Important Dates to Remember

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Position Vacant

Functions Manager

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31st Mar-6th Apr

Aussies

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<u>27th April</u> Lowering of Flags

Last Patrols

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<u>4th May</u>

Junior Presentation 2:30pm

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17th May

Senior Presentation 6:30pm

> Umina SLSC March 2014

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MARCH 2014 NEWSLETTER



UMINA SLSC ACHIEVE GREAT RESULTS AT THE NSW STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS 2014

Another very successful NSW State Champs saw thousands of competitors converge on our beach this month that resulted in some fantastic results on all weekends of the competition. Once again the weather gradually improved after the Junior weekend got off to another wet and windy start then finished with a mighty storm on the last day of the Masters weekend.

All results can be found on the website - <u>http://uminaslsc.org.au/in-the-</u> <u>surf/nippers/nipper-carnival-results/</u>.

As a club our overall point score results were as follows; Age Championships placed 14th in the State and 3rd in the Branch Opens Championships placed 15th in the State and 3rd in the Branch Masters Championships place 14th in the State and 5th in the Branch

A lot of work and effort goes into hosting this large event and many thanks go to all of our wonderful management committee and volunteers. Pending final Council approval the NSW Championships will return to Ocean Beach/Umina in 2015 with final dates yet to be determined.

As this goes to print we have a small group of competitors will head over to the *Australian Surf Life Saving Championships* in Scarborough W.A this coming week. We wish them all the very best in their events. Results will be posted on the website.

We have been advised by Sideline Sports Photography that photos of Umina nippers at the State Titles can be viewed and purchased from the following link: <u>http://www.ssp.net.au/gallery/Umina/Njl2NmYzYjQ00TgyNw==/page1/</u>

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Nipper News

The U8 – U14 Presentation Day will be held on Sunday 4th May at the Umina Precinct Park from 2:30pm in front of the stage area in the park. Bring along your chairs and picnic rugs and help us congratulate our wonderful young nippers on a very successful season for 2013/14.



Central Coast 13-14 Development Camp

In December last year Sam Gaffney, Alec Radford and Esme Fenwick were selected to participate in the Central Coast 13-14 development camp. They completed heaps of fun activities including testing their skills on the high ropes course, working as a team to make a boat using limited objects, getting a ride on the SLSCC Jet Ski and doing many team building activities. They all agreed that it was a great camp where they made heaps of friends and highly recommend others should participate next year.

SENIORS & MASTERS

Youth members of Umina SLSC hosted a group of international students from Europe, South and Central America and Asia at an annual Umina Rotary Youth Exchange on afternoon of Saturday March 22nd at Umina Beach. The aim of this annual event is to give overseas students an insight into the activities of Australian Surf Club members around the same age. With fine, warm weather and calm seas the visitors had an exemplary day to sample a part of traditional Australian culture.

17 youth were divided into small groups of four or five and participated in such activities as IRB rescues, rescue board paddling, tube rescues and beach flag competition. Each activity had a focus of fun whilst remaining instructional to some degree. After all groups had rotated through all the above mentioned they divided into two teams for beach volleyball followed by another team competition unique to Umina SLSC – "Hugo-ball" – which is vaguely similar to netball in the water with human goal posts instead of goal rings! All participants embraced all activities enthusiastically with some favouring the board activity whilst many commented they liked them all equally.

Later that evening the overseas students socialised with the Youth members from Umina SLSC at a local bowling club for a BBQ and barn dance organised by Umina Rotary.



SENIOR PRESENTATION NIGHT

Saturday 17th May, 2014 Venue: "Club Umina" Bowling Club, Melbourne Ave Umina Time: Doors open from 6pm Dress: Smart casual or frock up Cost: \$30 per person and \$25 for Cadet/Seniors up till 21 years of age RSVP by: 5th May, 2014 for catering purposes. Contact Jan Harding for Tickets on Mob: 0406 537 667 or email to <u>phillip harding@bigpond.com.au</u>. Or tickets can be paid for at Sips on Sunday afternoons or at the office on Mondays and Wednesdays from 10am – 2pm.

Surf Lifesaving Education Awards e.g. Bronze Medallion will be presented on the night. If you are unable to attend to collect your awards please contact Christine Lavers on <u>jla83868@bigpond.net.au</u> or Mob: 0407 909 386.

CAPTAINS CORNER

PATROL ROSTER

Sat. 29-Mar-14	5	6	
Sun. 30-Mar-14	7	9	
Sat. 5-Apr-14	12	11	
Sun. 6-Apr-14	16	8	
Sat. 12-Apr-14	14	2	
Sun. 13-Apr-14	1	3	
Fri. 18-Apr-14	6	5	
Sat. 19-Apr-14	15	7	
Sun. 20-Apr-14	8	2	
Mon . 21-Apr-14	9	10	
Fri. 25-Apr-14	11	12	
Sat. 26-Apr-14	14	16	
Sun. 27-Apr-14	4	4	

Reminder that the patrol season finishes on the 27th April.

If you have not received your Volley Double Plug SLSA thongs yet, please contact Nick or your patrol captain. We have women's sizes 6 - 8 and men's sizes 7 - 8 left.

If you have any questions regarding patrols or require a patrol substitutes, please contact Nick Shepherd – <u>nick.shepherd203@gmail.com</u>.

EDUCATION TRAINING TALES

Our current Bronze group will complete the course on 27th April; we look forward to seeing them on Patrol next season. Our next Bronze Course will be run in October at the start of the next nipper season. Any enquiries for the Bronze Course can be sent to <u>jarryd437@hotmail.com</u>.

Upcoming Courses......

29 th April	-	Silver Medallion Basic Beach Management Course @ SLSCC Tuggerah
6 th April	-	Provide (Senior) First Aid Course @ Umina SLSC
12 th April	-	Spinal Management @ SLSCC Tuggerah

Information on any courses can be found on the website. Any other queries please contact Jarryd Edmonds on jarryd437@hotmail.com.

All bookings and enquiries to Larissa Dixon on 43 420320 or uminaslsc.larissa@aanet.com.au.

WIN A GASMATE PIZZA OVEN

Club Fundraiser

Would you like to win a Gasmate Pizza Oven with Stand worth \$500?

The club will be selling raffle tickets to this great prize at Sips on Sunday afternoons, at the Junior Presentation day on 4th May and at the Senior Presentation night on 17th May where the prize will be drawn. Tickets cost \$2 each or 3 for \$5.



SPONSORED FIBREGLASS BOARDS

Applications are now available for Lease of Sponsored Fibreglass Boards and will close **31st May, 2014**. Should you wish to submit an application, please go to the website for further information along with the application form and time line - <u>http://uminaslsc.org.au/about/policies/lease-of-sponsored-fibreglass-boards/</u>

CLUB EXECUTIVE POSITIONS VACANT

The current position holder for Treasurer and Secretary will not be nominating for 2014/2015 season. For details contact Wendy Cook (Treasurer) - island93@netspace.net.au or Christine Lavers (Secretary) jla83868@bigpond.net.au.

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