

60th Annual Report & Financial Statements 2015/16

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Honour Roll – 2015/16

Board of Directors

President Secretary Director of Finance Director of Member Services Director of Education & Training Director of Education & Training Director of Lifesaving Services Director of Surf Sports Director of Surf Sports Director of Facilities Director of Youth & Development Director Partnerships and Marketing Peter Zuill Brenda Thornton David Afford Anne Green Graeme Cunningham Sarah Tinkham Christine Newberry Paul Rafanelli Melissa Davis-Bishop Owen McLeod

Club Officers (non Voting)

Hon Auditor **Beach Captain Board Captain** Ski Captain **Boat Captain** Swim Captain March Past Captain **Pool Competition Captain IRB** Competition Captain Lifesaving Competition Captain **Board Riding Captain Masters** Coordinator Nominations Officer Gear Steward **Publicity Officer Power Craft Captain Radio Officer** First Aid Officer **Sponsorship Officers** Lifesaving Board Representative **Club Resource Officer Key Monitor** Website **Touring Team Planner** Club Swim Co-Coordinator Head Coach **Officials Coordinator**

PCG Accountants and Advisors Jess Rafanelli **Benjamin Zuill** Cat McArthur Jim Hettner Matthew Zuill Kay Dempsey Sarah Goodwin / Max Richardson Dom Green Elena Davis Dave Green Jo Varney **Bonnie Richardson** Brad Barreau Peter Zuill Darren Tinkham **Tracy Afford** Kirsten McNamara David Afford Sarah Tinkham Brad Barreau David Afford Christine Newberry **Christine Newberry Stephen Perry** Stephen Perry Linda Fox

Other Committees

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Disciplinary Committee	President			
	Life Members			
Budget Committee	President			
	Director of Facilities			
	Director of Finance			
Constitution Review	President			
Committee	Secretary			
	Director of Members Services			
Trophy Committee	Secretary / Director of Members Services			
	Director of Surf Sports			
	Director of Life Saving Services			
Life Membership	President			
Committee	Life Members			
	Warren Fry			
	Stephen Perry			
	Kay Dempsey			
	Melissa Davis-Bishop			
	Dennis Hay			
	Greg Perry			
Life Saving Services	Director of Life Saving Services			
Committee	Club Resource Officer			
	First Aid Officer			
	Power Craft Officer			
	Radio Officer			
	Patrol Captains			
Building Committee	Kevin Richardson			
	Paul Rafanelli			
	David Afford			
	Steve Perry			
Conversion				
Sponsorship	Director of Partnerships and Marketing			
Sub-Committee	Director of Finance			
Top Room	Director of Facilities			
	Cafe Manager			
	Norm Collins			

President's Report

The Club continues to grow in all areas and was recognised this year as SLSSA Club of the Year and Clubs SA Best Small Club. A true indication that the community is also noticing the fantastic work we do. It was again an honour for me to be President of the Club given the great achievements of this season. I would like to thank all the Board Members for their support and efforts throughout this season.

Member Services

This year the Presentation Night was a great success and well attended. A number of people have already commented on this being the best one yet. Well done to Anne, Brenda, Christine, Sarah, Mel, Graeme and the Café Staff for a great evening. Thanks also to Kevin Richardson for performing the MC role again.

This year Brian Burrowes was recognised for his efforts over the season when he was named Club Person of the Year. Brian also received the award for most patrol hours and Official of the Year.

Finance

Another strong performance by the club and Café financially. Whilst the amount of actual money in the bank is steady, we had some significant Capital expenditure this season. As we head towards the new Club Development, we will need to start accumulating more cash funds. Thanks to Dave for his efforts and look forward to continuing this success.

Facilities

The Club had some minor maintenance over the season, and some improvements, in particular the artificial lawn on the slab. The new storage shed at Adelaide Shores was signed off and has all but been completed.

Thanks again to Paul Rafanelli and the Café Staff led by Kate. They continued to provide a very profitable income stream for the club to allow us to operate.

Lifesaving Services

Patrols performed well again this year. There were more outpost hours performed at Adelaide Shores and there are plans at looking to extend our presence on the beach even more in the coming seasons. We are looking at options to provide a better coverage of service to the community involving a move away from traditional patrol methods during these extended hours. Thanks again to Sarah on a great Season.

Training and Education

Once again Graeme and his team processed many proficiencies as well as providing extra courses to up skill our members. We continue to bring new members into the association as well, however numbers remain constant. To continue to grow we will need to look at retention as well.

Surf Sports

Winning Back to Back State Championships is a great accomplishment and congratulations to Christine Newberry and her team on achieving this. We continue to set higher goals for ourselves and there is still a lot the club can achieve at the National and International level if we want.

Youth Development

Numbers at Juniors increased this season, even after the change to the U14's in moving them to the Senior Club. Congratulations to Mel Davis-Bishop in continuing to build this area and managing the transition of the U14 Age Group into Seniors.

Peter Zuill President

Member Services

The 2015/16 season was another very successful season in regards to membership.

As a result of the success of this, this season the West Beach SLSC ran another Open Day to kick things off on our first day of the season and although held a week after most other clubs, it did not seem to detract from the numbers of new Nippers. This has also been helped also by the introduction of the SPORTS VOUCHER initiative. I would like to thank everyone who helped out with all the new enquiries and re registering of members on the day, In particular Mel Davis-Bishop, Leca Reading and Lynne Rush. It was a strong start to the season, helped by the weather.

Our uniform shop took a new direction this year, with the introduction of our new bather's designs from FINZ with the first order selling out very quickly. Weekly we had a great team of volunteers helping out on Saturdays. A big thank you to Tracy Ellis, Jan Walters and Kirsty Day.

I would like to thank both Mel Davis-Bishop and Christine Newberry again this season for updating the web page as required.

The 2015/16 season also saw the continued evolution of the West Beach web pages and the take over as our main form of communication. We currently have 390 members signed up to the app and getting our alerts every week. Every Friday the weekend events are up loaded for all to read, it lets everyone add your patrol dates to your phone calendar, carnival dates / times and locations. Our aim is to keep you informed weekly and have one place to find all the information you might need. The app has been accepted well by members and appears to have been very successful but we hope to get even better next year with the information we are sending.

The Senior Presentation Dinner was very successful with a timely program. The presentation went smoothly and the speeches

were fantastic. I would like to thank Kevin Richardson for accepting the challenging role of MC again this season and keeping everyone running on time and to the other Board members who all helped by providing me with the necessary information for the night and also to the Café Staff for the great food on the night.

This year is the clubs 60th Anniversary and we are celebrating with a black tie dinner the organisation for this has been enormous. Tickets are still available at \$100 until the 31st May so get in early because they will go up to \$130.

I would to thank the West Beach SLSC community for all their support during my first season on the Board.

Anne Green Director of Member Services

Active Members (Senior) - 188

Afford	David	Ellis	Тгасу	Lindsay	Sarah
Afford	Mitchell	Falster	Georgy	Linke	Sally
Afford	Тгасу	Farmer	Gavan	Liptak	Patrick
Afrah	Sajad	Fennell	Neil	Macleod	Alexander
Alexander	Emily	Fillery	David	Mangos	Arthur
Bagherishorgoli	Erfan	Finck	Peter	Martel	Candace
Ballaben	Peter	Fitzgerald	Scott	Mather	Timothy
Barreau	Bradley	Fox	Peter	McArthur	Briny
Batty	Holly	Gava	David	McArthur	Catherine
Bee	Jenny	Gilbert	Gary	McArthur	Glenda
Beitz	Andrew	Goodfellow	Briony	McArthur	John
Bell	Rachel	Goodwin	Sarah	MCCULLOCH	Barry
Bergmann	Rhea	Green	Anne	McIntosh	Brendan
Boag	Simon	Green	David	McLeod	Daphne
Boag	Simone	Green	Dominic	McLeod	David
Borlase	Darryl	Griffin	Timothy	McLeod	Owen
Brazenall	Georgia	Hahn	Scott	McManus	Peter
Burrowes	Brian	Hall	Jordan	Minshall	karen
Butler	Marc	Harman	Lola	Molloy	Samuel
Cappelluti	Alison	Harman	Michael	Morgan	Matthew
Carter	Nick	Hartas	Bree	Morrison-Butler	Jocelyn
Carter	Thomas	Hartas	Mike	Murchland	Bronte
Cavanagh	Katie	Hettner	Jack	Murchland	Don
Cenko	Paul	Hettner	Jim	Murchland	James
Claridge	Lisette	Hettner	Marcus	Nash	Antoni
Clifford	Liam	Hettner	Robert	Nash	Sarah
Collins	Norm	Hettner	Sean	Nazimi	Leila
Conlon	Chris	Hewett	Tim	Newberry	Christine
Conlon	Michaela	Hofer	Heinrich	Newberry	Damian
Conroy	Sandra	Hollis	Jason	Nolte	Delia
Copping	Paul	Holt	Steven	Olsen	Deann
Cullen	Nancy	Holt	Tracey	Ostrognay	Nicole
Cunningham	Graeme	Humphries	Gregory	Ostrognay	Rodney
Curtis	Kate	Humphries	Paul	Parmenter	Maria
Cutting	Leah	Ireland	Jessica	Peirovsavet	Nima
Davies	Joanna	Jenkin	Matthew	Peres	Rodrigo
Davis	Elena	Joyce	Tanya	Perry	Sally
Dawkins	Phil	Juniper	David	Piscioneri	Ned
Dedai	Sean	Kirkham	Andrew	Politis	Jade
Denton	Jason	Kither	Christopher	Price	Ceri-jane
Domarecki	Margaret	Klass	Jett	Price	Sarah
Dwyer	Nicole	Klass	Lorenz	Pronk	Mark
Eastwood	Lynda	Levy	Mike	Pugliese	Steve
Edwards	Peter	Lewis	Benjamin	Rafanelli	Bray
Ellis	Damien	Li	Yang	Rafanelli	Jess
Ellis	Jayden	Lindsay	Colin	Rafanelli	Paul

Rafanelli	Tracy	Schultz	Todd	Tinkham	Darren		
Reading	Leca	Scott	Thomas	Tinkham	Sarah		
Reinke	Sharon	Scutchings	David	Vannan	Kathleen		
Richardson	Kevin	Shahmorad	Touraj	Varney	Josephine		
Robinson	Sue	Sharp	Matthew	Varney	Michael		
Ross	Karen	Simpson	Grant	Walkden	Michael		
Rush	Lynn	Snell	Peter	Ward	Adam		
Ryan	Zachary	Staples	Jacqueline	Ward	Justin		
Rурр	George	Stevens	Malcolm	Watson	Kudnarto		
Rурр	Glenn	Stevenson	James	Weydling	Peter		
Rурр	Steven	Summerton	Kylie	Winton	Kirsten		
Saidi	Cecile	Sutcliffe	Joanne	Yeates	Sue		
SAIDI	Ibrahim	Talbot	Martyn	Yon	Simon		
Saidi	sophie	Thomas	Anthony	Zuill	Benjamin		
Salter	Sonya	Thorne	Darren	Zuill	Matthew		
Sandery	Michelle	Thorne	Elizabeth	Zuill	Zorica		
Scheffel	Kim	Thornton	Brenda				
Active Members (U14 to U19) – 101							
Backen	Ruby	Fox	Carla	Levy	Conor		
Barreau	Brooke	Fox	Laura	Levy	Eimear		

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Barreau	Brooke	Fox	Laura	Levy	Eimear
Barreau	Lochie	Goldner	Kelsey	Lindsay	Hamish
Black	Amy	Goldner	Mitchell	Lindsay	Jayden
Boag	Jesse	Gray	Lucinda	Lock	Aidan
Boag	Lachie	Green	Jordan	Lock	Larissa
Borlase	Ella	Green	Sebastian	Loughry	Lincoln
Borlase	James	Hart	Joseph	MacDonald	Jasmine
Claridge	Emilie	Hettner	Alyson	MacDonald	Scott
Collins	Jay	Hettner	Courtney	Mead	Gretel
Collins	Tori	Hettner	Kate	Morrison-Butler	Andrew
Conlon	Ashleigh	Hettner	Nathan	Morrison-Butler	Asha
Conroy	Tayla	Highett	Billie	Morrison-Butler	Jessica
Cunningham	Jessica	Highett	Jordan	Nash	Harry
Cunningham	Mitchell	Hill	Catlin	Nash	Jack
Dawkins	Harrison	Holt	Fraser	Newberry	Ellen
Dawkins	Joshua	Holt	Lachlan	Newberry	Ryland
Day	William	Huggett	Alexandra	Newberry	Thomas
Denton	Liam	Huntington	River	O Brien	Taylor
Denton	Zoe	Jarvis	Lachlan	Payne	William
Eastwood	Myles	Jenkin	Samuel	Pena	Roxanne
Ellis	Charles	Jessup	Brittany	Perry	Emma
Ellis	Chelsea	Jones	Abbey	Perry	Matilda
Ellis	Jesse	Kahsay	Michael	Роре	Sophie
Elmes	Kellie	Klass	River	Reading	Amy
Fillery	Bonnie	Klass	Saxon	Rezaei	Arash
Fillery	Eamon	Klass	Velvet	Rezuani	Shiva

Richardson	Max	SULEIMAN	Hidaya	Thomas	Abby
Roberts	Olivia	Suleiman	scholar	Thorne	Abby
Rose	Emma	SULEIMAN	Yvonne	Thorne	Emma
Saidi	Hadija	Suttie	Lewis	Varney	Cameron
Samiei Ashtiani	sobhan	Talbot	Charlie	Zuill	Georgia
Stevenson	Asta	Talbot	Courtney	Zuill	Sophie
Stevenson	Jett	Talbot	Tayler		

Junior Members (U6 to U13) - 158

Barreau	Skip	Eyre	Xavier	Leonard Price	Zac
Beaumont	Isabella	Finch	Рорру	Lewis	Daisy
Beaumont	Lucy	Foster Borg	Caitlin	Lewis	Ella
Bell	Madelynn	Gauvin	Eliza	Lewis	Riley
Bell	Mitchell	Graefling	Oscar	Mackay	Jay
Benger	Edie	Graefling	Saralouise	Mackay	Macklen
Benger	Stella	Green	Harrison	Mangos	Ethan
Berry	Abigail	Griffiths	Archie	Marsh	Ruby
Bills	Ebony	Griffiths	Finn	Martel	Gabriel
Boag	Ella	Hahn	Bailey	Martel	Kyla
Booth	Amelia	Hahn	Lucas	Martel	Nicole
Borlase	Isobel	Hall	Charlotte	Materne	Charlie
Boulden	Amelia	Hall	Lachlan	Materne	Georgia
Boulden	Daniel	Hartas	Madelaine	Mclean	Brodie
Bowman	Abby	Hartas	Sebastian	Mead	Hugo
Bowman	Ryan	Hendrie	Tayla	Minshall	Evan
Breen	Sophie	Hettner	Michael	Minshall	Sadie
Brown	Millie	Higgins	Amelia	Morgan	Declan
Bullen	Angus	Higgins	Logan	Morgan	Marcus
Busolin	Kasia	Higgins	Taylee	Morrison-Butler	Jack
Carberry	Aiden	Highett	Alex	Morrison-Butler	Tristan
Carberry	Harrison	Highett	Rhys	Murray	Alexander
Cenko	Oliver	Hodges	Cody	Murray	Ella
Collison	Isaiah	Hodges	Lily-ann	Nash	Ben
Collison	Noah	Hollis	Lawson	Newberry	Edward
Collison	Ryder	Hudswell	Jack	Nuttall	Ebony
Conlon	Hayley	Hudswell	Summer	Ostrognay	James
Conroy	Rylee	Jarret	Eilidh	Ostrognay	Stella
Cusack	Jasper	Jarret	Isla	Pascoe	Xavier
Darcey	Henry	Jarret	Niamh	Pearce	Kiana
Davis	Nicolas	Jenkin	Henry	Pietrafesa-Smith	Vincenzo
Dawkins	Tayla	Jenkin	Jack	Pronk	Maisy
Day	Hannah	Jones	Cai	Pronk	Noah
Dyer	Mikayla	Kerak	Lukas	Pugliese	Isaac
Dyer-Bruno	Mia	Kirkham	Nathan	Pugliese	Jessica
Eastwood-	Charlia	Lawson	Hayley	Reading	Molly
Walkden	Charlie	Lawson	Kelsea	Reid	Ben
Ellis	Nathaniel				

Reid	Lucy	Slattery	Lachlan	Tode	Muse
Reid	Nick	Speirs	Claudia	Toole	Patrick
Robb	Hudson	Stevenson	Zane	Toole	Piper
Robb	Jaime	Stewart	Daniel	Torrent	Holly
Robinson	Sidney	Sturm	Hanna	Truslove	Chelsea
Robinson	Sienna	Sturm	Megan	Varney	Oliver
Roche	Zara	Sullivan	Alexandra	Wakelin	Grace
Schultz	Connor	Sullivan	Francesca	Wakelin	Milla
Schultz	Riley	Sullivan	Max	Westerhof	Riley
Scutchings	Lara	Suttie	Finlay	Williams	Chas
Scutchings	Max	Suzuki	Risako	Williams	Harriet
Searle	Ryan	Suzuki	Shuntaro	Williams	Joshua
Simm	Alexis	Tarrent	Faith	Williams	Sascha
Simon	Marlee	Tavella	Max	Yeates	Jasmine
Simpson	Felix	Thomas	Lily	Yolland	Finlay
Slattery	Alex	Thomas	Ruby		

Life Members (Registered) – 16

Baker	Robert	Нау	Aina	Richardson	Todd
Cunningham	Stuart	Нау	Dennis	Taylor	Peter
Dale	James	Hoyle	William	Wilson	Robert
Davis-Bishop	Melissa	Perry	Gregory	Zuill	Peter
Dempsey	Кау	Perry	Stephen		
Fry	Warren	Richardson	David		

Life Members (Not Registered) – 17

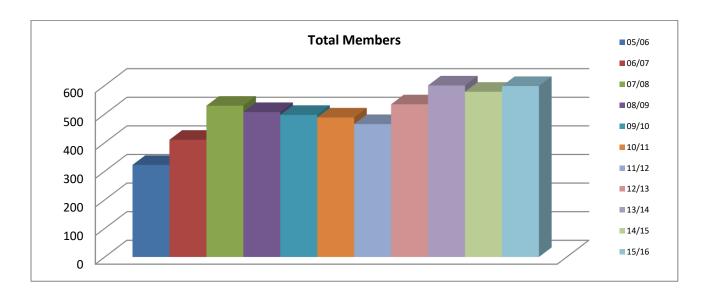
Bird	Jeffrey	Harvey-Crowson	William	Minter	Graham
Bishop	Barrie	Hobbs	Peter	Pickering	Michael
Cameron	Mel	Hodges	Neil	Pepere	Wallace
Fry	Dennis	Jessen	Rainer	Schultz	Robert
Gamlin	Maxwell	Juniper	Peter	Trengove	Stephen
Green	Frederick	Maloney	Barry		

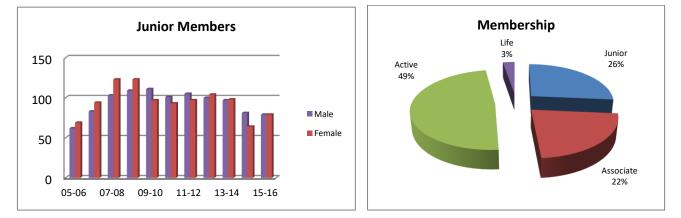
Associate Members – 134

Afford	Brett	Borlase	Jenny	Cartan	Greg
Amanatidis	Рорі	Bouden	Colin	Cenko	Kate
Arnold	Graeme	Bowman	Alison	Chehade	Jackie
Barreau	Kerrin	Bowman	lain	Collins	Lynne
Beaumont	Claire	Bradley	Bill	Collison	Nick
Bell	Wayne	Bradley	Pat	Conlon	Barbara
Bennett	June	Breen	Melissa	Connelly	Stephen
Bennett	Roger	Bullen	Bernadette	Cuma	Lauren
Berry	Belinda	Bullen	Rachel	Cunningham	Karen
Bills	Leah	Burdett	Les	Darcey	Rebecca
Booth	Darren	Carberry	Jenni	Dawkins	Carolyn

Day	Kersty	Kirk	Daniel	Ross	Nicola
Day	Trent	Klass	Tess	Russell	Anne-Marie
Denton	Donna	Kneebone	Joanne	Курр	Kim
Domarecki	Megan	Lawson	Rachel	Searle	Doug
Dunsmuir	Richard	Levy	Katheen	Simon	Emily
dyer	david	Lewis	Adam	Simpson	, Ali
Ellis	Felicity	Lewis	Jenny	Slattery	France
Fiebger	, Rebecca	Lock	Briony	, Smith	Heather
Fillery	Helen	Lock	Steven	Smith	Rob
Finch	Kirsty	Mackay	Sue	Stevens	James
ford	Geoffrey	Mangan-Jones	Naomi	Stevenson	Simone
Fox	Linda	Mangos	Con	Stewart	Noleen
Fraser	lan	Marsh	Judith	Sturm	Kate
Fraser	Sheila	Martel	Hernan	Sullivan	Jamie
Goldner	James	Matthew	Kym	Suzuki	Yasuyuki
Goldner	Julie	McArthur	James	Tavella	Corey
Graefling	Jason	Mcfarlane	Alan	Thornton	Anne
Gray	David	Mclean	Jo	Truslove	Blake
Grimley	Michael	McLeod	Gordon	Vilkinas	Tricia
Gyles	Don	Mead	Kirsty	Villa	Natalia
Gyles	Sue	Murchland	Rhonda	Wakelin	James
Hall	Chris	Nuttall	Carley	Walcynski	Emma
Henderson	Stephen	O Brien	Helen	Walters	Jan
Hendrie	Matthew	Packer	Karen	Watkins	Julianne
Higgins	Brooke	Pancewicz	Elena	Weserhof	Leisa
Highett	Susan	Payne	Carly	Westerhof	Leisa
Hudswell	Amanda	Pearce	Darryl	Williams	Gary
Humphries	Ethan	Pronk	Heather	Williams	Leanne
Hunter	Keith	Reid	Noami	Williams	Sally
Jarrett	Brett	Richardson	Bonnie	Williams	Sam
Jenkin	Naomi	Richardson	Melinda	Willis	Annette
Kelson	Allan	Robb	Stuart	Woud	Gerald
Kerakova	Karina	Robinson	Shane	Yolland	Gemma
Kinac	Zenon	Rose	Jessica		

Membership Statistics





Note: Reporting of U14 membership has moved from 'Juniors' into 'Active'

Finance

Another strong year on and off the beach, with strong sales activity the "Clubs" asset and finance position continues to grow.

Our Building Fund currently sits at \$88,740.00. This number is made up of a carry-over amount from 2015 of \$28,420, and the increased 2016 number is made up of \$5,320.00 being contributed by members with the remaining \$54,680.00 coming from general revenue.

The "Cafe" has had a very strong year generating a profit of \$133,800.00, an increase of \$25,692 over the 2015 result. Kate's financial acumen continues to grow which in turn enhancing her teams understanding of the need to look outside the square for additional profitable sales opportunities. Credit for the sales and profit growth must also be given to Norm Collins and Paul Rafanelli for the time they have spent mentoring Kate. The Café closing inventory sits at \$52,839.00 up by \$30,844.00 over last year. The reason for this is a business strategy to bulk buy to receive greater discounts. (For each 10 beer kegs ordered we received 1 free meaning extra profit of \$5,000.00, and for each 10 cartons of wine ordered we received 1 free carton meaning extra profit of \$1,800.00 = \$6800.00) Simply put, we all know fixed term interest rates are very low meaning the extra stock generates more money than money in the bank.

Asset expenditure this year was \$174,396.35 compared to \$14,533.09 last year with the larger amounts listed below.

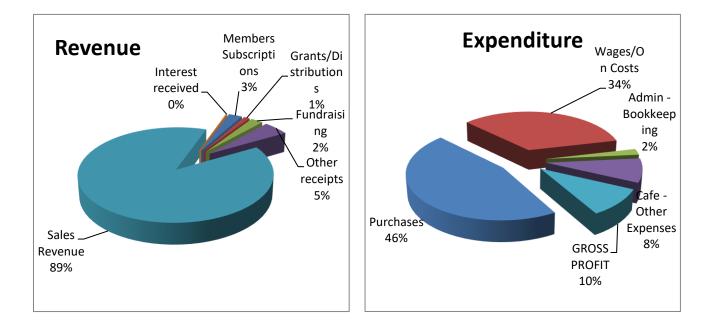
New Shed	\$47,182.00
Furniture and Fittings	\$15,185.49
New Café Point of Sale Computer System	\$23,558.27
Clymer Row Boat	\$27,000.00
IRB & Motor	\$18,500.00
Competition Trailer	\$7,000.00

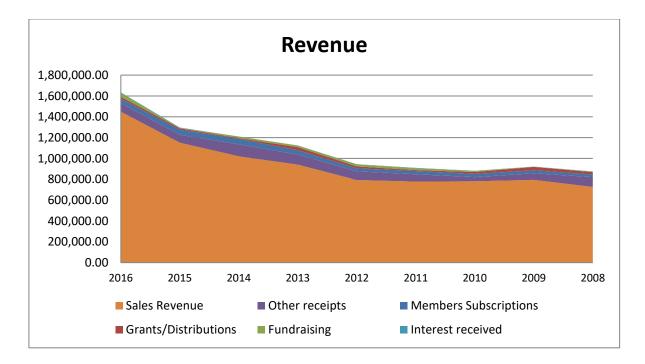
Club fundraising grew to \$38,592.71 an increase of \$35,112.94 over the previous year with the larger amounts listed below. I think everyone would agree a fantastic result showing what is achievable when each area pulls together.

Surf Sport	\$3,751.55
Boaties	\$13,863.45
Juniors Quiz Night	\$2,234.55
Juniors	\$6,199.09

The above and numerous other items resulted in the "Surf Club" as a whole generating a total cash position at year-end of \$203,888.69 down by \$24,846.59 on the previous year.

David Afford Finance Director





Tin Shedders

Well another year has gone and we haven't lost one Tin Shedder to that Surf Club in the sky, allbe-it a few of the boys have had some serious issues over the past twelve months.

Janis Jonats and Leon Eddy are still struggling a bit but on the way to recovery. However Barry Maloney, sadly has had to be placed in care with Alzheimer's. We are keeping in touch with Dorothy, his wife and are just monitoring his progress. In November 2015 we celebrated our 60th birthday with a function in the club café which was also attended by invited members of your Management team. It was a fun night with interviews with a few Senior members, giving us an update on finances, competition and new clubhouse progress, together with a few of the old fella's in costume march past bathers (aided by walking frames and walking sticks - not a pretty sight) showing off their skills marching to Waltzing Matilda played by the Scottish Caledonian Pipe Band.

And for those of you who are wondering why the Tin Shedders celebrated last year, and the club is celebrating this year it's because we consider November 1955 as the year the club was officially formed, whereas you consider it's first year of patrols, 1956 as it's first year. It doesn't really matter, and it gives us the opportunity to have two celebrations for each birthday milestone.

The BBQ boys are still at Bunnings Mile End once a month. In April we completed our 54th BBQ and after our May event we will have raised more than \$50,000.00 for our club.

The current bank balance stands at \$19,000.00 of which \$10,000.00 is committed to your new surf boat which I think is due for launching towards the end of this year.

A group of us still meet for lunch once a month in the club cafe and we thank Kate, Jess, Jo' and all the staff for their great service and culinary delights. Our congratulations go to all club members for your achievements during the 2015/2016 season. Keep up the amazing work, because you are all an integral part of a great surf life saving club - West Beach.

Neil Hodges Life Member for the Tin Shedders group



Facilities

Continual changes throughout the Café has seen a remarkable twelve months culminating in record revenue and a very strong financial bottom line. Featuring the refurbished slab area which was transformed with new artificial turf, chairs, tables and breakfast bench creating a relax environment to have a drink or a delicious meal.

Music has been a popular aspect in maintaining excellent patronage throughout the summer on Sundays and has been maintained on most Friday nights.

Other new developments which have occurred

- New Point Of Sales (new tills)
- TV under pergola
- Cooling refrigerator
- New uniform cupboards
- New bench in top room

The club was continually been sought after for functions and held numerous club events throughout the year, which were a big success and included the ever popular New Year's Eve show which was sold out once again.

An important role that cannot be underestimated are the many hours that club members put in to help maintain the facilities in good working orders.

These included:

- Painting of tables
- Cleaning and organising gym, IRB and ski/board areas

- Cooking BBQ's
- Coating fence
- Breakfast bench

Once again Kate and her staff have excelled through some extremely busy times and have maintained a high level of professionalism whilst also creating a friendly environment for the customers. Norm Collins has been an integral part of the team in his role as a mentor to Kate in her development as a high level manager.

The club is very fortunate to have the likes of Norm Collins and Brad Barreau who have extensive experience and knowledge in the hospitality industry in giving excellent feedback and improvement ideas that the Café can utilise.

Greg Fisher from Clubs SA has ensured we have met our liquor license compliance through audits and advice on any changes that have been introduced.

I would like to thank everyone for their support and help in making it a very successful year, with special recognition to David Afford for his extensive involvement in ensuring the profitability of the club.

Paul Rafanelli Director of Facilities

Club Redevelopment

Over the past 12 months' considerable work has been undertaken by the Redevelopment Committee, comprising Kevin Richardson (Chair), Stephen Perry, Paul Rafanelli and Dave Afford, along with the assistance and input of Peter Zuill.

To date we have:

- Undertaken a Site Analysis of possible locations between the Adelaide Sailing Club and the Henley Sailing Club.
- Site has been surveyed to assess levels.
- Conducted an analysis of other club plans both in SA and other states.
- Several concept designs have been developed for the new facility.
- Developed a facilities plan schedule .
- Met several occasions with Coastal Protection staff, Architects, SLSSA and coastal engineers.
- Decanting and storage facility approved and almost completed.
- Developed a preliminary financial plan.

Recently in, collaboration with SLSSA we have meet with the City of Charles Sturt staff to develop a way forward for our redevelopment.

The most significant challenge is the poor state of the rock wall adjacent the club. Currently the state of the wall would not enable the construction of a new building at our current site. The club commissioned its own independent coastal engineer to assist us and he confirmed that the wall will need a total rebuild, a new design and an additional concrete wall in front of the club to prevent wave overtopping.

This was consistent with the report that was commissioned by the City of Charles Sturt.

The cost of rebuilding the wall alone is approximately \$1.4 million.

We are still moving forward with our preferred site, which is our current location, and in addition we are assessing options closer to the original tin shed site, north of the club.

The decanting and storage shed, near the Lady Reds Soccer pitch, has almost been completed. Thanks to the work of Dave Afford and several club members, with the assistance of our sponsors. We are indebted to the amazing support of Adelaide Shores for providing a superb site.

The committee is continuing to work with SLSSA and the local Council, and we anticipate having a clear direction on funding and strategy before the start of the 2016/17 season.

Kevin Richardson Building Committee

Lifesaving Services

Another season has come and gone, this season we introduced 2 new patrols groups into the mix, this meant that each patrol group only had to do 6 patrols each. Which worked out to be about 1 per month. A very big thank you goes out to all patrolling members, Patrol Captains and Vice

Captains. Welcome to the new Bronze, ARTC and SRC members and I look forward to seeing you guys put your newly found skills to the test during patrols in season 2016/2017.



West Beach, again hosted many special events this year like Marion Masters Long Swim, Nipperthon and The Pink Swim – due to the water quality the Pink Swim turned out to be a very successful walk. Thanks to all that helped with Water cover, First Aid assistance and Work party.

Thanks to all who gave up their own time to help with Radio room duties this season, this was managed by our Radio Officer Tracy Afford – Thank you for organising and co-ordinating the roster.

Thank you to Kirsten McNamara for being the 1st aid officer this season. Her constant checking of the 1st aid kits and stocks, has made our club that little bit more organised and prepared in case of an emergency.

Our powercraft area has been working well and the drivers and crew have done a great job, thanks for your hard work and dedication to make sure we are out there



patrolling the beaches from the ocean. The response from the drivers and crew with the introduction to mandatory wearing life jackets has

been well received and seems to now be second nature. Well done team!

Thank you to Darren Tinkham for continuing the maintenance and upkeep of the power craft area. With the continuous



communication between patrolling members and Darren we have been able to keep the equipment up to a high standard.

Thank you to Dennis Hay for his tireless efforts when it comes to our internal patrol inspections. He puts in lots of time and effort to conduct our internal inspections while also conducting external inspections for SLSSA. He has a great attitude when it comes to assessing us all and informing us of updates so we can keep our knowledge up to date. I feel that the internal inspections are making a healthy rivalry between patrol groups, you just need to look at the tally board to see how close all of the patrol groups were again this year. With the internal inspection score and the overall performance of each patrol month by month during the season we are able to award a Best Patrol for the season.

Once again Thank you to all those who attended their patrols, helped with Water cover, First Aid Assistance, Work party and those that helped make the special events that we held such a success. Well done to the winners for Best Patrol

Group this season who were Charlie Patrol – Captain: Paul Rafanelli.



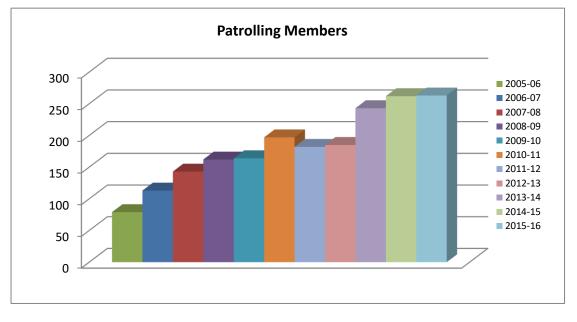
Sarah Tinkham Director of Lifesaving Services

Patrol Activity

Patrols	Patrol Captain	Patrol Vice – Captain
Alpha	Owen McLeod	Roxanne Pena
Bravo	Don Murchland	Adam Ward
Charlie	Paul Rafanelli	Sharon Reinke
Delta	Todd Richardson	Dave Richardson
Echo	Steven Rypp	Michael Walkden
Foxtrot	Sally Perry	Sandra Conroy
Golf	Warren Fry	Peter Finck
Hotel	Tracy Afford	Sarah Tinkham
Indigo	Sarah Goodwin	Kevin Richardson
Juliet	Mel Davis-Bishop	Nicole Ostrognay

	First Aid Statistics											
Type 15/16 14/15 13/14 12/13 11/12 10												
Fractures / Dislocation	0	0	0	0	0	2						
Major Marine Stings	0	0	0	0	0	0						
Major Wounds	0	0	0	1	0	0						
Minor Cuts and Abrasions	2	18	10	14	11	17						
Minor Marine Stings	2	0	15	6	0	3						
Other	5	9	6	16	2	13						
Resuscitation	0	0	3	1	0	1						
Spinal	0	0	0	0	0	0						
Total	9	27	34	38	13	36						

	Preventative Actions												
Туре	15/16	14/15	13/14	12/13	11/12	10/11							
Lost Children	0	1	0	0	0	2							
Preventions	625	2039	474	302	226	95							
Searches	0	11	0	2	0	1							
Shark Alarm	0	0	0	2	1	0							
Total	625	2051	474	306	227	98							



Patrol Efficiency Audits

Internal Patrol Audits were conducted throughout the season and every patrol had to undergo an inspection in the following areas;

- Personnel: Lifesavers on duty and patrol uniforms
- Beach Management: Log books available, IRB close to the water's edge & flags up.
- Gear and Equipment: DHL Shelter and Surround & all equipment available.
- IRB: Checked & response ready
- Signals: 2 lots of five
- Theory paper: 20 questions
- Practical Rescue Scenario- Board rescue of an unconscious patient and treatment

The following results were obtained by each patrol;

Patrol efficiency competition Season 2015/	2016
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	Alpha	Bravo	Charlie	Delta	Echo	Foxtrot	Golf	Hotel	Indigo	Juliet
Personnel	100	100	100	100	100	100	95	100	100	100
Beach Management	70	70	70	70	60	70	50	70	70	70
Gear and equipment	460	455	460	455	460	460	460	460	460	360
Practical assessment	485	475	487	490	465	470	470	485	481	488
Internal inspection score (out of <u>1130)</u>	1115	1100	1117	1115	1095	1100	1075	1115	1111	1018
100% Attendance to patrols	0	4	4	7	2	4	4	6	3	7
Average no. members who arranged sub	3	3	2	2	3	5	2	1	5	3
Average no. of member no shows	6	2	5	4	13	3	5	1	2	3

CONGRATULATIONS CHARLIE PATROL – Captain Paul Rafanelli and Vice Captain Sharon Reinke!!!

Congratulations to all of the patrols for their efforts over the season as the final tallies were all very close in the end. I was very impressed in the manner in which patrols were organised over the past season. It was pleasing to see such a positive attitude displayed by the 10 patrols towards the audits. To be the best patrol for the season has become very competitive and it is very obvious by the closeness of the final results. Hopefully, it was a positive learning experience for all patrolling members and that it helps to improve our organisation and efficiency.

I enjoyed the opportunity to help our club improve patrol performance and also gained valuable experience in this area.

Dennis Hay

Surname	First Name	Open Total	2015-16	State Hours	Total Hours	Years Member	Years Service
Afford	David	613.25	40.25	0	653.5	16	15
Afford	Mitchell	283.25	14	0	297.25	11	8
Afford	Tracy	366.25	31	0	397.25	12	10
Afrah	Sajad	33	15.75	0	48.75	3	2
Alexander	Emily	0	23.5	0	23.5	1	1
Backen	Ruby	0	18	0	18	1	1
Baker	Robert	690.75	23.25	0	714	16	13
Barreau	Bradley	238	25.5	0	263.5	10	8
Barreau	Brooke	38.5	0	0	38.5	4	2
Barreau	Lochie	105.75	22	0	127.75	6	4
Batty	Holly	5.25	28.5	0	33.75	2	2
Bee	Jenny	95.25	37.25	0	132.5	3	3
Bell	Rachel	0	31.25	0	31.25	1	1
Bergmann	Rhea	38.75	27.75	0	66.5	2	2
Black	Amii	80.25	0	0	80.25	4	3
Boag	Jesse	0	25.5	0	25.5	1	1
Boag	Lachie	22	35.75	0	57.75	3	3
Boag	Simon	50.75	29.25	0	80	3	3
Borlase	Darryl	19	15	0	34	2	1
Borlase	Ella	16.25	0	0	16.25	2	1
Borlase	James	0	21.25	0	21.25	1	1
Bowman	lain	31.75	2.5	0	34.25	3	2
Brazenall	Georgia	0	37	0	37	1	1
Burrowes	Brian	1196.95	158.25	12.25	1355.2	18	16
Butler	Marc	11.25	5.25	0	16.5	2	1
Cappelluti	Alison	0	9.5	0	9.5	1	1
Carter	Nick	0	4.5	0	4.5	1	1
Carter	Thomas	231.5	22.25	0	253.75	10	8
Cenko	Paul	0	38.5	0	38.5	1	1
Claridge	Lisette	275.75	9	0	284.75	10	7
Clifford	Liam	90.75	16.5	0	107.25	6	3
Collins	Jay	4.5	4.5	0	9	2	1
Collins	Norm	32.5	36.25	0	68.75	2	2
Conlon	Ashleigh	26.75	0	0	26.75		-
Conroy	Sandra	105.5	67.5	0	173	1	1 3
Conroy		91	13	0	173	4	3
Cunningham	Tayla	637.8	25	0	662.8	27	13
	Graeme	92		0	115.75	5	5
Cunningham	Jessica Mitchell	-	23.75				4
Cunningham	Mitchell	62	17	0	79	4	
Curtis	Kate	0	24	0	24	1	1
Cutting	Leah	0	5	0	5	1	1
Dale	James	1305.5	1	216.25	1306.5	29	16
Davies	Joanna	92.5	28.5	0	121	4	4
Davis	Elena	111	31.75	0	142.75	5	5
Davis-Bishop	Melissa	710	47.75	0	757.75	26	19
Dawkins	Harrison	0	20.25	0	20.25	1	1
Dawkins	Joshua	54.25	8	0	62.25	3	2
Dawkins	Phil	187.75	26.25	0	214	6	6
Day	Trent	0	17.25	0	17.25	1	1
Day	William	0	10	0	10	1	1
Dedai	Sean	0	17	0	17	1	1
Dempsey	Кау	190	7.25	0	197.25	8	5
Denton	Jason	165	32.75	0	197.75	6	6

Patrol Hours and Years of Service

Surname	First Name	Open Total	2015-16	State Hours	Total Hours	Years Member	Years Service
Denton	Liam	0	8	0	8	1	1
Denton	Zoe	66.25	31.5	0	97.75	3	3
Domarecki	Margaret	138.25	17	0	155.25	7	6
Dwyer	Nicole	0	28.5	0	28.5	1	1
Eastwood	Lynda	114.25	15.75	0	130	6	3
Eastwood	Myles	72	3.5	0	75.5	5	3
Ellis	Charles	0	21.75	0	21.75	1	1
Ellis	Chelsea	84.5	9	0	93.5	4	3
Ellis	Damien	455.5	64	0	519.5	9	8
Ellis	David	172.75	23.5	0	196.25	8	7
Ellis	Jayden	214.25	24.5	0	238.75	7	6
Ellis	Jesse	23.75	23.5	0	47.25	3	3
Ellis	Tracy	264.75	35.5	0	300.25	8	7
Elmes	Kellie	27.25	4.5	0	31.75	3	2
Falster	Georgy	25	27.5	0	52.5	2	2
Fennell	Neil	16.25	23	0	39.25	2	2
Fillery	Bonnie	26	12.75	0	38.75	3	2
Fillery	David	115.25	20	0	135.25	8	4
Fillery	Eamon	63.75	0	0	63.75	4	4
Finck	Peter	501.25	20.5	0	521.75	16	13
Fitzgerald	Scott	0	16.5	0	16.5	1	1
Foster Borg	Lynn	4.5	37.5	0	42	2	2
Fox	Carla	94.5	16.25	0	110.75	5	3
Fox	Laura	42.5	23	0	65.5	3	3
Fox	Peter	144.25	13	0	157.25	6	4
Fry	Warren	1641.75	18	20.5	1659.75	39	34
Gava	David	282	27.5	0	309.5	15	5
Gilbert	Gary	562.5	25	0	587.5	16	13
Goldner	Kelsey	67	24.5	0	91.5	4	4
Goldner	Mitchell	89	5	0	94	6	3
Goodfellow	Briony	539.75	23.5	0	563.25	17	16
Goodwin	Sarah	104.75	29	0	133.75	5	4
Gray	Lucinda	32.5	18	0	50.5	3	3
Green	Anne	114.75	4.5	0	119.25	6	4
Green	Dominic	149.25	18.75	0	168	7	7
Green	Jordan	87.5	0	0	87.5	5	3
Green	Sebastian	47.25	0	0	47.25	2	2
Griffin	Timothy	21	23.75	0	44.75	2	2
Hall	Chris	53.75	21.75	0	75.5	3	3
Hall	Jordan	54.75	9.5	0	64.25	4	2
Harman	Lola	87.75	38	0	125.75	4	4
Harman	Michael	87.75	36.5	0	124.25	4	4
Hart	Joseph	0	72.5	0	72.5	1	1
Hartas	Bree	28.5	47.75	0	76.25	3	2
Hartas	Mike	86.25	85	0	171.25	3	3
Hay	Dennis	863.25	46.75	0	910	24	23
Hettner	Alyson	32.5	22.75	0	55.25	3	3
Hettner	Courtney	119.5	11.75	0	131.25	6	5
Hettner	Jim	581	29	0	610	11	11
Hettner	Kate	137	23	0	159.75	5	5
Hettner	Marcus	0	16.5	0	16.5	1	1
Hettner	Nathan	75.25	22.5	0	97.75	4	4
Hettner	Robert	275.25	30.5	0	305.75		7
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Highett	Billie	24.75	18.5	0	43.25	3	3
Highett	Jordan	69.5	21.5	0	91	4	4
Hill	Catlin	0	4.5	0	4.5	1	1
Hofer	Heinrich	153.5	28	0	181.5	7	7
Holt	Fraser	75.75	15	0	90.75	4	3
Holt	Lachlan	106	19	0	125	5	5
Holt	Steven	303	22	0	325	9	9
Holt	Tracey	110.25	21.75	0	132	5	5
Huggett	Alexandra	75	15.5	0	90.5	4	3
Huggett	Fraser	40.5	4.5	0	45	4	2
Humphries	Gregory	15.5	27	0	42.5	2	2
Humphries	Paul	225	19.75	0	244.75	11	6
Huntington	River	43.25	12.5	0	55.75	4	2
Ireland	Jessica	145	24.75	0	169.75	6	6
Jenkin	Matthew	72.75	29.5	0	102.25	3	3
Jenkin	Samuel	79.25	41	0	120.25	3	3
Jessup	Brittany	143.75	18.5	0	162.25	7	6
Juniper	David	501	19.25	0	520.25	26	9
Kirkham	Andrew	24.75	42	0	66.75	3	2
Kither	Christopher	0	18.5	0	18.5	1	1
Klass	Jett	172	22	0	194	7	7
Klass	Lorenz	152.75	18	0	170.75	6	6
Klass	River	4.5	23	0	27.5	2	2
Klass	Saxon	117.25	21	0	138.25	6	6
Klass	Velvet	74.5	24.25	0	98.75	4	4
Landers	Henry	107	16.5	0	123.5	6	4
Landers	Katherine	67.5	10.5	0	82.5	4	3
Levy	Eimear	83.25	17.25	0	100.5	4	4
Levy	Mike	105.25	21.5	0	126.75	5	5
Lewis	Benjamin	0	12.5	0	120.75	1	1
Lindsay	Colin	443	32	0	475	20	13
Lindsay	Hamish	130.25	36.5	0	166.75	5	5
Lindsay	Jayden	0	12.25	0	12.25	1	1
		728.6	28.75	0	757.35		18
Lindsay	Sarah Patrick	16.25	16.5	0	32.75	24 2	10
Liptak							-
Lock	Aidan	0	24.5	0	24.5	1	1
Lock	Larissa	-	13.25	0	13.25	1	1
MacDonald	Jasmine	0	2.5	0	2.5	1	1
MacDonald	Scott	62.75	13	0	75.75	5	3
Macleod	Alexander	36.25	26	0	62.25	2	2
Mangos	Arthur	0	15	0	15	1	1
Martel	Candace	0	33.25	0	33.25	1	1
Mather	Timothy	906.75	28.25	0	935	32	20
McArthur	Briny	0	25.75	0	25.75	2	2
McArthur	Catherine	26.75	14.75	0	41.5	3	1
McArthur	Glenda	45.75	27.5	0	73.25	3	3
McArthur	John	22.5	19.25	0	41.75	2	2
MCCULLOCH	Barry	0	9	0	9	1	1
McIntosh	Brendan	141.5	17	0	158.5	7	6
McLeod	David	115.5	4	0	119.5	9	2
McLeod	Owen	286.75	20.5	0	307.25	8	7
McManus	Peter	782.75	25.75	0	808.5	19	16
McNamara	Kirsten	392.5	38.25	0	430.75	18	11
Mead	Gretel	27.25	31.5	0	58.75	2	2

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Molloy	Samuel	438.25	9.5	0	447.75	17	9
Morgan	Matthew	0	4.5	0	4.5	1	1
Morrison	Jocelyn	100.5	7.75	0	108.25	6	3
Morrison-							
Butler	Asha	79.5	0	0	79.5	3	2
Morrison-							
Butler	Jessica	22.25	4.25	0	26.5	3	1
Murchland	Don	277	26.75	0	303.75	10	8
Myers	Mathew	8	0	0	8	1	1
Nash	Harry	6.5	36.75	0	43.25	2	2
Nash	Jack	75.25	18	0	93.25	4	4
Nash	Sarah	68.75	28.75	0	97.5	3	3
Nazimi	Leila	96.5	53.75	0	150.25	3	3
Newberry	Christine	82.25	26.5	0	108.75	5	4
Newberry	Damian	83.25	24.25	0	107.5	4	4
Newberry	Ellen	98.5	20.75	0	119.25	5	5
Newberry	Ryland	133.5	26	0	159.5	6	5
Newberry	Tommy	13.5	33.25	0	46.75	2	2
O Brien	Taylor	0	22.75	0	22.75	1	1
Olsen	Deann	421	30.75	0	451.75	19	13
Ostrognay	Nicole	134.5	43.25	0	177.75	5	5
Ostrognay	Rodney	162	35.5	0	197.5	8	6
Parmenter	Maria	27.25	35.75	0	63	2	2
Payne	William	4.5	34.25	0	38.75	2	2
Peirovsavet	Nima	23.75	4.25	0	28	3	1
Pena	Roxanne	129.75	26.5	32.5	156.25	4	4
Perry	Emma	137.25	43.75	0	181	6	6
Perry	Gregory	788.75		0	795.75	32	24
Perry	Matilda	92.5	, 21.75	0	114.25	4	4
Perry	Sally	793.4	30.5	0	823.9	24	17
Perry	Stephen	1094.25	4.5	0	1098.75	35	30
Piscioneri	Ned	287	29.5	0	316.5	10	9
	Sophie	0	19.75	0	19.75	10	1
Pope							
Price	Ceri-jane	0	5.5	0	5.5	1	1
Price Pronk	Sarah	533.25	41.5	0	574.75	17	14
	Mark	35.75 0	39.25	0	75 19.75	2	2
Pugliese	Steve		19.75	0			6
Rafanelli	Bray	211.75	5	0	216.75	10	5
Rafanelli	Jess	155	9.75	0	164.75	8	
Rafanelli	Paul	354	39.25	0	393.25	11	10
Rafanelli	Tracy	209.75	28.75	0	238.5	7	7
Razaei	Mahyar	0	18	0	18	1	1
Reading	Amy	15.5	67.5	0	83	2	2
Reading	Leca	4.5	34.75	0	39.25	2	2
Reinke	Sharon	178.5	36.5	0	215	7	7
Rezaei	Arash	0	19	0	19	1	1
Richardson	David	1114	43.5	0	1157.5	21	20
Richardson	Kevin	36.5	56.75	0	93.25	2	2
Richardson	Max	109	24.5	0	133.5	4	4
Richardson	Todd	1507.75	30.5	0	1538.25	23	23
Roberts	Olivia	70.75	11.5	0	82.25	6	3
Robinson	Sue	0	19	0	19	1	1
Rose	Emma	0	16	0	16	1	1
Rose	Jessica	0	9.5	0	9.5	1	1

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Ryan	Zachary	0	18.25	0	18.25	1	1
Rypp	George	422	11.75	0	433.75	14	11
Rypp	Glenn	300	3	0	303	12	6
Rypp	Steven	1002.75	21.75	0	1024.5	13	13
Salter	Sonya	0	48.75	0	48.75	1	1
Sandery	Michelle	4.5	24	0	28.5	2	2
Schultz	Todd	73	35.75	0	108.75	4	4
Scott	Thomas	4.75	9.5	0	14.25	2	1
Shahmorad	Touraj	35.75	13.5	0	49.25	3	2
Simpson	Grant		3.5	0	3.5	1	1
Snell	Peter	711.25	16	0	727.25	30	17
Staples	Jacqueline	8.5	10	0	18.5	2	1
Stevens	Malcolm	683.25	30.5	0	713.75	16	16
Stevens	Timothy	208	0	0	208	9	7
Stevenson	Asta	19.75	20.25	0	40	3	2
Stevenson	James	186.75	31.75	0	218.5	7	7
Stevenson	Jett	0	10.5	0	10.5	1	1
Summerton	Kylie	17	21.25	0	38.25	2	2
Sutcliffe	Joanne		26.25	0	26.25	1	1
Suttie	Lewis	0	16.5	0	16.5	1	1
Talbot	Charlie	67.25	23.25	0	90.5	4	4
Talbot	Martyn	381.5	29.75	0	411.25	10	10
Talbot	Tayler	117.75	17.5	0	135.25	7	6
Taylor	Peter	936.5	75.75	0	1012.25	21	20
Thomas	Abby	122.5	66	0	188.5	4	4
Thomas	Anthony	212.25	88	0	300.25	5	5
Thorne	Abby	0	18.5	0	18.5	1	1
Thorne	Darren	41.5	29.75	0	71.25	2	2
Thorne	Elizabeth	44.25	4.5	0	48.75	3	2
Thorne	Emma	65.25	0	0	65.25	4	3
Tinkham	Darren	279.75	16.5	0	296.25	10	8
Tinkham	Sarah	555	48.5	0	603.5	18	12
Varney	Cameron	0	27.25	0	27.25	1	1
Varney	Josephine	210.25	31	0	241.25	7	7
Varney	Michael	147.25	39.75	0	187	5	5
Walkden	Michael	67	19.5	0	86.5	5	5
Ward	Adam	26.75	27.5	0	54.25	3	2
Ward	Justin	30.25	27.5	0	57.75	3	2
Waters	Daniel	0	17	0	17	1	1
Weydling	Peter	Ű	18.5	0	18.5	1	1
Wilson	Robert	393	27.25	0	420.25	19	7
Woud	Gerald		16.75	0	16.75	1	1
Yon	Simon	147	25	0	172	6	6
Yousefi	Amir	25.75	0	0	25.75	2	1
Zuill	Benjamin	206.25	25	0	231.25	10	8
Zuill	Georgia	76	24.25	0	100.25	5	4
Zuill	Matthew	206.75	24.25	0	233.75	8	6
Zuill	Peter	935.75	27	0	957.75	35	27
Zuill		42	17.5	0	59.5	35	3
Zuill	Sophie Zorica	323	22.5	0	345.5	3 21	6

#Years Service is the number of seasons where a member has performed 22.25 or more patrol hours at the club in one season prior to 2011 and 16 or more patrol hours from 2012.

SLS SA Hours includes Jet Boat, Jet Ski and Helicopter hours.

Records of patrol hours are not available for a number of years prior to 1975

Junior and Youth Development

It has been such a pleasure to be involved with the Junior Program once again this season. We have a fantastic bunch of children who display the attributes that will see them make great surf lifesavers in the future. Together with our committed group of volunteer parents and helpers we have a successful program which is being sought by new members from all over Adelaide.

Thank you to everyone who put their hand up to take on a role this season – your contribution is very much appreciated. To our wonderful junior committee and age managers who are the backbone of our program, thank you for your continued enthusiasm and commitment.

Our key activities for 2015/16 included:

- Inter-club Fun Day with Grange and Henley SLSCs where West Beach hosted the U11-U13 age groups with fun team activities
- Saturday morning training over the school holidays which was extremely well received
- Footsteps Discos in November and February provided a great social opportunity for young members and parents alike

- Come & Try surf lifesaving event with Norwood Swim School which resulted in new memberships
- Fun family Christmas break up with an evening of beach game, a visit from Santa followed by a social BBQ dinner
- Over \$7500 in funds raised through the Quiz Nights, Lollipop Markets entry gate donations and weekly BBQs
- Nipperthon event held at West Beach for the 4th year
- Fun team building afternoon at MegaAdventure for the Under 14/15 group
- Successful presentation events for both the U6-U8 group (59 attendees) and the U9-U14 groups where we 'graduated' both the U13 and U14 groups

Melissa Davis-Bishop Director of Junior & Youth Development

Junior State Championships Competition Team

The Junior State Championships was held at Somerton on 12th and 13th March 2016. Our team of 62 competitors participated proudly and the results reflected the effort and commitment to training throughout the season. Thank you to our club coaches for their time and commitment in conducting the various discipline specific training sessions and to parents for making attendance a priority for their children.

It was great to have some of our newest junior members giving competition a go and competing at State Championships with some excellent results which will only improve next season.

Thank you to all officials who ensured we met our quota, parents and siblings who helped with water safety as well as to those who helped with photography, towing the trailers, setting up and packing up.

2016 Junior State Championships Pointscore						
Position	Club	Points				
1st	Grange	375				
2 nd	Somerton	278				
3 rd	West Beach	241				
4 th	Glenelg	236.5				
5 th	Semaphore	179				
6 th	Port Noarlunga	152				
7 th	Brighton	139				
8 th	Seacliff	137				
9 th	Henley	102.5				
10 th	Port Elliot	70.5				
11 th	South Port	69				
12 th	Moana	15				
13 th	Aldinga Bay	12				
14 th	Christies Beach	6				
15 th	Normanville	5.5				

Junior State Championships Results

Event	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	Total Points
All Age Beach Relay				WB			5
March Past							-
Beach Relay	U9	U11					16
Board Relay	U12	U11 & U13			U9	U11	26
Surf Team			U9		U13	U11	13
Cameron Relay	U11	U13			U12		20
Board Rescue (U11-			U11	U13			11
U13)							
Wade Relay (U9-U10)				U10			5
Beach Sprint		U9B	U9B	U9B			29
		U10B	U12G	U13G			
		U11B					
Beach Flags			U11B	U9B	U9B U12G	U12G	12
Wade	U9G	U9B					17
		U10B					
Surf Race	U11G	U9G	U12B		U12G	U12B	24
			U12G			U13B	
Board Race	U9G	U12G	U13G	U11B	U12G		38
	U11G	U13B		U12B	U13B		
Iron Person	U11G			U13G	U12B	U13B	13

UNDER 6 Sarah Price

What a great fun season we had in 2015/16. The weather was mostly warm and we had a great group of regular kids every weekend. The childrens' confidence grew throughout the season, from some being timid and not wanting to go in the water to no holding them back. Most of all the kids all became good mates and lots of new friendships were made.

Thank you to Andrew Beitz and Matilda Perry and all the Under 6 parents for helping out during the season.

UNDER 7

Jocelyn Morrison-Butler and Chris Hall Under 7s had a great season this year.

The group consisted primarily of return nippers from last year's under 6s as well as some new comers who integrated very quickly into the program. Each of the kids made great progress during the season and we saw children who were nervous in the water at the start of the season grow to a stage where they were confident and really enjoying the water by the end of the season.

Once again, we focussed on play, participation and fun while learning some important skills along the way.

We started every lesson with a safety talk focussing on identifying the hazards on the beach and in the water, strategies for keeping yourself safe and what to do if you get into trouble. The role of the surf life savers was of particular interest to our group and they loved when the young surf life savers assisted our group with water cover and other activities.

Following our safety talk, we always did a warm up and some stretches explaining the importance of general fitness and good nutrition to the kids. The would all help to conduct the stretch session by taking turns in selecting the warm up and stretching exercises.

The rest of the lesson was a combination of beach and water activities – funky relays (more than just running – kangaroo hops, commando crawls and lots more!), flags, etc and of course wading, boarding and even tube rescues in the water. The kids even got to partake in an iron-man/kid event which they loved.

We always ended the lesson with our team huddle all hands in and cheer with our team name – TEAM AWESOME and sometimes even our chant......

WE'RE TEAM AWESOME, WE'RE THE BEST WE COMPETE LIKE ALL THE REST LEARNING LOTS AND HAVING FUN TEAMWORK AND FRIENDS ARE NUMBER ONE

Looking forward to seeing all our amazing and wonderful TEAM AWESOME kids back next season!

UNDER 8

Briony Goodfellow and Todd Schultz

In their last year of the Little Beachies program, this season's Under 8s have continued to learn and grow. Great weather in November and December kept participation numbers high and we welcomed some new members to the group. Our program focused on skill development in a range of SLS activities and lots of fun and games.

The group has really bonded well with some strong friendships developed over the past few years. This camaraderie will serve the team well as they move onto the 'big league' as Under 9s next season.

Thank you to all of the parents who assisted this season – your help will certainly be needed next year

UNDER 9

Sandy Conroy, Andrew Kirkham and Amy Reading



The Under 9s were well represented this season having 23 registered in the age group with an average of 18 at most Saturday training sessions. Under 9s is certainly a step up from the Little Beachies program, not only because of the extra hour and a half timeframe each Saturday but also the content covered within the Surf Education program and the skills building within the water and beach areas.

With the first carnival of the season taking place in Week 5 we began the task of getting as many of our Under 9s proficient in their Yellow and Red patches so they had the opportunity to participate in the upcoming carnival competitions. Each Saturday the Under 9s impressed us by giving it a go and swimming the distance of the competition cans regardless of their abilities. The skill level within the boards, wades, flags and sprints areas also improved with guidance from some of the older Nipper Members.

We had between 8 to 10 compete at the four Carnivals with a mixed bag of results, but it was evident very early that those Under 9 competitors had what it takes to have a very successful competition season. This was proved at the Junior State Surf Lifesaving Championships at Somerton in March where our 11 Under 9 competitors showed off their talent, teamwork and surf abilities. Over the two days the Under 9s accumulated 60 points toward the clubs' final points which included 2 x 5ths, 2 x 4ths, 2 x Bronze, 3 x Silver and 3 x Gold.

An amazing effort by the Under 9 State competitors, hopefully their success will encourage more of their team mates to compete in carnivals next season.

Thank you to the Under 9 Nippers for such an exciting, rewarding and enjoyable season.

Club Award Most Improved Best competitor (girl) Best competitor (boy)

Oscar Graefling Lucy Beaumont Edie Benger Evan Minshall

UNDER 10 Mark Pronk, Abby Thomas and Zoe Denton



Well that season went by rather quickly, maybe it's got something to do with the kids understanding what's involved in the training sessions and carnivals and as a result there had been a great increase in the level of co-operation and assistance given by them. I can also attribute a smoother operation to all the parent helpers who assisted greatly thought the season. A couple of new Bronze Medallions were achieved by parents as well - great effort!

The season provided us with a great mix of weather and surf conditions again. Some cracking sunny days with high numbers of kids attending (I think our highest was 22 at one session) and also some wild weather which gave us some great surf training conditions, although a bit chilly. We saw some new kids attending this year and hopefully they continue. A few come and try's may also be back next year.

Great to have seen a number of the U10's attend the mid week training sessions this season. For me nothing beats jumping into a board training session at 5:30 on a Monday evening......that's what Australia's about - opportunity!

Carnivals provided many thrills and spills and elation and disappointments. Showing disappointment at some of the results proved that the kids are keen to compete and it means a great deal to them. We can only learn to be better from these experiences.

Thanks to all the parents & members who helped out this past season. Also to the kids from the older age groups who helped ours with technique for particular events. This was invaluable and definitely something that will be repeated next season.

Thanks to Zoe who has provided great support over the years to our training sessions and carnivals. Always smiling and willing to get in the water to help the kids develop. Zoe has said she will be attending carnivals where possible and myself and I'm sure all the kids look forward to that. Good luck in your studies at school.

Thanks to Abby who showed me the ropes when I first got nominated as U9 manager. I'd helped out during the U8 season (2013/2014) and knew what I was letting myself in for......Abby has great leadership skills and over the years the kids have loved having her as a defacto manager. For the 2016/2017 Abby is going to help develop the younger nippers and I wish her well - hopefully she'll get a word in edgeways with all the little ones! Have no fear, we may still see Abby at some carnivals though.

Braver. Smarter. Stronger.

Club Award Most Improved Best competitor (girl) Best competitor (boy) Oliver Cenko Rhys Highett Sascha Williams Marcus Morgan

UNDER 11 Anthony Thomas, Brad Barreau & Todd Schultz



The Under 11's had a very good year. The core group of children returned and we had three new children join the Under 11s. The group worked hard to develop the surf skills and awareness and Saturday training was a lot of fun with this big group. The Under 11 parents are very active helpers and their commitment to WBSLSC is much appreciated.

State champs were a mix of up and downs for the group. Highlights included:

- Tayla Dawkins winning all three individual water events(Swim/Board/Ironwomen)
- Our swim teams progressed this year and we finished 6th
- The team highlight was the second to last even of the carnival the Cameron relay. We were coming second until the run up and along the beach when Patrick Toole overtook the very fancied Port Noarlunga runner to win the team gold for West Beach
- The U11's backed up for the last event the Board relay which we had all four teams progress through the first round and two teams qualify for the final. We ended up with second and 6th
- Lily & Molly winning the 2-person Rescue & Resuscitation event

Club Award	Hayley Conlon		
Most Improved	Molly Reading		
Best competitor (girl)	Tayla Dawkins		
Best competitor (boy)	Skip Barreau		

Under 12 Scott Stevenson & Rob Hettner



This great group of kids have continued to improve and extend themselves this year. They have held together well since Under 9's and have become a close-knit and supportive team over the years. A few kids have moved in other directions but we have also had some great additions and a number of new members joining us and together we keep going from strength to strength.

Again the Under 12's have taken to competition with most of the kids participating in carnivals and we again had one of the largest age group at State Championships with a team of 18 competitors. It has been wonderful to see the kids' confidence and maturity develop as they continue to improve their skills, take on new challenges and support each other. Congratulations to Caitlin, Jessica, Maddy, Saralouise, Georgia, and Eddy for taking on the challenge of R&R competition - great to see the diversity in participation.

Fortunately we had the valuable assistance from several parents who helped with ensuring the children were where they needed to be and when, not to mention simply head counting so nobody strayed from the group. Thanks to all of the Under 12 team and their families for a great season and look forward to continuing it again in 2016/17.

U12 Club Award U12 Most Improved U12 Best Competitor (girl) U12 Best Competitor (boy) Abigail Berry Bailey Hahn Isobel Borlase Zane Stevenson

Under 13 Jo Varney & Matt Jenkin



The U13s have continued to improve their lifesaving skills this season and became more consistent when competing in surf sports.

There were twelve members who attended on Saturday afternoons. Two of these were new to surf lifesaving and were made to feel very welcome by the rest of the team. The Saturday sessions had a strong focus on DrsABCD, as well as rescues, surf skills, and surf awareness. The new members were introduced to valuable skills and experiences alongside the existing members who continued to develop their knowledge.

A core of eight to nine members were the competitors in the surf carnivals. Increasingly competitors made use of the specialised competition trainings available at the club and elsewhere. As a result the boarding and swimming skills improved among the group and this was shown at State Titles. Our teams were successful in Board Relay, Swim Team, and Cameron Relay - where our B team also only missed points by one place. The individual achievements were fantastic and the team earned points over the two days in every discipline aside from flags and beach relay. We had a very enthusiastic team who just loved to compete irrespective of the outcome.

Team members also competed with much success and enjoyment in Seacliff SPR, Nipperthon, and Wave Warriors.

R&R was again a focus of the team with seven participants competing. One of the teams achieved a bronze medal.

All of the U13s who attended throughout the season are very much valued and appreciated. They are an exceptional group of people and we

look forward to them all achieving their SRC next season.

Club award	Hannah Day
Most improved	Stella Benger
Best competitor (girl)	Alex Highett
Best competitor (boy)	Harry Green

UNDER 14 Darren Thorne and Phil Dawkins



Overall it was a pretty good year considering we had to contend with most of our group doing their SRC, moving up to the bigger boards and the transition to Seniors. As we lost a lot of Saturday afternoon sessions to the SRC, it was the kids who turned up to the midweek and Saturday morning training that excelled this year with great individual results from Harry Dawkins, James Borlase, Abby Thorne and Taylor O'Brien.

We bonded very well with the U15's, but it was tough competing up this year in the team events and we had a bit of a reality check. However the girls did manage some great results with medals in every team event apart from the Sprint Relay.

Special mention to Harry Dawkins, James Borlase and Abby Thorne for making the State Development Squad with Abby just missing out on final selection. With the other members of our age group Cameron, Jesse, Will and Lara we will only go from strength to strength next year in competition.

Education and Training

Training and Education Goal:

To educate every member of West Beach SLSC and broader community about the aquatic environment and provide them with the skills and confidence to save a life.

West Beach Surf Club held a total of 139 assessments this season which was done with the help of nine assessors and trainers that ran proficiencies and trained members for these awards during the season. I would like to thank Dennis Hay, Heinrich Hofer, Peter Taylor, Melissa Davis-Bishop, Robert Baker, David Afford, Todd Richardson and Jim Dale for their efforts through the season. Without their time and effort through the season we would not be able to patrol the beach or compete at carnivals.

Silver Medallion Beach Management (Facilitator Ian Grant)

Sally Perry, Graeme Cunningham, Tracy Afford, Sandra Conroy, Hamish Lindsay, Owen McLeod, Don Murchland, Nicole Ostrognay, Roxanne Pena, Paul Rafanelli, David Richardson, Kevin Richardson, Sarah Tinkham and Adam Ward.

Silver Medallion Inflatable rescue boat drivers

(Instructors David Afford and Bob Baker)

Rhea Bergmann, Heinrich Hofer, Benjamin Lewis and Hamish Lindsay

Bronze Medallion Certificate

We had seven bronze squads this season with a total of 33 members achieving the award.

Squad 1

Charlie Ellis, Sophie Pope, Brooke Barreau and Ruby Backen (Instructors Heinrich Hofer)



Squad 2

Emily Alexander, Tristan Baldan, Trent Day, Samuel Jenkin, Jessica Rose and Emma Rose (Instructor Heinrich Hofer)



Squad 3 Laura Fox, Alyson Hettner, Asta Stevenson and Sophie Zuill (Instructor Heinrich Hofer)



Squad 4 Sebastian Green, Joseph Hart, Catlin Hill and Aidan Lock (Instructor Graeme Cunningham)



Squad 5

Barry McCulloch, Matthew Morgan, Arash Rezaei, Mahyar Razaei, Sean Hettner, Ceri-Jane Price and Aidan Lock (Instructor Peter Taylor)



Squad 6 Karen Ross, Tim Hewett, Nick Carter and Scott Hahn (Instructor Dennis Hay)



Squad 7 Zoe Denton, Jesse Ellis, Lachlan Jarvis and Harry Nash (Instructor Heinrich Hofer)



ADVANCED RESUSITATION TECHNIQUES CERTIFICATE

(Instructors Dennis Hay and Peter Taylor)

Robert Baker, Stephen Brady, Timothy Griffin, Hamish Lindsay, Abby Thomas, Emily Alexander, Mitchell Cunningham, Chelsea Ellis, Damien Ellis, Sebastian Green, Kevin Richardson, Kylie Summerton, Cecile Saidi, Sophie Saidi, Scholar Suleiman, Yvonne Suleiman, Erfan Bagherishorgoli, Shiva Rezuani, Sobhan Samiei Ashtiani and Li Yang.



IRB CREW AWARD (Instructors David Afford and Bob Baker)

Mitchell Cunningham, Joshua Dawkins, Chelsea Ellis, Nathan Hettner, Benjamin Lewis, Roxanne Pena, Kylie Summerton, River Huntington, Emily Alexander, Georgia Brazenall, Trent Day, Sebastian Green, Samuel Jenkin, Harry Nash, Stephen Pugliese, Mahyar Razaei and Arash Rezaei

FIRST AID CERTIFICATE

Tracy Afford, Emily Alexander, James Anderson, Brian Burrowes, Liam Clifford, Leah Cutting, Melissa Davis-Bishop, Trent Day, Hannah Edwards, David Ellis, Tracy Ellis, Lucinda Gray, Jessica Ireland, Samuel Jenkin, Aidan Lock, Daphne McLeod, Jocelyn Morrison-Butler, Ryland Newberry, William Payne, Roxanne Pena, Sally Perry, Leca Reading, Emma Rose, Jessica Rose, Timothy Stevens, Sarah Tinkham and Adam Ward

SURF RESCUE CERTIFICATE (CPR ENDORSED) (Instructor Melissa Davis-Bishop)

Jesse Boag, Harrison Dawkins, William Day, Liam Denton, Jayden Lindsay, Larissa Lock, Jett Stevenson, Abby Thorne, Cameron Varney, James Borlase and Lincoln Loughry

SPINAL MANAGEMENT

Brian Burrowes, Melissa Davis-Bishop, Briony Goodfellow, Hamish Lindsay, Sarah Lindsay, Candace Martel, Leila Nazimi, Nicole Ostrognay, Steve Pugliese, Leca Reading, Kevin Richardson, Max Richardson, Lynn Rush, Sonya Salter, Kylie Summerton, Abby Thomas and Adam Ward.



RESUSCITATION CERTIFICATE

Harrison Green, Alex Highett, Stella Benger, Hannah Day, Jaime Robb, Henry Jenkin, Stella Ostrognay, Finlay Suttie, Oliver Varney, Grace Wakelin, Hadija Saidi, Hidaya Suleiman

DUKE OF EDINBURGH AWARD

West Beach has been running the Duke of Edinburgh award scheme for 5 years and at present we have over 36 members completing the gold, silver or bronze award levels.

We have 4 members that have completed the Silver award level this season; they are Ellen

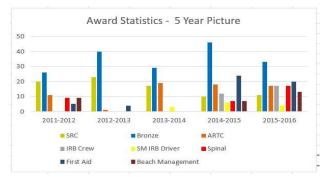
Newberry, Mitchell Cunningham, Abby Thomas and Chelsea Ellis

Education Performance against KPI's

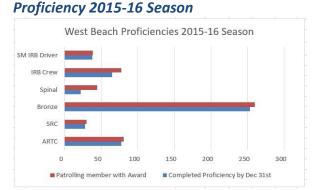
- Develop a training structure that helps and encourages skills enhancement for all members.
- Ensure the club delivers high quality training in a safe and supportive environment.
- Provide the opportunities for the local community and special need groups to learn lifesaving skills.
- Support and develop the "Culturally and linguistically diverse" (CALD) program along the SLS2020 strategic directions.
- Provide lifesaving training for local schools, sports clubs and social groups

Award statistics 2015-16

This year we held Beach management, Advance resuscitation and spinal management courses prior to the October start of the season when the upstairs training room is more available and concentrated on the water based awards during the summer months. This worked well but the availability of a training room during the summer limits class room trainings to Monday nights or requiring the instructor to relocate boats and or gym equipment. We had 8 members attend the train the trainers training course at the start of the season with these members progressing to achieve the trainer award over the next 2 seasons.



There was a reduction from 46 to 32 in new bronze members this season as we had less junior parents obtaining the bronze award. The breakdown of bronze award show approx 1/3 new members, 1/3 members parents and the remainder are SRC members continuing to the bronze award.



This year ARTC and Spinal proficiencies were run in August and September prior to the season starting reducing the demand on assessors during the summer months and utilizing the availability of the function room as a training facility. Bronze proficiencies were held on the second patrol rotation this season when the water is slightly warmer with 253 member completing their proficient by December 31st.

Patrol Skills Breakdown



More patrolling members improved their skills and obtained advanced awards with the spinal management, IRB crew and drivers, Beach management, first aid and ARTC run this season. We are continuing with the aim of improving the skill level of our patrols with 50% of patrolling members now holding 2 or more awards and 15% of patrolling members having 4+ awards.

Community Programs

Charles Sturt School Holidays Sports Program



These sessions were held during the October and April school holidays and were greatly successful with over 37 youth attending each day learning water safety and lifesaving skills.

Red Shed Community Lifesaving session



This session was held during the April school holidays and was greatly successful with over 35 youth from the Eastern Suburbs attending the day.

West Torrens Council beach day



The club combined with West Torrens council to run a beach day as part of their school holiday program. The day was a great success with about 120 people on the beach and 20 lifesavers for water cover.

The IRB rides were the hit of the day and the Council is very happy with the way we ran it and will be back next year.



Graeme Cunningham Director of Education and Training

ON THE SAME WAVE

The 2015/16 season has been very successful for West Beach S.L.S.C. with 2 refugees gaining Bronze medallion and IRB crew awards.



We also had 9 participants gained the advanced resuscitation Certificate and 2 achieved Resuscitation with AED.

West Beach was awarded The Office of Volunteer's Community Program award in June 2015 after being nominated by Surf Life Saving SA. The presentation was held at the Festival Theatre and presided by the governor of SA, Hieu Van Le and the minister for Multicultural affairs Hon Zoe Bettison MP.



October saw the start of the first CALD Bronze group with 2 members from Iran, 1 from England, 1 Scotsman and 2 Australians gaining the Bronze just before Christmas.



A Community Celebration Dinner was held on January 23. It was an Interactive Multicultural event to celebrate the shared experiences of Australian culture. It was a very successful night with 90 people attending and many special guests, Kelly Vincent (SA Dignity for Disability MLC), Mohammad Al-Khafaji (CEO of Welcome Australia), Uncle Victor (Aboriginal Elder), Peter Zuill and Graeme Cunningham (West Beach S.L.S.C.), Steve Cornish and Lee Patterson (S.L.S.S.A.) and Jemma Taylor (Manager of Y.W.C.A.South Australia). Both Jemma & Mahyar Rezaei were the MC's for the night.

From this event there were many enquiries from new arrivals about learning surf lifesaving. As a result we have 9 new members that achieved their ARTC, plus 2 junior members that have gained their CPR with AED.

These members are working towards achieving the bronze award next season and have started swimming lessons to improve their water skills.



West Beach held an information afternoon at Thebarton Senior College in November and a Come and Try day in January. The event was a great success with participants learning many things about beach safety. One participant had never been in the ocean before and was very happy at the end of the day after learning to catch waves on a board.



A further information day was held on the 8th April with the aim of getting students to do the ARTC over the winter months. The response for this course has been very good with 17 new registrations. The course will start in term 2 on Monday afternoons.

March see's the beginning of two new partnerships for West Beach working with "Welcome Australia" and the "Migrant Resource Centre South Australia". Programs and planning will be established over the winter months.

I would like to thank everyone that has helped with the C.A.L.D program this season, especially Dennis Hay, Graeme Cunningham and all the patrolling members that have helped. Thank you all.

Peter Taylor Diversity Officer

Surf Sports

2015-2016 has been another extremely successful season for the West Beach SLSC competition team. A growth in the number of competing members meant we were equipped to competition tackle another season with determination and enthusiasm knowing that this season would be particularly long by the time Aussies would close the season. It was terrific to see some our newest members really settle into the club life, embrace our culture and work with our leadership team to assist with training and mentoring. Success breeds success and it is wonderful to see that people want to come to West Beach to be a part of the team that we are.

The championship point structure implemented by SLSSA - where top six placings at carnivals leading up to States, account for 25% of a club's State Titles overall score - means that the carnivals and carnival attendance all count towards the final states results. All senior carnivals this season were held at Southport SLSC, hoping to provide our competitors with a chance of a wave, but surf as a sport can't command ideal conditions and we are always crossing our fingers for some swell on the day. The most significant change to senior carnivals this season was the inclusion of Under 14's to combine with the Under 15's to form a Youth Area. This mirrors the introduction of the Youth Championships at Aussies in 2015 and we were able to represent our concerns with some discussion regarding the proposed change facilitated by SLSSA. The Youth were given their own area at carnivals which provided them with a transition area from juniors to seniors whilst enabling them to experience the atmosphere of a senor carnival. Overall, I believe the change was successful and will improve with additional resources that SLSSA will no doubt bring. Our Under 14's and U15's are the future of our club and they should be commended for their fantastic results. A special mention to Gretel Mead and Harrison Dawkins who contributed

won 23 and 21 points individually and as a team, our under 14/15s earnt 53 additional points.

So did we feel the pressure of backing up from last year's win? No! I could say we dropped their reel in fact. Well, we did in the Under 17 march past, however, they picked it up, kept marching and (almost got away with it) but sadly went from Gold to 6th in the blink of an eye. This pretty well sums up the season. It highlighted our courage and determination, it highlighted our shared responsibility with a sense of inclusion and a never say die attitude. It is highlighted how:

- Every competitor who competed in events they didn't feel comfortable in...
- those who ran when they don't normally run,
- those who swam when they don't normally swim,
- those who marched when they don't normally march,
- those who tackled new events,
- To all those who competed and felt disappointed with their results,
- To those who competed and achieved the ultimate success,
- To those who competed and had fun,
- To those who competed, officiated, team managed, drove trailers, packed tents, bought uniforms, drove to training, came on time, came late, swept the sheds, played with purpose, aimed high – took risks, trained to win, showed humility, respect and excellence, remembered that no one is bigger than the team and

The team... always came first ... we really achieved the unexpected and backed up our win from last years, to win Senior States by 11 points. An incredible achievement.

Senior States wasn't our only win. Our Masters also backed up from last year and won again. This was another amazing team effort with our Master's boaties sealing the win.

State Events		
	2015	2014
Lifesaving	1st	1st
Masters	1st	1st
Seniors	1st	1st
Juniors to	3rd	4th
IRB's	3rd	2nd
Boats	6th	3rd
Pool	Not held til July 16	1st
Board riding	Results to be confirmed	5th
Overall Champion Club		West Beach

I will reiterate much of what has been achieved is not been the outcome of a single years effort – it's been many years in the making, particularly the last 9 years and it reflects the hard work of our current leadership, our previous board members and our Head Coach, who had laid the foundations for a positive culture, an inclusive club and a club that has seen our juniors transition into seniors as people who want to contribute to the community and people who want to compete for the club.

Our results reflect the goals we have set.

Our results reflect the dedication of the people who coach us.

Our results reflect the effort and training of our competitors.

Our results reflect our club working together within every competition area with all competitors giving their best at all times.

Our results are a reward for our coaches and their assistants.

The areas were we achieved our strongest results continue to be are our senior areas, and by no coincidence reflects upon us as a club, our culture and support of our youth as we retain them as



patrolling members who continue the surf lifesaving tradition, and move into the senior

ranks. Our culture has made us attractive as a club and we hope to see further development with our culture to ensure that we cement a culture emphasising humility, respect and excellence.

Surf Sports Area Structure

Head Coach

West Beach SLSC has only one head coach and that person is Stephen Perry. Steve is a long serving member of West Beach SLSC of some 40 plus years. He started as an under 8 nipper, has held numerous positions on the West Beach SLSC management committee and has held the position of head coach for the last 17 years. He is a Life member of West Beach SLSC, has patrolled over 1000 hours, he competes, mentors our athletes, prepares them for competition, develops our juniors and ensures that all competitive athlete are aware of their potential and sets goals for them to reach, all in a volunteer capacity.

Steve encourages all athletes to be the best they can be. His words of encouragement, expertise and guidance assists our athletes to achieve their goals. Steve is truly "home-grown" and we salute the time and effort that he has dedicated to this club. Ultimately, our clubs competition success falls to him with his coaching guidance.

Steve is supported by Peter Zuill another Life Member and our President. Pete spends hours at the beach and club - coaching our juniors and seniors, towing trailers, carrying equipment, officiating, team managing and mentoring and Pete and his coaching is highly valued by all out competitive members and athletes. Pete was recipient of the SLSSA Volunteer of the Year award which was a well-deserved public recognition of some of Pete's volunteer work. With our coaching in the hands of these two gentleman, we will no doubt continue to improve and build for a positive year next year.

Nominations

Bonnie Richardson has again taken on the role of Nominations Officer. Bonnie is thorough, professional, courteous, efficient and an extremely important member of the Surf Sports team. She works tirelessly to ensure that all nominations have been received and entered and this as you can imagine is a big job. Many thanks Bonnie for your very hard work.

Area Captains and Coaches

2015/2016	Area Captain	Coach and Assistant
Beach	Jess Rafanelli	WBAC
Boards	Ben Zuill	Steve Perry
Boats	Jim Hettner	Jim Hettner
		Col Lindsay
IRB	Dom Green	David Afford
Life Saving	Elena Davis	Melissa Davis-Bishop
(Champion Life		Max Richardson
saver, R&R		Ellen Newberry
and First Aid)		
March Past	Kay Dempsey	Melissa Davis-Bishop
Masters	Jo Varney	
Pool	Sarah Goodwin	Sarah Goodwin
	Max Richardson	Max Richardson
Ski	Cat McArthur	Greg Perry
		Steve Perry
Swim	Matt Zuill	
Board Riding	David Green	David Green

We have continued in 2015/2016 with the appointment of area captains who assist with the management of each area by effectively running activities, operating with club procedures and ensuring these procedures are adhered to, providing accurate information to members, utilising our resources to hold information sessions conducted by invited experts in fields that will providing tools/education and information to further encourage our members and athletes to enhance their learning.

At the beginning of the season, we set goals and objectives for West Beach during the competition season. We assessed our team selection policy, our club equipment allocation policy, introducing a yearly plan for training and competition which will continue to assist in evolving the growth and development of athletes within the club. We encouraged the development of our coaches with additional training and workshops that will enable them to constantly evaluate, plan, assessing strategies and objectives to ensure the future success of surf sports participation at West Beach, whilst remaining excellent role models for our members.

Athlete Reward Program

The West Beach Athlete Reward Program (ARP) at West Beach SLSC (WBSLSC) is an incentive based program available to ALL senior competitors and offers rewards to competitors who fulfil the requirements of the program.

In providing the competition and coaching facilities to members, we incur costs both financially and socially within the club. The ARP is designed to allow members access to competition, coaching facilities and access to club and competition equipment with minimal cost to themselves.

The club needs assistance and good conduct from its members in order to provide these facilities and the ARP shows members what is expected from them in return for the provision of coaching and access to competition.

It also rewards those who excel at their competition whilst maintaining the level of assistance and conduct expected as a member of WBSLSC.

Gear and Equipment

This season we introduced a Craft Purchase Policy which assists individual members to purchase their own gear and equipment. We were fortunate to have purchased a first double ski this season, the first new ski in the club in many years and with 6 double ski teams in open men's, we really do need them!

Much of our equipment continues to age and whilst we weren't able to receive a new boat this season, it has been ordered and will arrive at the club prior to the next season starting. We are in need of equipment with the constant use our club equipment gets with training and competition. Maintaining ageing equipment is expensive and with more members purchasing their own gear, this has assisted the club with rotating our current equipment assets. In addition, the new shed is a valuable asset that will be vital to assist with protecting our equipment both new and old.

Training

Our winter training commenced in May 2015, with Board training sessions at the West Lakes Rowing club, ski sessions and boats out on the Patawalonga Lake. During the winter months, the club's swimming training continued at Immanuel Pool on Tuesday and Thursday's and provided an excellent alternative cross training session. Swimming continued to be popular all season and is an area that will continue to grow. We have been providing open water swim sessions early morning, and these are also seeing growth in numbers.

We have aimed to provide a range of training for all members, whether they are beginners or new Bronzies, or surf hardy and experienced and we will continue to develop the opportunities we provide for training.

State and Development Team

Our congratulations go to our athletes selected to represent West Beach SLSC and South Australia in the development and state teams. This year our devolvement team athletes were able to travel to Torquay, Victoria from the 6^{th} – 11th January 2016 to contest the Southern States Challenge and the State Team athletes competed in the Interstate Championships.

2015/16 SLSSA Development Team		
Harry Dawkins	U14	
James Borlase	U14	
Gretel Mead	U15	
Jesse Ellis	U15	

2015/16 SLSSA State Team	
Glenn Rypp	Open
Ben Zuill	Open
Matt Zuill	Open
Brittany Jessup	U19
Ryland Newberry	U19
Sophie Zuill	U19

High Performance Academy

Surf Life Saving SA have partnered with Flinders University and SA Aquatic and Leisure Centre to design and develop a program aimed at assisting surf sports athletes to be the best they can. The High Performance Academy Selects and identifies athletes who will be provided with the opportunity to participate in the "Academy" with the primary aim of attaining the conditioning, skills and knowledge to improve performances on a national stage. The program has been designed to achieve several primary objectives including:

- Recognise the past performances of HP athletes and provide them with ongoing assistance and support.
- Encourage and motivate existing and aspiring HP athletes to aim for constant improvement.
- Increase the profile of Surf Sports athletes for personal, club and state benefit.
- To complement the coaching athletes receive at club level.
- To provide specialist training, education or services that may not be delivered at club level.
- To provide athletes with access to current sporting education, technology and facilities.

West Beach athletes featured in the High Performance squad in both tier one and tier two and we were proud to congratulate our athletes in being selected

Tier One Athletes	
Kate Curtis	Glenn Rypp
Jayden Ellis	Jackie Staples
Brittany Jessup	Matthew Zuill
Chris Kither	Benjamin Zuill
Catherine McArthur	
Tier Two Athletes	
Owen McLeod	Sophie Zuill
Ryland Newberry	

Nationals

The Australian Surf Titles, this year returning to the Sunshine Coast in Qld, the first time in 50 years. The conditions were challenging as per usual but all competitors were fearless and competed as if the swell was something they see every day. Our Youth Team, consisting of 2 females, 2 males all competed strongly, and represented our club proudly.

Billie Highett- her first national titles. She took on the tricky conditions with confidence and enthusiasm. Her tenacity and determination made her a fearless competitor and has shown her what potential she has.

Cameron Varney - Cam is an under 14 and took to the water as if he has competed here for years. His competitor's height advantage did not phase

him at all and he flew around the course on his board and swam with great strength powering through the swell.



Gretel Mead - this was her second championships and she had set herself some very achievable goals. Gretel is a fierce, determined, focused athlete who performs to her very best, always putting in 100%. The conditions were very challenging and whilst Gretel may be disappointed, we were very proud of her.

Tommy- this was also Tommy's second go at youth, however his preparation had been significantly interrupted with a broken thumb. He was determined to compete and despite missing almost a month of training he powered through the chop and rode the big waves like a seasoned professional with no fear at all. Somehow he managed to get himself a new board and so he is looking forward to the next season and winter lake training. The Masters Championships saw some exceptional results. A gold and silver individual medals to Jo Sutcliffe and a Silver medal in the Women's Surf Teams with her team mates Jo Varney and Sarah Goodwin. Congratulations JO, you have worked very hard and your results reflect your hard work. Jo Varney provided an emotional moment when she asked for permission to accompany her mum around the course. In big swell, they got around the cans which was a fantastic achievement and gave Faye the security and reassurance of feeling safe with ready help (which wasn't needed) close by.



Michael and Jo Varney with their children Cam and Oly. Jo's mum Faye and Michael Harman.

The Open Championships didn't provide many final placings this year however we are continuing to implement our plan and know that we will gain success in the near future.

Many thanks to Peter Zuill who took on the role as overall Open Team Manager. He was ably assisted by Damian Newberry and Jim Hettner. A special mention to Bonnie who managed the Lifesaving area and spent hours attending to the nominations and Susan Highett who managed the First Aid. Kirsty Mead compiled the team grants and the Varney's towed the trailer along with Vin Cobiac from Brighton SLSC.

Masters Nationals Results

Event	Category	Results			
2km Run	40-44 Male 2km Beach Run	4 th	Varney	Michael	Final
Beach Flags	65 Years + Female Beach Flags	6 th	Harman	Lola	Final
Beach Flags	65 Years + Female Beach Flags	6 th	Harman	Lola	Final
Board Race	65-69 Male Surf Board	7 th	Farmer	Gavan	Heat
Board Race	40-44 Female Surf Board	4 th	Varney	Josephine	Heat
Board Rescue	55-59 Male Surf Board Rescue	7 th	Farmer	Gavan	Heat
Board Rescue	55-59 Male Surf Board Rescue	7 th	Simpson	Grant	Heat
Tube Race	40-44 Female Rescue Tube Race	6 th	Varney	Josephine	Heat
Tube Race	55-59 Female Rescue Tube Race	Gold	Sutcliffe	Joanne	Final
Surf Race	55-59 Men's Surf Race	6 th	Simpson	Grant	Heat
Surf Race	35-39 Female Surf Race	17 th	Goodwin	Sarah	Heat
Surf Race	40-44 Female Surf Race	5 th	Varney	Josephine	Heat
Surf Race	55-59 Female Surf Race	Silver	Sutcliffe	Joanne	Final
Surf Race	65Yrs and Over Female Surf Race	7 th	Harman	Lola	Final
Surf Race	70 Yrs and Over Surf Race	12 th	Harman	Michael	Final
Surf Team	130 Yrs Female Surf Team	Silver	Goodwin	Sarah	Final
Surf Team	130 Yrs Female Surf Team	Silver	Sutcliffe	Joanne	Final
Surf Team	2213/ 130 Yrs Female Surf Team	Silver	Varney	Josephine	Final

Open Nationals Results

Australian Championships Finals 201	6				
Event	Round	Place	Last Name	First Name	Team
U19 Male Beach Flags	Semi	16	Newberry	Ryland	-
Open Female Board Rescue	Qtr.	6	Staples	Jacqueline	Team B
Open Female Board Rescue	Qtr.	6	Zuill	Sophie	Team B
U17 Female Board Rescue	Qtr.	9	Fox	Laura	Team A
U17 Female Board Rescue	Qtr.	9	Hettner	Alyson	Team A
U17 Female Board	Qtr.		Hettner	Alyson	-
Open Female Champion Lifesaver	Final	6	Davis	Elena	-
U19 Female Champion Lifesaver	Final	8	Zuill	Georgia	-
U17 Female Champion Lifesaver	Final	8	Hettner	Alyson	-
U17 First Aid	Final	8	Newberry	Ellen	Team A
U17 First Aid	Final	8	Richardson	Max	Team A
Open Ironman	Qtr.	15	Zuill	Benjamin	-
Open Ironman	Qtr.	12	Zuill	Matthew	-
U19 Female Ski	Semi	5	Jessup	Brittany	-
Open Male Ski Relay	Qtr.	10	Ellis	Jayden	Team B
Open Male Ski Relay	Qtr.	10	Ryan	Zachary	Team B
Open Male Ski Relay	Qtr.	10	Zuill	Benjamin	Team B
Open Male Surf Ski Relay	Qtr.	12	Kither	Christopher	Team A
Open Male Ski Relay	Qtr.	12	McLeod	Owen	Team A
Open Male Ski Relay	Qtr.	12	Rypp	Glenn	Team A
Female Restricted Surf Race	Final	9	Staples	Jacqueline	-
Female Restricted Surf Race	Final	14	Ireland	Jessica	-
Open Female Surf Team	Final	9	Curtis	Kate	Team A
Open Female Surf Team	Final	9	Ireland	Jessica	Team A
Open Female Surf Team	Final	9	Staples	Jacqueline	Team A
Open Female Surf Team	Final	9	Zuill	Georgia	Team A

Officials

Surf officials are the key to the effective running of all surf sports events like any competition that our children or we as individuals participate in officials / umpires / referees / coaches / trainers and other volunteers are required for the competition to occur.

West Beach is growing as a club and for us to keep our sport growing and to continue to attract new members and potential lifesavers, we need to recruit more officials. Being an official doesn't mean you have to officiate at each carnival, but it is great to think we have a list of people to draw from so we can have a roster and fulfil our quota requirements Many thanks to those members become officials this year for the club. Our active officials who help us fulfil our official's quota for competition throughout the season.

Linda Fox was our Officials Co-ordinator this year. She found it challenging organising the rosters but perseverance paid off and we over filled our quota at every carnival except one.

This year our West Beach Official of the year has completed the Level 1 course



twice – once in 05/05/2003 and again in 2015. He officiated at or participated in almost every carnival event this season - juniors, seniors, Lifesaving events and pool and upheld the Officials code of conduct – he made a commitment to providing quality service, respected the rights, dignity and worth of others, was fair, equitable, considerate and honest and importantly was a positive role model for surf lifesavers, competitors and other officials. Our congratulations to Brian Burrowes.

West Beach R	egistered Officia	als 2015/2016
Jenny	Вее	Surf Official Level 1
Belinda	Berry	Surf Official Level 1
Melissa	Davis-Bishop	Surf Official Level 1
Helen	Fillery	Surf Official Level 1
Sarah	Goodwin	Surf Official Level 1
Anne	Green	Surf Official Level 1
Susan	Highett	Surf Official Level 1
Matthew	Jenkin	Surf Official Level 1
Briny	McArthur	Surf Official Level 1
Kirsty	Mead	Surf Official Level 1
Sarah	Nash	Surf Official Level 1
Damian	Newberry	Surf Official Level 1
Bonnie	Richardson	Surf Official Level 1
Lynn	Rush	Surf Official Level 1
Anne-Marie	Russell	Surf Official Level 1
Brenda	Thornton	Surf Official Level 1
Josephine	Varney	Surf Official Level 1
Heinrich	Hofer	Surf Official Level 2
Peter	McManus	Surf Official Level 2
Christine	Newberry	Surf Official Level 2
Peter	Zuill	Surf Official Level 2
Rachel	Bell	Surf Sports - Junior Official
Leca	Reading	Surf Sports - Junior Official

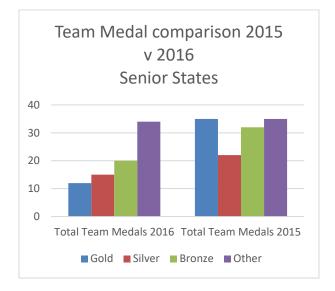
Photographer

Photos provide us with memories and remain an object of great sentimental value even in era of image and information overload. Whilst we may not go away and print a photograph from any occasion, the very fact that we have a photo, a moment in time captured forever and that is what we will treasure. We are very fortunate to have someone at the club who for the past 15 years at the club has spent hours on the beach taking photos not only of her own children but of everyone else's. We can honestly say there is not a photo missing of anyone

So whilst the days of the family photo album may been replaced by the digital photo frame, photos will always be to remind us of our precious memories and we would like to thank Joanne Kneebone for the wonderful job that she has done.

Senior States

Whilst I could make many individual mentions that contribute to our competition success, I won't. We mostly all know who the people are who "work" behind the scenes - who coach, administer, officiate, take wonderful photos, team and age managers, parents, competitors and have boundless energy to continue to do this. We have some exciting initiatives planned for 2016 and as the winter season is upon us, we make plans and prepare for the year ahead. My thanks again to all and to our nominations officer Bonnie Richardson who spends hours chasing nominations / checking hours / messaging and emailing competitors and potential competitors to get their entries completed.



Seniors Medal Winr	ners 20:	15-2016	(Individu	al)
	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Other
				Finals
Boag Lachie				3
Borlase James			2	3
Curtis Kate			1	1
Cutting Leah				1
Davis Elena				1
Dawkins Harrison	1	2	1	1
Dedai Sean				1
Ellis Jayden				2
Ellis Jesse				2
Falster Georgy			1	1
Fox Carla		2	1	
Fox Laura				3
Goldner Kelsey				1
Hettner Alyson				3
Hettner Nathan	1		2	
Holt Lachlan				2
Ireland Jessica		1	1	1
Jessup Brittany	1	4		2
Kither				1
Christopher				
Lock Larissa				1
McArthur		1		
Catherine McLeod Owen		1		
Mead Gretel	3	_	1	
	5	1	1	1
Newberry Ellen			1	
Newberry Ryland			1	3
O Brien Taylor				1
Pena Roxanne				5
Perry Emma				1
Pope Sophie Roberts Olivia				1
				_
Ryan Zachary	1	1		1
Rypp Glenn	1 2	1		
Staples Jacqueline	Z	2		
Thorne Abby			1	1
Varney Josephine			-	-
Zuill Benjamin	4		1	
Zuill Georgia		1	1	5
Zuill Matthew		2	2	2
Zuill Sophie		3	1	2
Grand Total	13	21	17	55
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Masters Medal W	Vinners	2015-20	16		
	Gold	Silver	Bron	ze	Other Finals
Barreau Bradley	0	0	0		1
Collins Norm	2	0	0		0
Conroy Sandra	0	0	0		4
Dempsey Kay	0	0	0		1
Ellis Damien	0	0	0		1
Farmer Gavan	0	1	0		0
Fox Peter	1	0	0		0
Goodfellow Briony	1	2	1		2
, Goodwin Sarah	0	2	2		0
Harman Lola	6	0	0		0
Harman Michael	0	0	0		3
Hay Dennis	0	0	0		4
Juniper David	0	2	2		0
Lindsay Colin	0	0	1		1
Martel Candace	0	1	2		3
McArthur Glenda	0	3	3		2
McManus Peter	0	0	0		1
Nazimi Leila	0	1	0		0
Newberry Damian	0	0	0		1
Perry Gregory	1	0	1		1
Rafanelli Paul	0	0	0		2
Reinke Sharon	1	0	0		2
Rypp George	0	0	1		0
Simpson Grant	0	3	1		0
Stevenson James	1	1	1		0
Sutcliffe Joanne	5	1	1	1	
Talbot Martyn	0	1	0	1	
Varney Josephine	1	3	0	1	
Varney Michael	1	0	0	0	
Weydling Peter	0	0	0	1	
Zuill Zorica	0	1	0	0	
Grand Total	20	22	16	33	
	20	22	10	55	

List of all Medal winners gathered from EMS

Senior Club Championships

This year our Club champs were held 13th February 2016. It seems to get more difficult to fit these in with such a packed surf carnival calendar but nevertheless, our numbers of members contesting the club champs are continuing to rise.

This year we had 2 countbacks – (1 in open women's category and 1 in masters women) we had 1 competitor achieve 100% in the theory paper, the category winner was decided by 1 event in 2 age groups and we had 1 junior male competitor. Congratulations to all our Club Champions for 2015-2016.

I would also like to congratulate the winners of our Area Awards which were presented at the senior presentation night recently. These awards recognise not only performance, but recognise qualities such as attitude and approach to training, training attendance, initiative shown and leadership qualities. We are proud of the effort that all competitors put in to their performance and it is very difficult to single out winners.

I look forward to the next season and wish you all the very best.

Christine Newberry Director of Surf Sports

Beach Area

The 2015/2016 season was going to be the year of the beach for the West Beach SLSC, with plenty of room for improvement and the great addition to the club of Andrew Beck. Having Andrew Beck this year as the head coach with his many years of experience not only with sprinters but with sporting athletes also, gave great insight and knowledge and created a strong foundation for the upcoming year(s). In creating this foundation we utilised the budget in buying equipment which we will be able to use in the off season and start of the pre-season. Numbers fluctuated greatly throughout the year, which made it rather difficult to develop a training plan when getting into the main part of the season. The training time of 4:30 makes it rather difficult as well.

At the beach series we always had some decent numbers competing, but it was always the same names. Where we lose a lot of the points is the lack of numbers in the beach series whereas other clubs get plenty. It has improved compared to other years, but still plenty more room do so. Towards the end of the year, we started to increase numbers, especially when the talk of relay teams came in to contention. This also helped when trainings started on Saturday mornings before ironman training.

The individual results were not as strong as they have been in previous years, but still had some strong performances running up from the younger age groups all the way to the top. The biggest highlight of the year would have to be the relays. Finding numbers for relays has usually been a struggle, although this year showed some more promise. The open male and open female teams showed athletes from all age groups coming up to fill numbers and achieving some great results. Kids from as young as under 17's and even a master competing in those relays.

The athletes I would give special mentions to are Nathan Hettner, Abby Thorne and Carla Fox. These 3 athletes displayed massive amounts of leadership, attendance, dedication, and high levels of performance throughout the season. The athlete who went above and beyond in all categories this year was Ryland Newberry, this showed evidently in his results. He is the 2015/2016 Beach award winner.



Overall the year was a success but as always there are many areas to which I think we can further improve results and numbers.

Jess Rafanelli Beach Area Captain

Board Area

Well, what another great year we have had - and once again we saw our club be one of, if not THE strongest in the board area.

We managed to claim 8 team placings and 5 more teams in the top 6 over the 8 gender and age categories, including a 2nd and 3rd double, in both the open women and under 19 women events which is pretty hard to do, requiring 6 of the best board paddlers in the state.

Although the lifesaver relay and the Taplin are multi-discipline it was still amazing for the club to take out the 3 biggest team events on the schedule - the open male Taplin, open female Taplin and the open lifesaver relay. This is the first time we had won the open male Taplin or the lifesaver relay, let alone both in one year. Along with the great relays there were also some outstanding individual results, a couple notable mentions are Nathan Hettner, the Jag King, coming from the clouds to catch the lead wave and have perfect the finish to come away with the win.

Unlike Nathan, our U15 guru girl Gretel did it the hard way and managed to lead practically from start to finish to take out the U15 female board race.

Unfortunately in surf you don't always get the luck and we saw a bit of this, James Borlase couldn't catch a break when it happened in both the U14 board and iron but still came away with a 4th and a 3rd respectively, just being edged out on the day by Harry Dawkins who got 3rd and 2nd, as first years on the mals i hope you guys enjoyed it and are keen for a hard cold winter.

On the topic of jags our board award winner this year, Sophie Zuill, got a bit unlucky. As a first year 17, and a young one at that, it was the first time she was allowed to compete in the open category. It was close to a fairy-tale finish, but it just wasn't meant to be, she lead the whole way, put at least a board length on the field but was mowed down by a wave but still ended up with a second, THEN went in to the U17 board race where she was winning by even more and unfortunately had

almost exactly the same fate, this one really got to her. Honestly it shows how much it meant to her.



I genuinely believe everyone in the training group can learn something from the way Sophie trains, including the opens. You won't meet anyone who "just gets on with it" without complaining as well as Sophie does, and when she is told to "pick it up" she always has another level. With young competitors like herself, West Beach has a bright future in the board area.

Ben Zuill Board Area Captain

Boat Area



We had exceptional growth in the number of crews at West Beach this year and this showed in our success at Master and Senior State Titles.

This growth while great for the club did present problems in regards to managing and training the number of people involved. To alleviate and manage this growth a meeting was held before the season of 2015/16 started, to allocate jobs and training schedules.



West Beach Boat Positions

Boat Captain: Jim Hettner

Asst Boat Captains: Sarah Lindsay & Sam Malloy Gear Stewards: Dave Gava, Rob Hettner, Martyn Talbot, Mike Harman, Jordan Hall & Bree Hartas ASRL Rep: Sarah Lindsay, Rhea Bergmann & Brian Burrows

Nomination Officer: Sarah Lindsay & Sam Malloy

Fundraising/Sponsorship: Rhea Bergmann, Sarah Price, Bree Hartas & Jo Davis.

Social Co-ord: Sarah Nash, Jenny Bee & Tracey Holt

Coaches/Sweeps: Col Lindsay, Peter Snell & Jim Hettner

Sweeps (non accredited): Scott Fitzgerald, Sam Malloy, Dickie Hoyle, Rob Hettner, Dave Gava, Peter Weydling



A decision was also made to be serious in our efforts to raise funds for the club and a target of \$15,000.00 was set and we managed to raise \$13,863.45 before Christmas just shy of our target.

Club meat tray nights	\$4,655.20
Rock Quiz	\$4,061.75
BBQ's (Festivals & Sports training)	\$2,116.50
Cadbury Chocolates	\$2,030.00
Donations (thanks Toyota Finance)	\$1,000.00

With the number of crews this year we had people training either in the boat or gym almost every day over the summer, with Sunday morning seeing the most action.

Most Sunday mornings there were 4 boats out on the water for between 3-4 hours.

At the pointy end of the season we managed to enter 14 crews in the State Masters carnival & 6 teams in the Senior State Titles.

Masters Surf Boat State Titles

Female 120 yrs J Davies, M Davis-Bishop, S Lindsay, S Price – C Lindsay (sweep) 3rd - Bronze

Female 140 yrs	A Cappelluti, K Cavanagh, C Martel, L Nazimi – P Snell (sweep) 2 nd - Silver
Male 140 yrs	B Burrows, S Fitzgerald, C Lindsay, T Schultz – P Snell (sweep) 4th
Female 160 yrs	B Hartas, N Ostrognay, S Reinke, S Salter – J Hettner (sweep) 4th
Male 160 yrs	N Fennel, D Fillery, M Levy, R Ostrognay – J Hettner (sweep) 6th
Female 180 yrs	B Goodfellow, T Holt, T Rafanelli, S Nash – P Snell (sweep) 1 st - GOLD
Male 180 yrs	J Hettner, S Holt, M Talbot, P Liptak – C Lindsay (sweep) Semi Final
Female 200 yrs	J Bee, K Dempsey, M Domarecki, L Eastwood – J Hettner (sweep) 2 nd - Silver
Male 200 yrs	D Gava, P Humphries, T Mather, P Snell – C Lindsay (sweep) 2 nd - Silver
Male 220 yrs	P Finck, P Fox, A Macleod, G Would – P Snell (sweep) 2 nd - Silver
Male 240 yrs	M Harman,G Humphries,B MacIntosh, T Shahmorad–J Hettner 1 st - GOLD
Male 240 yrs	P Edwards, W Hoyle, P Weydling, R Wilson – P Snell (sweep) 4 th

Masters Boat Point Score

First time ever (ever being as long as I can remember) West Beach won a boat carnival.

2016 MASTERS (BOATS) STATE CHAMP

Rank	Club	Points
1	West Beach SLSC	70
2	Grange SLSC	47
3	Semaphore SLSC	35
4	South Port SLSC Inc (SA)	34
5	Glenelg SLSC	32
6	Somerton SLSC	30
7	Port Elliot SLSC	29
8	Brighton SLSC (SA)	22
9	Henley SLSC	19
10	Port Noarlunga SLSC	13
10	Aldinga Bay SLSC	13
11	Moana SLSC	10
12	Seacliff SLSC	7
13	Chiton Rocks SLSC	5

Senior Surf Boat State Titles

Open Female Surf Boats

R Bergmann, J Davies, G Falster, K Summerton – C Lindsay (sweep) - **Won the plate**

B Goodfellow, T Holt, T Rafanelli, S Nash – P Snell (sweep) - **6th**

A Cappelluti, K Cavanagh, C Martel, L Nazimi – J Hettner (sweep) - **5th**

Open Male Surf Boats

D Gava, P Humphries, T Mather, P Snell – J Hettner (sweep) - **6th**

Male Reserve Surf Boats

M Afford, J Hall, S Hettner, H Lindsay – C Lindsay (sweep) - **2nd - Silver**

S Holt, P Liptak, M Talbot, S Malloy – J Hettner (sweep) - **Semi final**

P Finck, P Fox, A MacLeod, G Would – P Weydling (sweep) - **Semi final**

Female U23 Surf Boats

E Alexander, G Brazenall, J Cunningham, T Talbot – J Hettner (sweep) - **Retired through injury**

Female U19 Surf Boats

K Hettner, C Fox, A Huggett, E Levy – J Hettner (sweep) - **2**nd – **Silver**

SURF BOAT RELAY - 6th & 7th

At the finish West Beach placed 6th in Senior States Surf Boats with 20 points, a vast improvement on our past endeavours. We are starting to build not just a strong boating group that now includes many younger competitors.

Henley	84	1
Port Elliott	31	2
Somerton	23	3
Glenelg	20	4
Sempahore	22	5
West Beach	20	6
Grange	11	7
Soutport	9	8
Brighton	6	9

Congratulations to Rhea Bergamm for being the West Beach Boatie of the year, Rhea was always one of the first to arrive and last to leave displaying all the great characteristics we love to see in a committed rower, love of a challenge, a thirst for improvement, a great work ethic and excellent leadership qualities.

Thank you to all of our competitors we had excellent results and plenty of fun along the way but a special big thankyou to Sam Malloy and Sarah Lindsay for keeping us organised and on track throughout the year. Also thanks to Sandy Conroy for managing the beach at carnivals throughout the year.

West Beach Boaties had a very successful year with continued growth in our numbers and excellent improvement in our younger crews. With the continued growth and improvement in our sweep numbers the aim for 2016/2017 is to train our senior crews to a level where they can attend and compete at a national level.

Jim Hettner Boat Captain

Pool Rescue Area

The State pool lifesaving championships were held over two weekends on the 27th & 29th of June, concluding the 2014/15 surf sports competition season and sealing the Overall State Championship. West Beach fielded a team of 35 competitors across various age groups ranging from U12 to 60+. West Beach won the overall SA State Pool Lifesaving Championship and State Flag by 236 points. This was an incredible feet considering how more clubs are now getting involved in Pool Lifesaving, we were strong across the board from individual points across all age groups and our domination in all teams events.

A lots of new comers to Pool Lifesaving this year from the Juniors, Seniors and Masters Alex Highett, Stella O, Oliver Varney, Finlay Suttie, Henry Jenkins, Harrison Green, Larissa Lock, Aidan Lock, Harry Dawkins, Jackie Staples, Dennis Hay, James Stevenson and Norm Collins.

Lots of outstanding performances over the 2 days of competition:

 West Beach going 1,2 3 in the Open Women's 200m Obstacle, 100m Manikin tow, 100m manikin carry, 50m Manikin Carry – the combination of our very strong Open Female team of Jackie Staples, Georgie Falster, Elena Davis, Josephine Varney and Sarah Goodwin– picking up crazy amount of points in the Open Female area.

- 50m Fins: Masters Men going 1st Colin Lindsay, 2nd James Stevenson
- 100m Tow U15 Female 2nd Sophie Zuill, 3rd Laura Fox, 4th Alyson Hettner
- Super Lifesaver 1st Jackie Staples, 2nd Sarah Goodwin, 4th Elena Davis

OUR GOLD MEDALLISTS

200m Obstacle	Open Men's Ben Zuill, Open
	Female Jackie Staples,
	Masters Joanne Varney,
	Masters Norm Collins
Obstacle Relays	U19s / Open / Maters
Line throw	Open & Masters Male and
	Female teams
50m Fins	Open Female Jackie Staples,
	Masters Colin Lindsey,
	Masters Sarah Goodwin
100m Tow	U17 Max Richardson, U19
	Matthew Zuill, Open Sarah
	Goodwin, Masters Colin
	Lindsey, Masters Sarah
	Goodwin
Super lifesaver	U19 Roxanne Pena, Open
	Jackie Staples
Medley Relays–	U19s, Open
50m Manikin Carry U	J15 Nathan Hettner, U19
	Roxanne Pena, U19 Jayden
	Ellis, Open Sarah Goodwin,
	Masters Colin Lindsey,
	Masters Dennis Hay,
	Masters Sarah Goodwin
100m Manikin Carry	– U19 Jayden, Open Jackie
	Staples, Masters Sarah
	Goodwin
100m Medley	Jackie Staples
Manikin Relay	U15s, U19s, Open &
	Masters

Jackie Staple, Colin Lindsey, Jayden Ellis, Roxanne Pena and Jo Varney stood out amongst the competition and produced many highlights through their individual races. It was very pleasing to see many West Beach competitors make their debuts in the pool arena and be rewarded with gaining medals in their respective events.

I'd like to congratulate the 2015 pool lifesaving award winner Max Richardson had a successful year. Winning his age group in the U17 100m Tow and is our line throw champion and super coach! He attended every single training session and assisted with coaching, equipment handling and

team selection. Your help and support has not gone unnoticed and is very much appreciated by me.



A huge thank you to Bonnie Richardson as always for helping out with nominations, equipment handling and other various roles across the weekend. These meets cannot happen without the valuable involvement these members give. Our officials were Matt Jenkin, Bonnie Richardson, Christine Newberry, Anne-Marie Russell and Kirsty Mead. Our timekeepers were Brian Burrowes, Susan Highett, Liam Clifford, Jo Kneebone, Brenda Thornton and Sarah Lindsay. Our pool deck helpers were Jim Hettner, David and Ellis Julie Goldner. To the keeper of the FINS – special role of the weekend of competition... The Fin Coordinators Linda and Peter Fox

Sarah Goodwin Pool Rescue Area Captain

IRB Report

The majority of Surf Lifesaving rescues on our beaches involve an IRB so after being dormant for over a decade, the West Beach IRB squad is back to full force with our racing team being reprised in 2013. West Beach has a proud history in this discipline going back many moons and in the last few years we have have attracted attention from

across the state and even around Australia with interstate drivers relocating to South Australia just to don the double blue for



the IRB racing team.

As many of you know IRBs open the surf sports competition season, with the 2015-16 season has been our best in recent history. We saw our New South Wales recruits Anthony and Kaitlin depart back home but it was a year where we witnessed significant growth in the team with many newcomers to the sport.

Our team came within an inch, literally an inch, of winning the state title at Christies Beach last season. Brighton had a squad double our numbers and edged us out by 5 points, so we are a wellestablished force in South Australian IRBs. Courtney Hettner and Georgy Falster tore up the field bringing plenty of gold and silverware for the club while Holly Batty and Elena Davis consistently performed well throughout the winter to make their mark as one of the best crews in the state. Dom Green was arguably our most improved driver for the 2015-16 season pulling a gold medal with his superfish crewmember Matt Zuill in just about all Under 23 events and some Open events.

Nationals were a tough battle for everyone but the vibe of the Sunshine Coast was not going to damper our moods. We loved every minute of the experience and have certainly learnt some huge lessons in how we can improve our racing at the highest level.

As a reward for all their dedication throughout the Adelaide winter, Georgy Falster, Courtney Hettner, Elena Davis, Matthew Zuill and Holly Batty who couldn't compete due to work commitments, were all selected to represent SA at the Interstate IRB Championships held at Mooloolaba.

A special thanks is owed to our incredible support team of David Afford (coach), Tracy Afford (manager), Jim Hettner and Mike Hartas who made up our valuable support crew, and to Peter Zuill and Anne Green for officiating. Without whom we would not be able to race.

This year's winner of the 2015/16 IRB award is a relatively new member to the club. She has found her stride in many disciplines and become a highly



valued member at the West Beach Surf club. This athlete has improved dramatically and showed great enthusiasm throughout the season and I can't wait to see what she will achieve this year. So without further ado, the winner of the 2015/16 IRB is, Georgy Falster.

Good luck for the upcoming season.

Jess Rafanelli IRB Race Captain

Masters Report

The West Beach Masters had another awesome vear. Again, the boaties started us off in the winning way, walking away first at the end of Masters' Boats (see the bot section for a fuller description of master's boats). At the end of the individual day we were in second place, to a strengthening Seacliff. However, our depth showed in teams day, when we railed, bringing the deficit back to 22 points. With our Masters' boaties doing such a fabulous job, we were happy to walk away with the win overall. Congratulations to

all involved.



The stand out Masters' competitor of the year was Joanne Sutcliffe. Returning from her dual mastectomy and shoulder reconstruction, she earned 101 points of West Beach Masters' 836 points. She competed in 14 of 16 possible events and earned points in all bar one of these events, this included 9 Gold, 2 Silver and 3 Bronze medals. Joanne subsequently backed this up by winning Gold in 55-59 Women's Tube Race, Silver in the 55-59 Women's Surf Race, and Silver in the 130+ Female Surf Teams Race (with Jo V and Sarah G) at AUSSIES. It was a truly inspirational individual performance.

A particularly honourable mention goes to Glenda McArthur. She has worked hard this season, coming out to board trainings on a regular basis and squeezing in some swimming sessions. At Masters' State Titles Glenda earned 92 points: 5 Gold, 5 Silver and 3 Bronze medals. Glenda also won Female Masters Club Champion due to her excellent all-round abilities. I would also like to mention my mum, Faye Harman, for completing the swim at AUSSIES in really big surf. She was very nervous and very brave. She also came 6th in flags and sprints. Pretty good for her 70+ years.

Again, Scotty, Norm, Damian, Brad and Glenda joined Briony at board and ski training, and had fun mixing it up with the kids. Paul, Jake, Don and Lisette continued their morning ski trainings, with Brad very happy with his gold in the double ski with Greg. Greg, Barney, Scotty and Grant continued to come away with many medals at Masters' States - as we have come to expect from them. Don, George, Norm, Martin, Damian, Brad, Damien E, Gavin F and Pete F, Col L, Mike L, Dave R, joined the others in many medalling teams. At the older end of the men's scale, Dennis, Bob, Michael H, Peter W and Peter F received many medals in their 190+ teams. Thanks to Dennis for organising the 'old boys'

The girls also had their 'old girls' with Faye and Kay getting second in board rescue, and backing up with more medals in team and individual events. Sharon, as always, did anything she was

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asked with the biggest smile that made us all laugh, and surprising only herself with her competence and skill. Lisette and Zorica had a wonderful win in their double ski. Casey had fun at her first Masters' State Titles giving everything her very best and winning some medals along the way. All the rest of the women earned points and medals - thank you to you all.

Well done WB Masters - you were awesome.

Josephine Varney Female Master Captain

Ski Report

2015/2016 The season produced some exceptional results for the club with numerous medals, many of which were gold at the Senior State Titles. But the great season was created on more than just the one weekend in March. The multiple weekends, over summer, leading up to the state championships also produced excellent results for the club. Our 'Open' competitors lead the charge, producing consistent performances throughout the whole summer, but the end result doesn't come without the results and participation from the younger age groups.

At the very beginning of the season, SLSSA launched the High Performance Academy, with 12 West Beach athletes being selected into the squad. And of course, without forgetting the most important role, Stephen Perry announced as State Coach for the team. This was a great opportunity for the selected athletes to gain access to various sports science testing and knowledge to help improve their performances on the beach.

The SA Interstate Championships Team was a tough selection, with a number of athletes showing exceptional performances in carnivals leading up to selection. Whilst West Beach boasted 25% of this team, with athletes from all over the state being selected, Brittany Jessup, Glenn Rypp and Ryland Newberry were specifically selected for ski events. All of which

produced great results over the weekend of racing.

Fast forwarding to the SLSSA State Championships, the ski area, and in particular the open's category, was dominated by West Beach. Attributing this success to the vast number of athletes to produce multiple teams with. By having A, B, C and D teams in most events allowed the club to push themselves into the point scoring positions in most events, scoring essential points for the overall club tally.

One of the most impressive sets of performances of the weekend comes from the open male arena. The open male single ski and open male double ski podium's were 100% West Beach paddlers. Glenn Rypp took out the single ski as well as the double ski with Zac Ryan. Owen Mcleod was a close second in the single and paired with third place in the singles, Ben Zuill to take an impressive third in the doubles. Also on the double ski podium in second place was Chris Kither and Jayden Ellis. The men continued their great success in the water, coming first and second in their ski relay with an exciting upset from the 'B team' coming over the top of the 'A team'.

Over to the female area, similar results were seen. In the double ski final, Elena Davis and Cat McArthur took the win, with teammates Kate Curtis and Jessica Ireland as well as Brittany Jessup and Sophie Pope finishing in third and fourth respectively. In the open ski relay, Kate, Elena and Cat teamed up to come in first with team mates from the B team coming in a close fourth. Young guns, Brittany and Sophie also racing in their age group of U19's came third in their double ski with Brittany also standing on the podium in second for her U19 single ski race. Worth a special mention is Sophie and Emma Perry finishing in the important point scoring positions of fourth and fifth respectively.

The team events were a true highlight over the weekend and seeing the younger competitors stepping it up to compete in open teams was inspiring to see. The open taplin relays as well as the open lifesaver relay were taken out by the club which is a true reflection of the quality and quantity of high-class competitors within the club, across all ages and all disciplines.

This year, Glenn Rypp is the recipient of the Annual Ski Area Award. His consistent attendance at both training and carnivals is only one of the reasons in which he is deserving of the award. Glenn was selected on to the Annual High Performance squad, SA State Team where he placed 5th in the final and state champion in the single, double and mixed double events. Glenn has also helped out with some of the newer

paddlers to the club, helping kayakers make the transition to the beach.



No such results could have been possible without the incredible support from the 'team behind the team' and special mention needs to be made to acknowledge them. Stephen Perry, 'Super Coach', showed true commitment to the team, ensuring we were able to back up from what was such a successful year in 2014/2015. Peter Zuill, Greg Perry, Christine Newberry and many more I haven't mentioned such as members of the board are also integral to the success at the club. Furthermore, acknowledging the effort that went into ensuring the ski team a brand new double ski both in time for State and National Championships, it definitely was a winner in the water!

I truly believe the important building blocks are set in place for successes, like the ones achieved this season, to continue for many years to come!

Catherine McArthur Ski Captain

Swim Report

This season has been a massive season filled with countless results in all age groups. There has been

a great show of dedication in the pool and at the beach with a lot of new faces becoming regulars to club swimming sessions. This dedication has been rewarded with incredible improvement and results through the year have shown this.

There were many outstanding efforts throughout the 5 carnivals and State Titles, particularly in the younger age groups. The most remarkable results in the swim area this season came from one of our youngest senior competitors, Harry Dawkins, where he took out every U14 swim for the year, six surf races from five carnivals and State titles, as well as a second place in the rescue tube race at States day 1. To have this sort of consistency over 5 months of competition is nothing short of inspirational.

Ben Zuill and Gretel Mead also came away with great results through the season, finishing in the top 2 at every carnival and, come State Titles, Ben

took out the open swim title and Gretel finished third in the U15 swim.



Once again we have shown our depth as a club this season in the swim area through our swim teams. Across the 8 swim team races at States we had 9 team finish in a top 5 position, with 7 of those teams making it into the top 3. The female area proved their strength, with some U17 girls competing in multiple age groups, by two teams in each U19 and open categories placing second and third. While the U17 girls managed to win their swim team race. Most of these girls travelled over to the Sunshine Coast for the Australian Titles where they entered an open swim team consisting of Jackie Staples, Kate Curtis, Brittany Jessup and Georgia Zuill made the final and finished in 9th place. This was an amazing result and to think half of the team are still U19s makes it that much more exciting.

Club swimming sessions at Immanuel Pool have sparked new talent, young and old, with regular swimmers consistently improving speed and fitness throughout the year. Seeing the determination and dedication of the young swimmers around the club is very exciting and as they make their way into seniors, they will help our club grow each year.

Matthew Zuill Swim Captain

Head Coach Report

I am proud of this club.

Its members and those who choose to fly the flag for this club within this state and nationally, are learning to dream big, beginning to expect more from themselves and are delivering elite level performance on the competitive field.

Be it in boats, skis, R&R, swimming or any event, the competitors choose to represent this club, but we are a long way from our potential and it takes long seasons of hard work to get there.

Administrators liaise with the state and national bodies to ensure competitors are able to attend and compete for West Beach. Without the professionalism and efficiency of Christine And Bonnie this club would be in the difficult position of having competitors willing and wanting to shine the light for us but without the support and management to do so. We would not be back to back state champions without their sacrifice.

Coaches are at the coal face of competition and as our club grows it is the coaches who we place the development of our competitors. This job requires time and patience to understand the needs and potential of each competitor. Developing coaches is often one of the hardest tasks as it is generally from the parents of athletes that good coaches sprout and giving them the tools and confidence has to be on our high priority list to continue to leap forward. We are blessed with the level of expertise present in this club and the volunteers who present for this job are growing but don't dismiss the idea if you receive a tap on the shoulder soon.

At a state level we are doing well and have reached some milestones put in place years before. This is however far from where we are striving for on a national level. Too often the expectation of a good national titles is based on the results of South Australian state titles, and the lofty imaginations and dreams are given a hard reality check. This in my opinion is due to a few key factors.

Firstly, mindset: The competitors are good enough but lack the consistent self belief required to match and beat the nation's best regularly.

Secondly, competition: we need more high level competition against interstate competitors where ever and when ever to develop and grow that confidence.

Thirdly, support: parents are the primary support needed from a young age to develop good work ethics, consistent attendance, dietary needs and the big one Money. They are so important yet I'm surprised they haven't always received the recognition they deserve, so thanks to you all. To represent our club we can't expect parents and competitors to pay for all their training fees plus travel and transport and nominations. As representatives of this club there should be and is funding available through the ARP (Athlete Reward Program). It is under this umbrella that all competition (boats, board and ski, pool lifesaving, IRB, etc) sits to ensure funding is ongoing and the support of the club is not taken for granted.

Lastly, 1%ers: you may be turning up to all sessions under the sun but eating poorly, staying up late, not resting, not warming down, not stretching, not checking your gear, forgetting competition nutrition and hydration, turning up before time and leaving after sessions are over, leaving any of this up to someone else, etc. You are probably never going to be 100% fit when training or racing but don't bring it to competition or training. Suck it up and get on with it as your peer next to you is probably going through something similar and doesn't need reminding.

To the officials, area managers and water cover through juniors and seniors we all owe you a debt of gratitude. Without your tireless work WB would not be represented at all. Thank you

Finally help your team mates and be there for others not yourself. Volunteering isn't just doing the odd patrol it is the little acts that receive no acknowledgement, that no one sees that brings us closer to our goals. Position worst result deducted 1 **Brian Burrows** 745 2 Paul Rafanelli 703 3 Gary Gilbert 670 4 Mike Levy 590 5 Damien Ellis 576 6 Jenny Bee 574 7 Matt Zuill 574 8 Nathan Hettner 562 9 Will Payne 562 10 **Dennis Hay** 558

Respect and unity

Upwesties

Stephen Perry Head Coach

Club Handicap Swim Results

Leader	NAME	Total points tally
board		with swimmers

Trophies and Awards

Club Person of the Year



Brian Burrowes

Presented by the Member for Hindmarsh, Matt Williams and Club President, Peter Zuill

Stephen Trengove Youth Club Person of the Year



Abbey Thomas

Life Members Best Competitor



Sophie Zuill

Neighbourhood Watch Handicap Swim Trophy



Gregory Perry

Lifesaving Awards

10 Years	Tracy Afford Paul Rafanelli Martyn Talbot	250 Hours	Brad Barreau Anthony Thomas
		500 Hours	Damien Ellis
15 Years	David Afford		
		750 Hours	Mel Davis-Bishop
20 Years	Dave Richardson		Sarah Lindsay
	Tim Mather		
	Peter Taylor	1000 Hours	Peter Taylor
		1250 Hours	Brian Burrowes
Whitehall Most Patr	ol Hours in the Season	Brian Burrowes	
Best Patrol Person		Paul Cenko	
Max Wainwright You	ith Patrol Person	Roxanne Pena	
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Education and training Awards Assessor of the year



Dennis Hay

Surf Sports Awards Coach of the Year:



Melissa Davis Bishop

Trainer of the year



Heinrich Hofer

Official of the Year:



Brian Burrowes

Club Champions

J. Edwards Senior Male	Matthew Zuill Benjamin Zuill Daniel Waters
Kay Dempsey Senior Female	Brittany Jessup Jacqueline Staples Kate Curtis
Masters Male	Damian Newberry Scott Stevenson
Masters Female	Glenda McArthur Briony Goodfellow Josephine Varney
Junior Male	Nathan Hettner
Junior Female	Roxanne Pena Ellen Newbery Georgia Zuill
Cadet Male	Harrison Dawkins Aidan Lock Lachie Boag
Cadet Female	Alyson Hettner Gretel Mead Abby Thorne

Area Awards

Board Award Boat Award Ski Award Swim Award **Beach Award Pool Life Saving Award IRB** Award **Masters Award** Life Saving Competition Award











Sophie Zuill Rhea Bergman Glenn Rypp Gretel Mead **Ryland Newberry** Max Richardson **Georgy Falster** Joanne Sutcliffe Ellen Newberry

Club Executive 1956 - 2008

Year	President	Vice President	Club Captain	Secretary	Treasurer	Vice Captain	State Centre Delegate	Chief Instructor	Top Room Manager	Competition Officer	Junior Division Chair
1956/57	C Fisher	M Gamlin	F Porter	B Presgrave	J Woods	D Conlin		M Gamlin			
1957/58	M Cameron	A Garth	F Porter	B Presgrave	J Woods	G Hallandal		M Gamlin			
1958/59	M Cameron	A Garth	M Gamlin	R Dawson	D Conlin	L Bradley		W Fitch			
1959/60	M Cameron	J Hartshorne	F Green	D Conlin	K Boys	G Hallandal		M Gamlin			
1960/61	M Cameron	J Hartshorne	F Green	D Conlin	K Boys	B Maloney		M Rainsford			
1961/62	M Cameron	J Hartshorne	L Bradley	N Hodges	K Boys	M Rainsford		R Hartshorne			
1962/63	K Riches	J Hartshorne	M Rainsford	N Hodges	K Boys	B Maloney		R Hartshorne			
1963/64	K Riches JP	J Hartshorne	M Rainsford	N Hodges	J Smith	B Maloney		K Burton			
1964/65	K Riches JP	J Hartshorne	M Rainsford	N Hodges	J Smith	B M Bishop		K Burton			
1965/6	K Riches JP	J Hartshorne	K Kamprod	R Hartshorne	J Smith	K Burton		T Smallwood			
1966/67	N Hodges	K Riches JP	M Rainsford	B Bishop	I Hunter	K Burton		T Smallwood			
1967/68	N Hodges	K Riches JP	M Rainsford	B Bishop	I Hunter	C Bennett		T Smallwood			
1968/69	B Presgrave	K Burton	B Cutting	B Bishop	J Medcalf	C Bennett		R Wilson			
1969/70	N Hodges	K Burton	P Hobbs	B Bishop	J Medcalf	M Rainsford		K Brown			
1970/71	L Blanchard	N Hodges	B Bishop	J Garnant	D Wright	D Stapleton		P Hobbs			
1971/72	L Blanchard	N Hodges	B Bishop	J Garnant	D Wright	D Stapleton		P Hobbs			
1972/73	L Blanchard	K Burton	R Northcott	J Fowden	D Wright	I McLeod		B Bishop			N Milner
1973/74	L Blanchard	M Pickering	R Northcott	J Fowden	P Stephens	I McLeod		R Westbrook			WP McManus
1974/75	D Haines	M Pickering	R Northcott	I MacLeod	P Stephens	D Fry	G Minter	W Harvey-			
								Crowson			
1975/76	D Haines	R Northcott	D Fry	C Parsons	T Richards	W Harvey- Crowson	G Minter	D Fry			R Fletcher
1976/77	M Pickering	R Wilson	W Harvey- Crowson	T Richards	J Kearns	G Minter	R Jessen	D Fry			R Perry
1977/78	M Pickering	R Wilson	W Harvey- Crowson	M Juniper	K Dempsey	W Young	R Jessen	W Harvey- Crowson			R Perry
1978/79	M Pickering	R Wilson	D Aitchison	J Bird	K Dempsey	S Trengove	R Jessen	W Harvey- Crowson			K White
1979/80	M Pickering	R Wilson	D Aitchison	J Bird	K Dempsey	R Jessen	G Minter	W Harvey- Crowson			K White
1980/81	G Gowing	M Pickering	D Aitchison	J Bird	K White	R Jessen	G Minter	W Harvey- Crowson			I Hunter
1981/82	G Gowing	R Perry	R Jessen	J. Bird	K White	W Fry	G Minter	W Harvey- Crowson			N Taylor
1982/83	R Perry	R Westbrook	W Harvey- Crowson	J. Bird	K White	W Fry	G. Minter	A Bartram			N Taylor
1983/84	R Perry	R Jessen	W Harvey- Crowson	C O'Brien/ J Bird	K White	W Fry	G. Minter	J Kneebone	A Barreau		B Fisher
1984/85	R Perry	R Jessen	T Jones	J Bird	K White	W Fry	G. Minter	W Harvey- Crowson			J Fitzgerald
1985/86	R Jessen	R Wilson	W Fry	P Lock	R Schultz	C Hutton	G. Minter	J Vigh			J Fitzgerald
1986/87	J Bird	G Mutton	W Fry	A Bird	R Schultz	C Hutton	T Mather	M Jones			J Fitzgerald
1987/88	J Bird	G Mutton	P Snell	L McMahon	R Schultz	S Trengove	T Mather	A Bird			J Fitzgerald

Year	President	Vice President	Club Captain	Secretary	Treasurer	Vice Captain	State Centre Delegate	Chief Instructor	Top Room Manager	Competition Officer	Junior Division Chair
1988/89	J Bird	G Mutton	P Snell	L McMahon	R Schultz	C Broderick	T Mather	G Corrin			J Fitzgerald
1989/90	J Fitzgerald	J Bird	S Trengove	L Henessy	R Schultz	B Burrowes	W Fry	A Hall / A Bird			R Fielder
1990/91	J Fitzgerald	A Bird	S Trengove	S Cunningham	R Schultz	B Burrowes	W Fry	W Pepere			
1991/92	C Broderick	P Zuill	W Pepere	S Cunningham	R Schultz	W Fry		M Davis-Bishop	Z Milanovic		S Woods
1992/93	C Broderick	K Restall	W Pepere	S Trengove	R Schultz	W Fry		M Davis-Bishop	D Burrowes	G Cunningham	S Woods
1993/94	S Trengove	G Minter	W Pepere	S Cunningham	R Schultz	W Fry		M Dale	C Broderick	M Davis-Bishop	C McNamara
1994/95	S Trengove	W Fry	W Pepere	S Cunningham	R Schultz	J Rowland		M Dale	C Lindsay	M Davis-Bishop	C McNamara
1995/96	S Trengove	J Dale	W Pepere	W Fry	S Cunningham	J Rowland		S Woods	R Schultz	M Davis-Bishop	C McNamara / P Butler
1996/97	S Trengove	P Bardadyn	W Pepere	W Fry	S Cunningham	J Rowland		M Dale	J Dale	A Beitz	P Bowmer
1997/98	S Trengove	J Dale	M Davis-Bishop	T Cartwright	S Cunningham	W Pepere		M Dale		A Beitz	D Hay
1998/99	S Trengove	D Hay	A Bray	T Viano	S Cunningham	T Richardson		A Hay	J Dale	A Beitz	G.Davidson
1999/00	D Hay	D Richardson	S Perry	S Tuck	S Cunningham	T Richardson		A Hay	G Davidson	C Sabey	T Viano
2000/01	S Trengove	D Richardson	S Perry	S Tuck	S Cunningham	M Davis-Bishop		A Hay	G Davidson		T Viano
2001/02	S Trengove	D Richardson	S Perry	S Tuck	S Cunningham	T Richardson		S Howe	G Davidson	D Viano	PE McManus
2002/03	S Trengove	S Tuck	S Perry	P Zuill	S Cunningham	T Richardson		S Howe	G Davidson	D Richardson	PE McManus
2003/04	S Trengove	B Phillips	S Perry	P Zuill	M Ballantine	J Taylor		A Hay	T Richardson	D Richardson	PE McManus
2004/05	S Trengove	P Finck	S Perry	P Zuill	M Ballantine	J Taylor		A Hay		D Hay	D Afford
2005/06	S Trengove	P Finck	S Perry	P Zuill	M Ballantine	J Taylor		A Hay	Z Zuill	D Hay	D Afford
2006/07	S Trengove	P Finck	J Taylor	PE McManus	M Ballantine	P Taylor		A Hay	D Afford	D Hay	Z Zuill
2007/08	S Trengove	D Hay	P Taylor	PE McManus	M Ballantine	M Seaborn		A Hay	D Afford	PW McManus	Z Zuill
2008/09	P Zuill	N Carter	P Taylor	S Price	I Martin	B Burrowes		J Taylor	D Afford	M Davis-Bishop	J Hettner

Club Executive 2009 -

	President	Secretary	Members	Finance	Life Saving	Education &	Facilities	Surf Sports	Youth &	Director
			Services		Services	Training			Development	
2009/10	P Zuill	S Price	S Price	I Martin	B Burrowes	P Taylor	D Afford	C Sharp	J Hettner	
2010/11	P Zuill	K O'Riley	K O'Riley	D Afford	B Burrows	S Rypp	D Hay	C Sharp	J Hettner	
2011/12	P Zuill	K'O'Riley	K'O'Riley	D Afford	S DePasquale	S Rypp	P Rafanelli	C Sharp	J Hettner	
2012/13	P Zuill	K Mead	K'O'Riley	D Afford	S Tinkham	K'O'Riley	P Rafanelli	S Goodwin	J Hettner	C Newberry
2013/14	P Zuill	M Davis-Bishop	S Price	D Afford	S Tinkham	G Cunningham	P Rafanelli	C Newberry	J Hettner	O McLeod
2014/15	P Zuill	S Price	S Price	D Afford	S Tinkham	G Cunningham	P Rafanelli	C Newberry	M Davis-Bishop	O McLeod
2015/16	P Zuill	B Thornton	A Green	D Afford	S Tinkham	G Cunningham	P Rafanelli	C Newberry	M Davis-Bishop	O McLeod

Year	Senior	Junior	Cadet
1957/58	L Bradley	P Craig	D Ireland
1958/59	L Bradley	P Craig	B Bishop
1959/60	L Bradley	P Craig	G Ellis
1960/61	B Maloney	B Bishop	P Roman
1961/62	P Craig	G Ellis	G Oxer
1962/63	P Craig	L Watson	M Wainwright
1963/64	P Craig	M Mainwright	W Whitfield
1964/65	G Doris	A Greb	L Horton
1965/66	B Bishop	W Whitfield	R Atkinson
1966/67	B Bishop	J Collis	J Green
1967/68	T Smallwood	W Whitfield	W Dankbar
1968/69	P Hobbs	P Harrison	R Lodge
1969/70	J Vardon	J Overden	D Mossop
1970/71	G Minter	G White	
1971/72	R Wilson	P Wright	G Juniper
1972/73	R Wilson	P Wright	M Zocchi

Perpetual Club Champions

Year	Senior	Junior	Cadet
1973/74	R Jessen	G Juniper	T Reynolds
1974/75	R Jessen	G Juniper	P Mayo
1975/76	B Pedlar	G Juniper	W Fry
1976/77	M Zocchi	W Fry	
1977/78	G Juniper	W Fry	
1978/79	G Juniper	J Cunningham	D Wittwer
1979/80	W Fry	D Juniper	A Henry
1980/81	W Fry	A Barreau	W Pepere
1981/82	D Juniper	W Pepere	D Perry
1982/83	A Barreau	W Pepere	
1983/84	W Fry	W Pepere	R Taylor
1984/85	W Pepere	G Perry	G Peacock
1985/86	W Pepere	G Perry	A Beitz
1986/87	W Pepere	A Beitz	M Worthley
1987/88	W Pepere	A Beitz	B Worthley
1988/89	W Pepere	A Whitson	N Cartwright

Year	Open	Junior	Cadet	Women
1989/90	W Pepere	T Schultz	N Cartwright	N O'Brien
1990/91	S Perry	A Bray		S Molloy
1991/92	W Pepere	J Davis-Bishop	L Davis-Bishop	S Woods
1992/93	T Schultz		C Linn	M Davis-Bishop
1993/94	W Pepere	L Cotton	J Woods	M Davis-Bishop
1994/95	A Beitz / W	C Mangos	J Woods	S Morran
	Pepere			
1995/96	S Perry	M Walsh	S Walsh	J Smith
1996/97	W Pepere	S Walsh	A Morran	M Davis-Bishop
1997/98	W Pepere			S Morran
1998/99	A Bray	M Hay/K McNamara	T Richardson	S Morran
1999/00	A Bray	M Davidson/G Hall	J Byles	S Morran
2000/01	A Bray	M Davidson/G Hall	D Richardson	M Nyveld
2001/02	R Knight		C Hall	S Perry
2002/03	A Bray	M Hay	T McManus	M Davis-Bishop
				S Perry
2003/04	S Perry	M Hay	T McManus	
2004/05	S Perry	C Hall	T Smith	
2005/06	D Richardson			

Year	Open Mens	Junior Mens	U15 Mens	Masters Mens	Open Womens	Junior Womens	U15 Womens	Masters Womens
2006/07	S Perry	S Ballantine	M Afford	G Rypp		S Ballantine		
2007/08	S Ballantine		M Afford	D Symington	L Claridge			
2008/09	M Afford		M Sharp		L Claridge			
2009/10	Z Jessup	M Sharp	O McLeod	C Sharp	L Claridge		M Domarecki	
2010/11	L Clifford		J Ellis	C Sharp	L Claridge		B Jessup	B Goodfellow
2011/12	B Zuill	J Ellis	L Barreau	-	S Goodwin		S Hofer	-
2012/13	L Clifford	M Zuill	R Newberry	D Newberry	S Goodwin	M Domarecki	R Pena	J Varney
2013/14	B Zuill	M Zuill	M Richardson	D Newberry	J Ireland	M Domarecki	S Zuill	J Varney
2014/15	M Zuill	R Newberry	N Hettner	D Farley	J Ireland	R Pena	S Zuill	J Varney
2015/16	M Zuill	N Hettner	H Dawkins	D Newberry	B Jessup	R Pena	A Hettner	G McArthur

Pink Swim 2016

Saturday 30th January 2016

Who will you swim for?



The Pink Swim is an event which provides much needed funds to Breast Cancer research to achieve Zero Deaths from Breast Cancer by 2030. The Pink Swim is a volunteer run event which provides much needed funds to Breast Cancer research to achieve Zero Deaths from Breast Cancer by 2030.

Since 1994, NBCF has awarded more than \$127 million to fund over 430 Australian-based breast cancer research projects. As Australia's leading community-supported organisation funding breast cancer research, NBCF is proud to fund research right across the spectrum – from understanding the fundamental basis of this disease to

develop better treatment options, to psychosocial research aimed at improving the quality of life for those with breast cancer and their families. NBCF believes in supporting research that will have the greatest possible impact.

As NBCF receives no government funding, all funds are donated by the community through fundraising initiatives and donations. This has led to:

- More effective therapies
- Greater understanding of possible ways to stop the spread of breast cancer to other parts of the body
- Improved quality of life for patients and their families

The West Beach 4th Pink Swim was to be held Saturday the 30th of January but sadly the weather was against us this year and we were forced to cancel the swim following advice from the Environmental Protection Authority (EPA). Nevertheless, we organised a small team to set up in case we were needed and were humbled to have 300 people turn up on the day, to walk, in support of their friends, loved ones and families. Ex Olympian's Matthew Cowdrey and Phil Rogers, along with Rod Beames from West Beach Community Bank and the Mayor of the City of Charles Sturt, Angela Kenneally, all came along to assist by handing out goody bags and medallions to all the participants. The NBCF came from Sydney this year to celebrate the day with us and informed us that we are their second highest fundraising event in SA and despite the conditions, we raised and donated \$10,896.01. This brings the total we have raised to \$35198.37 in the 4 years we have held the event.

The event has been held as a celebration and support to those people who have been affected or touched by breast cancer. The swim and walk distances to represent the journey that cancer sufferers and survivors undertake as they tackle cancer and their treatment. The event gives the club, its members and the community the chance to take part in the largest non-competitive swim in Australia, to help raise money for breast cancer research. We look forward to our 5th event in 2017.



Starlight Calendar

Late in 2015, we learnt the news that one of our members, a young 16 year old boy, had been bravely undergoing treatment for a brain tumour. In response to this news, some of our top male athletes who had been planning to shoot a calendar for the club, decided immediately to amend their plans and complete the calendar, but as a fundraiser for the Starlight Foundation.

We sourced for help and were delighted when a top SA photographer donated a day's shoot, along with a makeup artist to the stars and the calendar started to take shape. The day of the shoot was a perfect day and the boys were quietly nervous about their undertaking – well, until it was time for shirts off and then they felt comfortable!

The results were fabulous, we featured in the Sunday Mail and we sold over 300 calendars at the club, Harbour Town and West Lakes before Christmas. Having organised the shoot, printing and production and delivery in less than a week, we were very satisfied when the boxes arrived on Christmas Eve. Proudly supporting the Starlight Foundation, we wish Ben Beasley and his family all the best and look forward to seeing him back on the beach in 2016.

Our thanks to Jodi Nash, Ant Adams and Lane Printing



Jan Jess



Jul **Jayden**



Aug Glenn



Mar Zac



Apr Sean



Oct Lochie



May Ryland



Nov Ben



Jun Liam



Dec Matt





Sep Chris