

Toowoong Bay News

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29 June 2011



SIPS and State of Origin

Instead of SIPS this Friday night (1 July 2011) we are planning a State of Origin get together on Wednesday 6th July, starting at 7pm. Bring your own food/dinner, the bar will be open. Bring the family. Should be a good night.

Senior Presentation 2011

Another great night with friends. Award recipients were as follows:

Cadet of the Year Jacob Porter

Patrol of the Year Patrol 8 Top Team

PC Geoff Grice

Kerry Hoffman, Michael Hammond, Ryan Hey, Andrew Hoffman, Chris McCormick, Ben Meyer, John Vergara, Stephanie Vergara, Chris Young

Patrol Person of the Year—Julie Anne Fillingham

Club Captains Award—James Mulligan

Presidents Cup Award—John Vergara

Volunteer of the Year—Chris Fillingham

Competitor of the Year - Female Mei Ling Venning

Male Peter Pracy

Overall Club Person of the Year—Steve Parsons

Check out photos of the night in the photo gallery in the Toowoong Bay SLSC website—www.tbslsc.com.au

SLSCC Awards of Excellence 2011

On Saturday 18 June Toowoong Bay SLSC attended the Surf Life Saving Central Coast Awards of Excellence. We had nominations in the following:

Trainer of the Year—Denis Hannigan

Volunteer of the Year—Greg McMahon

Athlete of the Year—Hannah Ellis

Rookie Hall of Fame—Ryan Gordon

Cadet of the Year—Gemma Eager

Team of the Year—U14 Male Beach Relay

- Pat McMahon

- Dean Piper

- Lachlan Wotton

- Matt Porter

Congratulations to everyone nominated. Our big winner for the year was Gemma Eager who won Cadet of the Year.



Committee—2011/2012

Our 56th Annual General Meeting was held last Sunday 26th June. The incoming committee didn't change much from the outgoing committee.

President—Denis Hannigan

Vice President Rescue Services—Chris Fillingham

Vice President Youth Services—Graham Eager

Manager General Administration—Brett Harrison

Manager Administration (Junior) - Greg McMahon

Financial Controller—Helen Clifton

Chief Instructor—Chris Manning

IRB Captain—Graham Sherer

IRB Vice Captain— John Vergara

Radio Manager—Chris McCormick

Manager First Aid—Irene Balderston

Boat Captain—Mark Shearan

Registrar—Bruce Mohr

Competition Manager Junior/Open—Greg McMahon

Manager Fundraising—Peter Mak

Historical Officer—John McNamara

Manager Gear & Equipment—Greg Griffin

Manager Rookie Development—Janine Piper

Bar Manager—Dixon Callendar

Beach Coach all age groups—Chris McCormick

Surf Coach—Juniors—James Mulligan

- Opens—Chris Fillingham

- Masters—Julie-Ann Fillingham

Uniform Officer—Jodie-Ann Watts

Hall Manager—Steve Parsons

Website Manager—John McNamara

Thank you to all who have accepted positions, your help in keeping this fantastic club running is greatly appreciated and without your help we wouldn't have such a great club. Thank you to Chris Manning for his work as Vice President Rescue Services, and we welcome him to his new position as Chief Instructor.

Congratulations to Dean Griffin

A huge congratulations to Dean Griffin who was awarded Life Membership at last Sunday's AGM.

Dean joined TBSLSC in 1988 and has actively participated in the club for 23 years. The year that he joined the surf club, he did his bronze and immediately engaged in active participation as a patrol member.

The year after he became a patrolling bronze holder he became Club Captain, and at the time he became Club Captain there were 15 active bronze patrolling members in the club. By the end of that season they had increased the club patrolling bronze holders to 30.

Thereafter, over the years, in addition to being Club Captain, he has also actively participated in up skilling himself, becoming an IRB driver and then completed Train the Trainers Course and became Chief Instructor in 1992/93. He obtained proficiency in ARC and radio and in the ability to train those courses. He has participated in patrol competitions, ultimately resulting in coming third in the state wide patrol competition. He has competed locally and at branch level in a variety of events including an iron man and IRB competitions all on behalf of TBSLSC.

As a young member of the club, he went to Youth Development Camps with another young representative of the club and they raised the \$3,000.00 involved in all of that. And so in those early years his involvement was dominated by an extraordinary level of participation in both sporting, administrative and education. He has continued to participate as a patrol member and patrol captain from time to time over the years. His major love over the immediate past has been his heavy involvement in the boat rowing aspect of this club, not only in the rowing aspect of it but also as a sweep. He remains an active member to this day and now is a married man with children and hopefully the cycle will start again.

Well done Dean. Thank you for your years of dedication to Toowoomba Bay SLSC.

A formal presentation will held shortly.

Toowoan Bay SLSC Café News

A few minor stumbling blocks are now behind us!

Check out the menu and latest news on the TBSLSC website—www.tbslsc.com.au or better yet, come down and enjoy a yummy coffee or try a coffee and cake special. Caramel cheese cake and coffee \$7.00, there are now fresh, home made veggie burgers or try a muffin with coffee \$7.00. YUM!



Coast Care Clean Up Day



Last weekend Coast Care Central Coast in conjunction with Wyong Shire Council and TBSLSC joined together to clear rubbish, butou bush and lantana from around the surf club and along the cliff face to Swadling Reserve Stairs. This is a shining example of the tremendous people involved in our club in reaching out to the community and lending a helping hand where it's needed. Club member Peter Mak has to be congratulated in his efforts in maintaining the surroundings of our club and organizing this event. Look forward to the next Clean Up Day, which will be held in spring/summer when all those pesky weeds start popping up again.

IMPORTANT DATES

Stay Up to date—check out the website—

www.tbslsc.com.au

Also check out the new High Tide website—

www.hightidefitness.com.au

While you are checking out the new High Tide Website, play the movie and see who's in it!

Energy Audit

Dryer



Refrigerator



Range/oven



Water heater



Windows



Doors



Insulation



Free Energy Assessments

This is a State Government to help save on soaring energy costs.

\$200.00 worth of energy saving products are available to anyone holding a pension card or a member of Veterans Affairs.

Contact Kay Wall on 0421103795 or email

kaylouwall@yahoo.com.au to arrange an appointment.

