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FROM THE PRESIDENTS PEN

Dear Members,

Thank you to club members that took time out of their busy lives to attend our club's AGM on Friday evening.

Your participation was greatly appreciated by the BOM.

The evening was very special with two members inducted as life members.

Life member 24 is **Neil Rowse** and life member 25 is **Christine Cougan**.

Both members are very deserving recipients as they have contributed greatly to our club and continue to do so.

I would also like to thank our wonderful office staff for their hard work in preparing our AGM and to the wonderful volunteers that assisted on the evening.

A club as one is a club of strength!

Rob Doherty
President



EVENTS

July 2016:

09/07 : SunSmart Pool Rescue Series Rnd 4

CLUB DETAILS:

Email: admin@sorrentoslsc.org.au
Website: www.soslsc.com
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OFFICE HOURS:

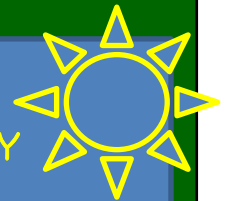
Mon: 10:30-2:30pm
Tues, Wed & Thurs: 9:30am – 2:30pm
Fri: Closed

STINGERS

EVERY SUNDAY
9am Sharp

All Welcome

Have to get wet and no wetsuits allowed!



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BUSINESS & MARKETING NEWS – Christine Cougan

ADMIN NEWS-:

Condolences to Life Member Neil Rowse on the passing of his mother Mrs. Flo Rowse who passed away peacefully on the 12th June 2016. Loving wife of Jack. Much loved mother of John, Dick, Judith, Neil, Keith and Trevor. Grandmother of 16 and great grandmother of 14.

As our Club President, Rob has already mentioned in his newsletter blurb the AGM on Friday night was a huge success, the different format proved to be accepted by all members that attended and speeded up the entire process.

Rob thanked Shannon and I for our preparation at the AGM, but I do need to say a personal THANK YOU to the following members that replied to my request and assisted, without them the evening would have been a little hectic trying to get everyone registered prior to the AGM starting. So thank you to: **Rita Berry** and **Kevin Emery** for handing out membership forms at the entrance; to our lovely payment ladies: **Janie Rowse** & **Helen Bunford**; **Shannon Saunders** and **Peta Watkins**. Then, to my awesome IT Tech Savvy member, **Paul Berry** for setting up the hall and power point. The one member that is always his first to offer assistance, **James White**, thank you for signing out the patrol rebate cards and recording the attendance registers. Then finally to our newly appointed Life Member Rowsie for setting up the hall.

Sincerely appreciate your assistance and helpfulness.

Kind regards,

Kerry Yates

CHANGE TO CLUB MEMBERSHIP FEES-:

Please see below the new membership price list for the 2016/17 season which was voting upon at the AGM. Please pay your membership fees on the online payment gateway.

**Re-Registration and
New Member
Registration Dates**
Sunday 7th August 1-4pm
Wednesday 17th
August 5-8pm

SORRENTO SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB 2016/2017 FEE SCHEDULE			
Existing Memberships	Re-Registering MEMBER 2016/2017	New Membership Rates 2016/17	24hr Discount Card for Patrolling Members
Active 18 and over (Probationary, Award, Reserve, and Associates)	\$ 220.00	\$ 275.00	\$ 160.00
Long Service	\$ 150.00		
Active youth U15 - U18	\$ 180.00	\$ 235.00	\$ 120.00
NIPPERS Juniors U6 - U14 (Auxiliary Parent has to join with Nipper)	\$ 155.00	\$ 205.00	
Auxiliary (Primary Parent)	\$ 110.00	\$ 165.00	
Social	\$ 65.00	\$ 65.00	
Building Levy - All Individual Members	\$ 20.00		
Building Levy - All Family Memberships	\$ 50.00		
Family capping - to allow an existing family to pay no more than \$440 for membership, 2 adults plus more than 2 dependent children (e.g. studying full-time, proof to be provided) up to the age of 25 years. Excludes Building Levy.	\$ 465.00	\$ 640.00	

All Fees are payable in full and nonrefundable

Nomination fee is \$50 per person or \$100 per family, payable by new members
Re Nomination/Late fee is \$50 per person or \$100 per family, applies to existing members.
 Fees to be paid by 31st August 2016, if not paid **Late Fee** applies.
 New members after 1/01/2017 pay 50% of normal fees, no pro rata for members prior to 31 Dec 2016.

OTHER CHARGES	Proposed fees	
Key (Bronze holders, must be financial)	\$20	Deposit
Bronze Course	\$70	members only
Bronze Course for Youth	\$40	members only
SRC Course for Parents	\$45	members only
SRC Course for Junior Members	\$40	members only

DEFINITIONS
Family membership consists of 2 parents and all dependent children up to the age of 25 years (e.g. studying full-time, proof to be provided).
Junior Member is from the Age group of Under 6 - U14
Social is a member only able to attend social functions at the club with 3 invited guests
Patrol Rebate is available at the time of registration for the following season, if the required 24 patrol hours are completed
Probationary is a member who is gaining an Award or Bronze

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COMPETITION NEWS

IRB State Titles 2016

Wow what a day!

The IRB state title this year were held at Trigg beach, and most who have followed the team and the competition through the season will know the forecast was predicting 2.8m waves which I'm certain some of the waves coming through topped that easily.

For most competing this was their first tilt as a state title, and the teams did extraordinarily well against the conditions, and their own nerves.

A few unfortunate complications saw our Blue, Green and Red teams bow out before finals but Sorrento Yellow (Harry James, Declan Burke and Brooke Tkachenko) broke through the hoodoo to make their final debut in one of the most contested events in the state with just under 30 teams starting. And while their start was brilliant surf negotiations caused them a hiccup scuttling their 5th place finish.

Competition aside, the team has come a long way since last season and for some of them in the last 6 months. To show they have the ability and confidence in themselves to negotiate the extreme conditions seen throughout the season, and at a pace required to be competitive, shows how rescue ready they are.

Our season would not have been as successful as it has been if not for the support of the club, our spectators and our officials, especially our officials (Cheryl and Kingsley) it is greatly, greatly appreciated. It is one thing to be out enjoying the beach and competition in summer, but to come down to the beach when it is 4 degrees outside, the wind is cutting through every one of the jumpers and jackets you have on just to keep warm (not to mention the rain which this season was mercifully absent), just to watch us having all the fun, we cannot thank you enough.

Dan Rose
IRB CAPTAIN



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LIFESAVING NEWS – Garry Bunford

I would like to thank last season beach committee for all their hard work last season and welcome this season's beach committee and club officers as follows:-

Lifesaving Director	Garry Bunford
Lifesaving Officer	Shelley Gardiner
Patrol Officer	Leif Hinrichsen
Education Officer	Paul Berry
IRB Officer	Evan Bunford
Liaison Officer	Colleen Blevins

Education:-

Changes to the delivery of Bronze and SRC courses:

In an effort to better serve our members this season we have changed the way that we do bronze courses. All Members that wish to do their bronze will need to let the club office know once this is done Paul Berry (the education officer) will contact you with a password to do your on line password once you have completed you online you will then do your bronze course.

EDUCATION COURSES FOR WINTER 2016:

Hi all, we are now taking expressions of interest for the following courses for the next few months of the off season.

SRC

This course is directed primarily at those members who will turn 13 before October 2016 although can also be run for older age groups. The intention is to have the **theory only** components completed before the beginning of September to be followed by the water training for 3 weekends up to the Lancelin Camp in late September. Course will comprise on-line learning and approximately 4 x 2hr practical sessions in the evening . We have some good feedback from many of our candidates in this age category and will be sending out information directly.

Cost: \$40

BRONZE

This course is directed primarily to those members who will turn 15 before November 2016 but is open to other age groups. Again the intention is to run the **theory only** over the next few months during an evening session and will include the on-line component. Course will comprise approximately 5 x 2hr sessions. The water based component will be commenced sometime in September/October with a view to an October examination.

Get your Expressions of Interest in now so the theory can start. Evening/days to be determined based on feedback.

Cost: \$40 (Youth)
\$70 (Active 18+)

PROVIDE FIRST AID (accredited course HLTAID003)

Minimum age is 15 yrs, no other pre-requisites required.

Date: Saturday 23rd July 2016

Time: 08:00 – 16:00

Cost: \$75 (Club member price only)

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You must register before Wednesday 20th to confirm your attendance.

PROVIDE CPR (accredited course HLTAID001)

Minimum age 13 years, no other pre-requisites required.

Date: Saturday 23rd July 2016

Time: 08:00 – 11:00

Cost: \$50 (Club member price only)

You must register before Wednesday 20th to confirm your attendance.

ADVANCED RESUSCITATION TECHNIQUES (ARTC)

This course is directed to those who already have their Bronze Medallion or Senior First Aid (it is not accredited)

Date: Saturday 30th July

Time: 08:00 – 12:00

Cost: free to members of Sorrento

You must register before Wednesday 27th to confirm your attendance.

Annual Proficiencies (requals)

We will be commencing theory only requals during the off season commencing in the second half of July. Evenings and or weekend dates will be posted. Water proficiencies will start approximately early October as is done each year.

Paul Berry

Education Officer

Awards for Collection-: please collect from office

Silver Medallion IRB Driver	Damian Smallwood
Senior First Aid	Andrew Ridley
Pain Management	Colleen Blevins
	Malcolm Judge
	Ruth Krammer
	Luke Laycock
	Susan Zehnder

New Ute-:

Well it is here! All drivers are to go through an introduction with Muzz Geneff prior to driving the new ute, this will cover any safety checks.

IRB State Championship-:

Congratulations to all the racing team for a great effort at the state championships.

Notice to all IRB drivers-:

Under no circumstances is any one to dry start the IRB engines part of the engine checks is checking the tell teal signs if a dry start is done there is no why of completing the checking engine.

Evan Bunford

IRB Officer

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CLUB SERVICE NEWS – Leanne Lewis

Well after 2 years as Club Services Director I said farewell to the position at last Friday nights AGM, and handed the reins over to Peter Watkins, one of our well known and much loved Boaties.

I know Peter will take this role on with enthusiasm and will proceed in a very professional manner to take this club to the next level and make it an enjoyable place to be for all members and guests.

The area of Club Services, inclusive of So café and Bar, Clothing shop, Social events, maintenance and security requires a lot of help from volunteers to make it run effectively and efficiently.

There are several committees under this umbrella inclusive of Food and Beverage, Social, and Clothing, all of which are run by a great bunch of people. Each of these committees is in need of a few more members, especially the Social committee. If you would like to make a difference around your club, why not consider coming along and seeing what is involved. The Social Committee Coordinator is Rita Berry, Clothing Officer is Amanda Bowman, and for the Food and Beverage committee see Leanne Lewis.

Also the bar and kitchen are always in need of volunteers. All you need is an eagerness to be part of a team, and you can do as much or as little as you wish.

If you can spare an hour or two every now and then please make your self-known to Mike Wren – Bar (0437453884), Krystal Kotkis – Kitchen (0405492850) or to Peter Watkins – Director (0419471470).

Thank you to everyone who has helped out over the past 2 years as part of my team. You are all what makes a good club into a great club.

Leanne Lewis

Past Club Services Director

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