



SOUTH NARRABEEN SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

Affiliated with the Surf Life Saving Association of Australia

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55th ANNUAL REPORT and FINANCIAL STATEMENT

TO BE PRESENTED TO MEMBERS AT THE 54th ANNUAL
GENERAL MEETING TO BE HELD ON SUNDAY,
11th SEPTEMBER, 1977 AT 2.30 P.M.

LIFE MEMBERS

MR. F. A. BERTRAM	MR. H. JONES
MR. A. R. BROWN	MR. A. LAWRENCE
MR. N. BERNAUER	* MR. R. LeCLERC
MR. P. CLARKE	* MR. T. LeCLERC
MR. R. H. CORISH	* MR. R. MILLER
MR. E. COX	MR. R. MINNETT
MR. G. DAVIES	MR. C. O'REILLY
MR. R. FERGUSON	MR. T. J. PAILTHORPE
MR. A. FIDLER	MR. E. SAWYER
MR. J. GARVIN	MR. F. SPEARS
MR. A. K. GILL	MR. M. WHITEHEAD
MR. F. G. HUGHES	

* Deceased

SOUTH NARRABEEN SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of the South Narrabeen Surf Life Saving Club will be held at the Clubhouse, South Narrabeen Beach, on Sunday, 11th SEPTEMBER, 1977 at 2.30 p.m.

A G E N D A.

1. Confirmation of the Minutes of the 54th Annual General Meeting.
2. Apologies.
3. Presentation of the 55th Annual Report and Financial Statement for the Season 1976/77.
4. Election of Officers.
5. General Business.

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SOUTH NARRABEEN SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

OFFICERS - SEASON 1976/77.

PATRONS:- Mr. F. Bertram, Mr. A.E. Biggs, Mr. G. Rees,
Mrs. M. Turner, Mr. Bob Kinsela.
Councillors P. Couvret, P. Clarke,
C.S. Huntingdon, D. Sainsbery.
Mr. A.E. Viney, M.L.A.

PRESIDENT:- C. O'REILLY

DEPUTY PRESIDENT:- P. CLARKE

HON. TREASURER:- B. HAVEN

HON. SECRETARY:- Mrs. S. CLARKE

ASST. SECRETARY:- P. CLARKE

CAPTAIN:- A. HAVEN

VICE CAPT:- J. HAY

JNR. CAPT:- P. HAY

BOAT CAPT:- C. REYNOLDS

VICE BOAT CAPT:- T. SWEENEY

CHIEF INSTRUCTOR:- C. REYNOLDS

HON. SOCIAL SEC:- J. HAY

HANDICAPPER:- M. BLACKMAN
K. O'REILLY

HON. REGISTRAR:- J. HAY
Miss A. HENNINGS

SOUTH NARRABEEN SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

55th ANNUAL REPORT & BALANCE SHEET

SEASON 1976/77

For presentation to Members at the Annual General Meeting to be held at Clubhouse, South Narrabeen on SUNDAY, 11th SEPTEMBER, 1977 at 2.30 p.m.

Gentlemen,

Your Committee has pleasure in submitting for your consideration and adoption the report of the Club activities for the 1976/77 Season, together with the duly audited INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT AND BALANCE SHEET for the year ended June 30th, 1977.

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

For the last four years I have discussed our new Surf Club. Well now it is opened and we all had a marvellous weekend and all our members worked hard and made it a great success.

To Warringah Shire Council, my personal thanks for supporting us with such a magnificent new clubhouse.

To Alan Eedy for designing a very functional surf club and for all the help he has given us.

Last season had its hardships, but was endured by the members who did their duty to the public. Probably we will never have the togetherness of the 76-77 season again, but I know we will keep pulling together and make the forthcoming season a very productive one.

To the Committee, thanks for a job well done and a special thanks to our Secretary, Shirley Clarke who performed a very professional job.

CHARLES O'REILLY.

President.

DEPUTY PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

What a year! Will any member ever forget our last season in the shack. It started off as a laugh in our tiny abode but as the year progressed the lack of facilities got everyone down. No showers, lack of toilet facilities etc. The only thing that kept members going was the thought that next year we would have our new Clubhouse.

Vandals did little to help our cause. Breaking in and stealing our gear including two radios plus damaging much of our very costly equipment. I would guess the total bill would be in excess of \$800.

Competition wise, our Cadets in the main kept the Orange Caps going.

The usual Souths Club spirit remained throughout the season and I personally thought we had a good year despite the lack of facilities.

I am confident that now we can offer first class facilities, the Club will enjoy renewed confidence and no doubt new members. Some members of your present committee will be seeking re-election, some not. Before you nominate or vote, ask yourself is he prepared to work for your Club? Is he capable of doing the job? If you have doubts, consider what effects it will have on your Club.

If ever we need a good committee, it is this year. A lot of work has to be done to fit out YOUR club.

My personal thanks to Chic. O'Reilly. This fellow shouldered far too great a workload this past year. Whilst he did a tremendous job, a lot more members could have made his task easier.

Words cannot express my thanks to Warringah Shire Council for our new Clubhouse. It is not only a fine building, but a very much needed facility for the Community and the people of our area.

Finally, my personal thanks to everyone who either donated their time or money during the past season. Without your help we just could not have completed the year.

PETER CLARKE.

RESULTS OF CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

<u>SENIOR BELT:-</u>	1st	<u>Peter Clarke</u> Runner/up - John Hay
<u>SENIOR SURF:-</u>	1st	<u>John Hay</u> Runner/up - Peter Clarke
<u>SENIOR SPRINT:-</u>	1st	<u>Tony Mulherin</u> Runner/up - John Hay
<u>SENIOR BOARD:-</u>	1st	<u>John Hay</u> Runner/up - Peter Clarke
<u>SENIOR SKI:-</u>	1st	<u>John Hay</u> Runner/up - Kerry O'Reilly
<u>SENIOR FLAGS:-</u>	1st	<u>John Hay</u> Runner/up - Cliff Reynolds
<u>SENIOR IRON-MAN:-</u>	1st	<u>John Hay</u> Runner/up - Anthony Haven
<u>SENIOR CLUB CHAMPION:-</u>		<u>JOHN HAY</u>
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<u>JUNIOR BELT:-</u>	1st	<u>Paul Hay</u> Runner/up - Brad Davis
<u>JUNIOR SURF:-</u>	1st	<u>Brad Davis</u> Runner/up - Paul Hay
<u>JUNIOR SPRINT:-</u>	1st	<u>Peter Dimento</u> Runner/up - Brad Davis
<u>JUNIOR BOARD:-</u>	1st	<u>Mark Maxwell</u> Runner/up - Cliff Reynolds
<u>JUNIOR SKI:-</u>	1st	<u>Paul Hay</u> Runner/up - Mark Maxwell
<u>JUNIOR FLAGS:-</u>	1st	<u>Cliff Reynolds</u> Runner/up - Paul Hay
<u>JUNIOR IRON MAN:-</u>	1st	Cliff Reynolds and Mark Maxwell - Dead Heat
<u>JUNIOR CHAMPION:-</u>		<u>PAUL HAY</u>

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS 1976/77 SEASON

CADET SURF:- 1st - Steven Baker
Runner/up - Paul Clarke

CADET SPRINT:- 1st - Michael Lyon
Runner/up - Bret Picknell

CADET SKI:- 1st - Paul Clarke
Runner/up Rees Maxwell

CADET FLAGS:- 1st - Brett Picknell
Rees Maxwell

CADET BOARD:- 1st - Rees Maxwell
Runner/Up - Paul Clarke
Grant Quinn

CADET CHAMPION: REES MAXWELL

SURF TEAM EVENT:-

1st:-	J. Hay	Runner/Up:-	B. Davis
	A. Haven		S. Baker
	M. Maxwell		P. Dimento
	M. Lyon		Paul Clarke
	G. Quinn		P. Groom.

RESULTS 1976/77 SEASON - POINT SCORES.

SENIORS:-

October	J. Hay
November	P. Clarke
December	T. Roberts
January	T. Roberts
February	M. Blackman

SENIOR HANDICAP SURF:-

1st	T. Roberts
Runner/Up	M. Blackman

SENIOR ALL-UP SPRINT & RELAY:-

1st	M. Blackman
Runner/Up	M. Bryan

SENIOR NOVELTY:-

1st	M. Bryan
Runner/Up	J. Hay

SENIOR ALL-ROUNDER:- M. Blackman and M. Bryan (Dead Heat)

JUNIORS:-

October	M. Maxwell
November	B. Davis
December	B. Davis and C. Reynolds (Dead Heat)
January	P. Mercer
February	P. Dimento

JUNIOR HANDICAP SURF:-

1st	C. Reynolds
Runner/Up	P. Mercer and P. Hay

JUNIOR ALL-UP SPRINT & RELAY:-

1st	C. Reynolds
Runner/Up	P. Hay

JUNIOR NOVELTY:-

1st	C. Reynolds
Runner/Up	P. Hay

JUNIOR ALL ROUNDER:-

Runner/Up	C. REYNOLDS
	P. Hay

CADET MONTHLY POINT SCORES:-

October	Paul Clarke
November	Steven Baker
December	Steven Baker
January	R. Maxwell
February	Steven Baker

CADET HANDICAP SURF:-

1st	Steven Baker
Runner/Up	Paul Clarke

CADET ALL-UP SPRINT & RELAY:-

1st	Paul Clarke
Runner/Up	Phillip Groom and S. Baker

CADET NOVELTY:-

1st	Brett Picknell
Runner/Up	Phillip Groom

CADET ALL-ROUNDER:-

Phillip Groom
Runner/Up Brett Picknell

OPEN FUN RUN

Peter Bott

FATHER & SON DAY

John Hay and Peter Dimento

BRICK THROWING

Senior:	T. Sweeney
Junior:	P. Hay
Cadet:	B. Silver

HANDICAPPERS REPORT:

This past season saw a very active participation by members in the Sunday morning beach, surf, novelty competition.

Competition in the Sunday morning events was very strong and this is due to the number of events.

The handicapping of the past season was based on much the same principle as last, and proved quite adequate. There were some misunderstandings but were soon straightened out and put in their right places. There was also the usual amount of whinging but a couple of them complained a little more than the others. As far as these two whingers goes they were very hard to separate so it was obvious that my award would be shared by "Cliff and Torch".

Next Season I hope everything will change and run smoothly. The run up the hill was very disappointing and only a few (3) turned up to contest this yearly event but never the less the spirit was still there.

The brick throwing event proved very good because there was an abundant of bricks about "but no-one to throw them, better luck next season".

My thanks to those members who helped me so much in the club championships, which is always a hard event to run because of so much going on. It was a very closely contested "champs" this year in all the age groups, and many people took out different events which was very interesting.

In conclusion thanks to all those who competed, and those who won trophies and I'm sure with the coming season and the new club house which is already completed, that the competition in the events, both club and carnivals, that it will be a bigger and more colourful year.

MURRY BLACKMAN
Handicapper.

SOUTH NARRABEEN SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR PERIOD ENDING 30th JUNE, 1977.

INCOME	\$	\$	\$
			1976
Members Subscriptions	78	55	
Donations	2930	2632	
" Surf Boat	-	2500	
Social	465	961	
Interest	633	338	
Gear	57	-	
Telephone	13	-	
Hall Rental	-	237	
Carnivals	-	4176	315 7,038

EXPENDITURE:

Carnivals	180		
Fares & Ex's to Carnivals	-	2985	
Repairs & Maintenance	108	118	
Printing, Stationery & Post.	108	118	
Insurance	40	37	
Electricity, Gas, 'Phone	10	498	
Trophies	497	306	
S.L.S.A. Affiliation Fees	37	6	
Petty Cash	20	-	
Trailer Reg.	12	-	
Rental Post Office Box	24	-	
Damage to Car	71	-	
Membership Badges	167	-	
Boat, Oars, Trailers	1230		
Lockers	200		
Misc. Assets	262	1027	
Reels & Lines	99		
Gear	-	1958	
Sundries	33	131	
Signwriting	-	25	
Furn & Fixtures	-	852	
Club House Improvements	-	5189	
Boat Shed	-	1000	
Piano & Typewriter	-	3098	160 14,410

Surplus for Year
transferred to Accumulated
Funds.

\$1,778

\$7,372 (loss)

ACCUMULATED FUNDS

Balance as at 31/7/76	\$15,242	\$22,614
Plus surplus transferred from Income & Expenditure A/C	1,078	7,372 (loss)
	<u>\$16,320</u>	<u>\$15,242</u>

Represented by:-

FIXED ASSETS

Boat, Trailer & Oars	4,910	6,140
Furniture & Fixt.	140	140
Misc. Assets	1,999	1,190
Reels & Lines	600	600
Lockers	-	200
	<u>7,649</u>	<u>\$8,270</u>

CURRENT ASSETS.

Bank N.S.W. Fixed Dep.	2,672	2,517
" " Current A/C	2,134	1,700
Commonwealth Bank	200	200
St. George B/Soc.	3,615	2,505
Petty Cash Ladies Aux.	50	50
	<u>8,671</u>	<u>6,972</u>
	<u>\$16,320</u>	<u>\$15,242</u>

I have examined the Books and Vouchers of the South
Narrabeen Surf Life Saving Club and hereby certify that
the above Income and Expenditure Account and Balance Sheet
are in accordance therewith.

15th July, 1977

(SIGNED) R. H. CORISH
Hon. Auditor.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

This year has been a very eventful one for our Club. We are now the tenants of the finest Surf Club House in Australia - that of course is my personal opinion.

As you are well aware it has strained our financial resources to the limit but I am sure you all agree it has been worth it.

This year has gone so quickly especially for me because of the wonderful help and assistance given to me by your Secretary, Shirley Clarke, who has worked very hard for the Club in many ways. Thank you Shirley.

To your hard working President, Charlie I would like to say thank you for your untiring efforts and without his help and those who participate in assisting him to raise funds so that you can all enjoy the amenities of the Club plus the replacing and renewing of the essential gear to maintain the good reputation this Club has. Keep up the good work.

Thank you one and all, especially Ron Corish, who is our Hon. Auditor.

F. B. HAVEN

Treasurer

SECRETARY'S REPORT

I would like to express my personal thanks to each member of the Club and to the Committee for their courteous and thoughtfulness during my first year.

To Barry Haven, a very special thank you for making my task a lot easier.

I appreciate some members had doubts about accepting women into the Committee and I trust I made some contribution towards the running of the Club.

To our new Resident Couple, Jack and Jean Jones, welcome back to Narrabeen. The Club look forward to a long and happy association with you both.

To Pat and Betty Barry from Dee Why Surf Club, our appreciation for your assistance and time given to our Club.

Shirley Clarke
Secretary.

BEACH FOOTBALL

Souths were narrowly defeated but certainly not disgraced in the Grand Final of the Manly-Warringah Beach Football Competition. With less than a minute to go to full time they were in front by one try. Their opponents scored the equaliser with ten seconds to full time. Additional time was played and they were defeated by one try.

Each and every team member gave it their best and the Club appreciates your fine display.

Extra special congratulations to Freshwater Club, winners of this competition.

To Laurie Puddy and Crown Control a very special THANK YOU for your generous and very much appreciated gift of the jumpers inscribed Crown Control.

OPENING OF NEW SURF PAVILION.

A large gathering attended the Official Opening of our new Surf Pavilion by Warringah Shire Council.

The Shire President, Councillor Des. Sainsbery presided over the proceedings and following speeches by Mr. Gordon McNaughton, President Manly-Warringah Branch; Mr. Con. Asmussen, M.B.E. President, State Centre; Councillor C. Huntingdon, Chairman, Mackellar County Council; Mr. Ian Toll, Sydney Branch; and Mr. F. A. Bertram, Life Member; the building was officially opened by Councillor Peter Clarke.

Afternoon tea and refreshments were served and it was tremendous to see so many old Life Members and former members present. Some of these travelled as far a field as Coonabarabran and Ballina.

SUNDAY BARBECUE.

Former past President, Fred Bertram organised a barbecue following the opening and was well attended by the wives and families of members. It was with regret that Fred took ill and all members of South Narrabeen wish him a speedy recovery.

The Club received high praise for both the Saturday Opening and the Sunday Barbecue from all those who attended and it was nice to see so many old friends present.

CHIEF INSTRUCTORS REPORT.

In my first year in this position, I found it was a much harder job than expected. For this reason I'm glad I had such able assistance from Charles O'Reilly whose help was invaluable from week to week. Also to Anthony Haven for his voluntary help, I would like to express my thanks.

A reasonably quiet year for awards due to a number of reasons but mainly because most of the juniors are in between having achieved their Qualifying Certificate and too young for their Bronze Medallion.

My Congratulations to those who received awards this year and let's hope next year will be booming with more memberships and more awards.

These members received awards this year:-

<u>QUALIFYING CERTIFICATE</u>	<u>BRONZE MEDALLION</u>	<u>ADVANCE RESUS.</u>
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Paul Clarke	Peter Mercer	M. Blackman
	Stephen Baker	
	Gary Spittles	

CLIFF REYNOLDS
Chief Instructor

PATROLS:- NO LIVES LOST

Rescues this Season -	With the Line	10
	Without the Line	10
	With Torpedo Buoy	-
	With Surf Boat	2
	With Board or Ski	8
	With Power Boat	2
	With Helicopter	-
	Resuscitation	2
Number of patients given First Aid		75

BOAT CAPTAINS REIORT:-

A very quiet year for the surf boat, with no easy access to the beach and only one "very social crew" attending a couple of carnivals. Little was needed to be done as far as the maintenance of the boat other than a coat of varnish at the beginning of the season. Thanks to Peter and Shirley Clarke for the use of their garage.

With a young crew already training and the return of a couple of rowing and sweeping members, next year looks like being a little more enlightening on the boat scene.

CLIFF REYNOLDS

Boat Captain.

"GLYN REES" TROPHY

Outstanding Cadet Award for the Season was successfully won by STEVEN BAKER.

"R.O. BERNAUER" MEMORIAL TROPHY

Outstanding Junior Award for the Season was won by MARK MAXWELL.

"PAUL JACKMAN" MEMORIAL TROPHY

This Trophy is awarded for the best all round Life Saver throughout the Season. Won by PAUL HAY.

IN APPRECIATION:-

We wish to place on record our sincere thanks to all those people who have helped support our Club throughout the Season.

Our grateful thanks to:-

Warringah Shire Council and Staff.
Mackellar County Council and Staff.
Cr. Des. Sainsbery
Cr. Colin Huntingdon
Mr. F. A. Bertram
Mr. E. A. Biggs
Mr. G. Rees
Mr. T. Puddy
Crown Control
Mr. Bob Kinsela
Mrs. M. Turner
Dr. L. A. Feain
Narrabeen Womens Bowling Club
Narrabeen Bowling Club
Manly-Warringah Masonic Club
Shelleys Soft Drinks
Royal Antler Hotel
Mr. G. E. Hora
Mr. G. Wilson

and anyone else who assisted the Club.

Mr. R. Corish for attending to the books and supplying the Balance Sheet.

The Officers of the S.L.S.A., the Manly Warringah Branch and affiliated Clubs who assisted us at all times.

The Club wishes to place on record its appreciation of the efforts contributed by Members wives, mothers and girl friends on the fund raising and social occasions during the season.

Thank you one and all.

1976/77 SEASON - FINANCIAL MEMBERS:-

ACTIVE SENIORS:-

BILLETT, E.
BLACKMAN, M
BOSTOCK, A.
BRYAN, M.
CROZIER, P.
DIMENTO, M.
DIMENTO, J.
HAY, J.
JANSEN, H.
MAXWELL, L.
MULHERIN, A.
NEAL, R.
O'REILLY, K.
PARKES, R.
REYNOLDS, L.
ROBERTS, T.
SPITTLES, G.
SMITH, P.
STEWART, L.
SWEENEY, T.

ACTIVE RESERVES:-

BOTT, P.
HAVEN, A.
JAMES, D.
O'REILLY, L.
PARKES, R.
STORM, J.
ROND, W.
GREEN, R.

ACTIVE JUNIORS:-

BROWN, C.
COWAN, T.
DAVIS, B.
HAY, P.
MAXWELL, M.
MERCER, P.
REYNOLDS, C.
DIMENTO, P.

CADETS:-

BAKER, S.
CLARKE, P.
LITTLEWOOD, M.
LYON, M.
MAXWELL, R.
PICKNELL, B.
QUINN, G.
SILVER, B.
WATTS, S.
GROOM, P.

ASSOCIATES:-

(Mrs.) S. Clarke
Mr. H. Hay
Mr. F. B. Haven
Mr. H. Hemsworth
Miss A. Hennings

OFFICE BEARERS 1977-78 SEASON

Patrons:

President:

Vice-Presidents:

Captain:

Vice-Captain:

Junior Captain:

Hon. Secretary:

Boat Captain:

Vice-Boat Captain:

Hon. Treasurer:

Chief Instructor:

Asst. Instructor:

Hon. Social Secretary:

Handicapper:

Hon. Registrar:

Publicity Officer:

Asst. Secretary:

Gear Stewards:

Ambulance Officers:

Hon. Auditor:

Management Committee:

Delegates to the Manly-Warringah Branch:

Medical: