage this discount, we could apply the discount as a

donation to the club and issue you with a tax deductible invoice. Any monies raised would go directly

toward the purchase of additional life saving equipment.

The Committee

South Curly Special



Nippers In Action!



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Make a Date!

2011 Club Photo, Championship & Presentations

A full calendar of events for the remainder of the season can be found on the website or via this link- [attached](#)



Nippers Update

Thanks to all our officials who made it possible for all our great Sth Curly competitors to have a go and chase the medals on offer at our Branch Carnival held last Sunday. Remember competitor numbers are capped based on the number of officials clubs provide and next season we are going to be very short of officials and we ask that if your child is a carnival competitor that you do the officials course held before the next season start.

With medals galore we certainly had a successful carnival and watching the kids help each other out and form teams so everyone can have a go was great to see! Our March Past team once again looked superb and their 5th placing proved they can mix it with the gun teams – great job kids and super coach Kylie Skelton!

Our medal winners and finalists:

GOLD

U13, Girls Beach Relay Team, Margot O'Brien, Annie O'Brien, Jamoia Bennett, Bhrianna Roberge

SILVER

U9, Lauren Pilling, Girls Beach Sprint

U12, Boys Beach Relay Team (Trent Settree, Daniel Mulvena, Samuel Allen, Mitch Beach)

U13, Margot O'Brien, Girls Beach Sprint

U13, Annie O'Brien, Girls Beach Flags

U14, Girls Beach Relay Team (Cassie DeRooy, Sam Yeates, Maddie Feledy, Ashleigh Russell)

BRONZE

U8, Taine Allen, Boys Beach Flags

U10, Girls Board Relay Team (Keely Allsop, Caitlyn Yeates, Jess *)

U13, Jamoia Bennett, Girls Beach Flags

Finals Placings to: Riley Schwartz, Ben Allen, Lauren Pilling, Keely Allsop, Mitchell Beach, Tasha Allen, Annie O'Brien, Jamoia Bennett, Lacey Skelton, Margot O'Brien

Well done everyone to come along and represented the club – **GO SOUTH CURLY!**

MAGNETS

If you have paid but not collected your magnet pack please do so from the Uniform Shop. Please consider taking packs to work etc. to help raise money for the club.



Nippers Update continued.....

STATE TEAM

We have around 33 Sth Curly Nippers competing at the State Carnival coming up in March and we wish them all the best. Thanks to all those families making the trip to Kingscliff – a great few days will be had by all as usual with our mess tent slide night, Theme Park trip and dinner at the local rugby club all great fun events the Sth Curly team will be enjoying.

STH CURLY SPECIAL NIPPERS

Our “regulars” weren’t the only nippers enjoying a little competition at the Branch Carnival with our fab special nippers went up against the Newport team in a friendly demo. Our boys were right in amongst it and Xander, Nicholas and Callum showed us what they are made of. Xander took 3rd in the flags to two Newport boys who were about 3 times his size! Go Xander! Our girls were there right to the end with Tasha, Alice and Kate grabbing flags left, right and centre! Girl Power!

We are so pleased to have our great new friends on the beach each Sunday and look forward to them staying with us for a long time. Thanks to Rob, Zulu and all our nipper helpers who are making this program such a great success.

FAREWELL TO THE BLAKE FAMILY

Our terrific U9 Age Manager Adam Blake and his lovely family are moving to the gorgeous Sunshine Coast, Queensland and we’d like to say thanks for all your hard work and for being such great members of Sth Curly. We hope you continue your surflifesaving journey as Sunshine Coast nippers and don’t forget to pop by and say hi when you’re back in town!

Good luck – Adam, Julie, Noah & Ruby.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Sunday 20th Feb – Normal Nippers

Sunday 20th Feb - Sippers 6pm including Club 100 draw

Sunday 27th Feb – Normal Nippers

Sunday 6th March – Last Nippers for the Season & AGM & Presentation

Friday 11th – Sunday 13th March – Nippers State Titles, Kingscliff



Champion Lifesaver

After months of hard training, 7 of our candidates competed in the Champion Lifesaver event at the SNB Open Branch Championships at Collaroy Beach on Saturday February 12th. For most of our competitors this was their first official carnival in such a demanding event which examines not only their expertise in the water and on the beach, but also concentrates on resuscitation and knowledge of the Surf Lifesaving Training Manual. All 7 SCC competitors medalled and are to be congratulated on their outstanding results. Their results are as follows;

1st Place	U19 Womens	Toneya Bennett
	U17 Mens	Liam Yeates
2nd Place	U19 Mens	Jason Roche
	U15 Womens	Caitlin Fuller
	U15 Mens	Josh Yeates
3rd Place	U17 Womens	Kiorie Bennett
	U17 Mens	Andrew Roche

With the State Championships just 4 weeks away, all of our young Cadets will be training very hard so as to secure their entry into the Australian Titles in early April. In the Champion Lifesaver event, you must gain a 1st or 2nd placing at State to be invited to compete at the Aussies.

Hopefully next year a number of our current U14's will consider taking up the challenge and competing in the U15 Champion Lifesaver event.

Patrol Competition

We also entered an U17 team in the Patrol Competition at the Open Branch Championships, but unfortunately the event was cancelled as not enough teams had entered. Hopefully this will change at the State Championships and our team will gain a 1st or 2nd place which will enable them to compete at the Aussies.

Bill Yeates



Champion Lifesaver contin- ued.....



Photos by Leonie Bennett



Cadet Update

With the start of a new year comes the commencement of the open Surf Carnivals and SCC has had representation at all three branch carnivals held to date.

Queenscliff Carnival

The first carnival was at Queenscliff and we had a team of 22 competitors from U13 to U19. Overall the club finished 8th out of the 42 clubs represented that day, this includes results from the Boats who also performed particularly well on the day. This is a great result for our club and the all of those involved in competing and training. Some of the results included:

U17 Mens Sprint: Liam Yeates – 6th

U17 Mens Sprint Relay: Liam, Andrew Roche, Hal Witney-Cochrane, Josh Yeates – 3rd

U17 Womens Sprint Relay: Maddi Jones, Daana Stoker, Tamara Harrison, Caz Russell – 2nd

U14 Mens Sprint: Zealynd Thompson – 4th

U14 Mens Sprint: Dominic Duran – 6th

Lara Campbell – 4th **U14 Womens Sprint, 3rd Flags**

U13 Women Sprint – 1st Margot O'Brien, 2nd Jamoia Bennett, 3rd Annie O'Brien, 5th Brhian-non Roberge, 6th Rachel Spiteri

U13 Womens Flags – 1st Annie O'Brien, 2nd Margot O'Brien, 3rd Jamoia Bennett, 4th Briannon Roberge, 5th Lacey Skelton, 6th Rachel Spiteri

Honourable mention to Daana Stoker who had her first crack at the surf ski.

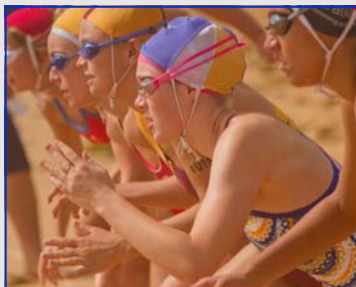
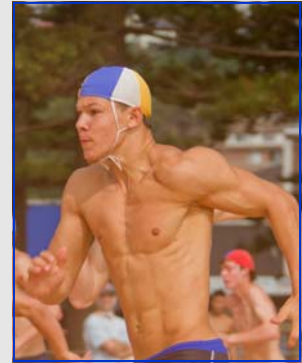
Sunday Mornings

Sunday mornings this season have been kicking off at 8:30 for the cadets and I must congratulate the U15's who certainly show a lot more enthusiasm and commitment than the U17's. This group has gone through Nippers with Peter Yeates and now are getting in some early training for their Bronze medallion with Bucko and me. Some new members in this age group are progressing extremely well given they are brand new to surf lifesaving this season. They are all participating in board paddling and when conditions allow some adventures on the indo's.

We propose to put the U15's through their Bronze assessments in the same way we did last year's group; that is we will complete our Part B (water components) at the end of this season while the water temp is still favourable. We will then complete the Part A (Dry components) at the beginning of next season.



Cadet Update



PS. You may have noticed the stylish new South Curly cossies being worn by some of the cadets, they're only available for U15s and above — some of the older club members couldn't help but get in on the act — our President not least amongst them!



If despite the images above, you're interested in purchasing your own stylish cossie, see Lisa in the clothing room.

Spook's (Important) Stuff!!!

Proposed Talent Night - 1 May 2011

South Curly is attempting to resurrect the Talent Night. It's been proposed that this take place on the afternoon/evening following the South Curly Annual Ocean Swim. Anyone interested in reserving a space on the 'talent' list (individual, duo or team) should contact Kevin Moffat (Spook) via phone or email providing a brief outline of their act by 28th February. If there is insufficient interest the event will be cancelled. Email: liane@people.net.au or phone 99051146 ... or catch him at the beach.

It's your opportunity to take the stage and make your debut - show us another side of you!

Surf Race Points Update

Event 9 - 6 February 2011

<u>Name</u>		<u>Cumulative Points</u>
FULLER	TOM	31
RATH	LIZ	24
CARLEY	JAMES	22
NOVACS	KRISTA	20
ROSE	STEVE	19
BENNET	KI ORI	18
MULLEN	KEVIN	18
RUSSELL	BRYN	17
SAUNDERS	ALISTAIR	17
DOMINISH	GRAEME	16
ALLEN	PETER	15
DOSSETOR	GRAEME	15
MULVEY	TONY	13
DIGGINS	JOHN	12
DOSSETOR	VICTOR	12
YEATES	JOSHUA	12
FULLER	KATHY	11
TURNER	TOM	11
BROWN	ERIC	10
CAMPBELL	NEIL	10
DOBRIJEVITCH	MICHAEL	10
FULLER	KAITLIN	10
ROBERTS	DICK	10
BENNETT	TONEYA	9
FLEMMING	CHRIS	9

Social & Fundraising



Join South Curly's 1000 Club



to win CASH prizes !!\$\$\$!!!!

\$200 \$200 \$500 \$1,500 \$2,000

HALF NUMBERS SOLD SO BE QUICK!

Draws to be held at Sippers :
25th Jan, 20th Feb & 27th March 2011

Please contact Cathie Dossetor on
9905 3086 or email: dossetors@afis.com.au

Payments made via payment gateway or directly to Cathie/Laura Gray.

YOU'VE GOT TO BE IN IT TO WIN
IT!

Surf, Sand, Smiles and Sunshine!

The Annual South Curly Action Photo Sale will take place on Sunday Feb 27th in the clubhouse, during and after Nippers.

This is your chance to grab a lasting memory of your nipper in action *AND* raise money for the club at the same time. Photos from the season (regular Sunday sessions and Carnivals too) will be available for viewing and purchase. Orders placed will be delivered the following Sunday.

Prints or softcopies available at great prices — make sure you come and take a look
For further information contact vivienne@maviimages.com.au

Social & Fundraising

Old Ducks for a New duck !!

Or maybe just — Ducks for a Duck

We are now garnering interest for a second edition of “ the mums of south Curl Curl Calendar “, to be launched in time for this years sound Waves

I know, I know everyone says not me, no way.. but read on.

Firstly it is a big tick in the bucket list,

Secondly, we wont stop until you look great.

Third and most Importantly, with our big growth in members and Corporate Support our realistic profit target is around \$ 15 000 !!! and that ladies will just about cover the cost of a brand new inflatable rescue boat, that could and probably will, save a life over the course of its life at South Curl Curl

Ok, how scary is it ? not very. My experience was that all the mums turned up Sh&%tting bricks, but like pulling a band aid soon relaxed, although they will probably deny it, most if not all had a positive experience, no regrets and left laughing (and often tipsy). Some showed about as much skin as an Islamic stripper, so relax there are no rules, its up to you and your comfort levels.

Ladies at this stage I have about 4 brave mums, I need about another four to make it work. You can team up with a buddy or group if you like. Bring your hubby/sister/friend along for support etc etc, beer, wine etc is not only not frowned upon it is actively encouraged. We will try and get it done over a single session for everyone at an idyllic Northern Beach location. And Yes I am exceptional at Photoshop, you can request, tummy tucks, skin smoothing, golden tans etc just like in the magazines. I can airbrush the Christmas out of you if that's what you need to make this a goer..

If you have even the slightest, no obligation, interest in finding our more please send me an email. We will then have a coffee morning with the previous mums and you guys can chat about whats involved, how it works etc and make a decision from there.

Does it matter about your age, size, weight etc !! absolutely not, by the time I finish with the airbrush you will all look like Kate Moss (just kidding, we are after a degree of naturalness in our mums), whilst we were lucky enough to only have drop dead stunners apply for the first one (hehe, they made me say that) we are again open to all comers...

Previous applicants need apply!! That's right those of you who missed out due to a massive over subscription of mums in the first calendar now have the chance to rectify.

Good luck with this bold decision.

Rob Lowery

LIME Photography

Lake Tabourie Club Trip

Just a reminder that the end of season trip will take place from 14-16 April 2010 (depart 17th) - being school holidays, you can stay longer if you wish to do so privately. As usual, catering will be provided Thursday, Friday and Saturday only. Sunday is departure day for most and supplies

will be limited to what's left over for breakfast.

Deposits are now due. Any family/person that has not paid their deposit by the end of February will lose their booking and that booking/cabin/site will become available to other members in the club. Anyone not already booked will need to do so directly with the park, and should let them know you're part of the South Curly booking to get your discount (1 free night if booking more than 2 nights)... Please send an email to janice.russell01@gmail.com to be included in the group

email which will give all the details about the trip.

Contact details for the park are:

tabourie@shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au

Toll free 1300 559 966

Phone fax 02 44573011

Janice Russell

Bulletin Board

The final round of the "Fastest Man on Sand" will be held on Sunday 6th March 2011 at Mooloolaba.

Date & Venue

Sunday 6th March 2011 Mooloolaba

Club Entries

Entries are invited from all Clubs throughout Australia. The method of entry is via the Surf mate Carnival Program for all Queensland Clubs.

NB: Any interstate and/or international entries must be submitted with State endorsement.

Entries close

On Monday 28th February 2011 for event to be conducted on Saturday 5th March 2011 at Mooloolaba

Entry Fees

Under 11 to Under 14 Age groups - \$13.20 per person (inc GST - unlimited events per round of series)

Funnies.....

After having dug to a depth of 10 feet last year, British scientists found traces of copper wire dating back 200 years and came to the conclusion that their ancestors already had a telephone network more than 150 years ago.

Not to be outdone by the Brit's, in the weeks that followed, an American archaeologist dug to a depth of 20 feet, and shortly after, a story published in the New York Times: "American archaeologists, finding traces of 250-year-old copper wire, have concluded that their ancestors already had an advanced high-tech communications network 100 years earlier than the British".

One week later, the state's Dept of Minerals and Energy in Western Australia , reported the following:

"After digging as deep as 30 feet in Western Australia 's Pilbara region, Jack Lucknow, a self-taught archaeologist, reported that he found absolutely nothing. Jack has therefore concluded that 250 years ago, Australia had already gone wireless."

Just makes you bloody proud to be Australian, don't it!

Thank You to all our Sponsors

