

NEWSLETTER | OCTOBER 2020

UMINA SLSC

NSW CLUB OF THE YEAR 2018/19 - 2019/20

SEASON 20/21

- Office : 43 420 320
- 9-3pm Mon>Wed>Fri
- admin@uminaslsc.org.au

Flags went up last Saturday 26th for the start of the 2020/21 patrolling season. We have been busy during the off season preparing for patrols in a new Covid safe environment.

Patrol roster available via your Members Portal- Renewed membership must be complete before you first patrol.

NEW BOARD for the 20/21 season

Welcoming new and returning members to our Board of Directors for the season ahead, following our AGM:

President: Steve Scahill

Director of Administration: Jenni Darwin

Director of Finance: Nicolien Yates

Director of Surf Sports: Brett Harrod

Director of Junior Activities: Skye Marshall

Director of Facilities: Stuart Graf

Director of Education: VACANT

There are still positions to fill on committees. Please contact Jenni at memberservices@uminaslsc.org.au if you are interested in being more involved.

Nippers Information

First day of Nippers- 11th Oct

U6-U8 start 8.45 am

U9-U14 start 2.30 pm

Meet at your Age group flag @ Surf Club

Uniform & Rego team will be available from 8.30am

Nippers Information Booklet:

[Junior Activities 20/21](#)



Carnival Ready ?

First Carnival of the Season

With the current COVID-19 climate SLSCC Surf Sports calendar will look a little different this season. With current restrictions we are allowed to compete within our Branch, with events capped at 500 (inclusive of carnival volunteers) Junior carnivals have had to be split due to high competitor numbers. The surf sport calendar has been completed up until December 2020. The current season will look a little different- We still encourage members to join in the carnival fun.



The first carnival of the season is U14 to Masters Carnival on Sat 17th Oct @ Terrigal Beach.

Entry fees are approximately \$16

Competition Officers Jan & Phil Harding will review carnival entries and payments. Payments should be made via the members portal, ensuring clear details are noted; Child's Full Name, Age Group & Carnival date.



Want to be in our hoodie? We are taking expressions of interest. . We'll be placing an order with our supplier. Please send your EOI to finance@uminaslsc.org.au



Well Done Lachie!

11 year old Lachie Muldrock in action having fun competing for our beloved club. Today he showed maturity beyond his years and a trust in his skills that he has developed in his time with Umina SLSC. Today whilst surfing with his whanua (family) he noticed two boys, one his age and the other 9 y/o fully clothed and in a lot of trouble 150m off shore. Lachie and his Uncle raced over the distressed kids, reassured and calmed them down. Lachie was able to safely return to shore the 9 year old in very heavy and tricky conditions. His Uncle too able to do the same with the other child. Without the awareness and skills of this amazing young Nipper, one families holiday would've been a holiday from hell. Great work !

COME JOIN THE FUN

Umina SLSC Social Events

READY FOR FRIDAY ?

Socials on the Deck

UMINA SURF CLUB

JOIN US ON THE DECK 4-8pm

PLEASE DOWNLOAD QR CODE READER APP
FOR DIGITAL SIGN IN

LIVE MUSIC

COVID RESTRICTIONS IN PLACE

Family Bingo Night

Umina SLSC is holding another awesome Bingo night
this Wed 7th Oct these school holidays- 6.30pm

4 games of bingo- \$5

Hot Dog & Drink -\$5

Covid capacity- 60 people First in first served

SIPS IS BACK

First sips is the 11th October at 5pm. All members and their families welcome. It's a great chance to have a drink, meet other members and feed the family at cost price. We strive to keep prices as low as possible for members, providing good simple food for less than a takeaway meal. Come along – all welcome. Meet the surf club family.



General Meeting Dates

Dates have been set for the next three general meetings:

- Monday 26th October 2020 6.30pm
- Monday 14th December 2020 6.30pm
- Monday 15th February 2021 6.30pm

All members are welcome to attend these meetings which are held upstairs at the club. If anyone has any agenda items they would like discussed, please send them to Jane at admin@uminaslsc.org.au



Patrols and Parking :

Please ensure you have a patrol sign on your dashboard if you are using the patrol parking as the rangers have been visiting. Signs will be left in your patrol folders in the patrol box.

Senior presentation awards.

Congratulations to all our award winners for the 2019/20 season announced at the recent virtual awards ceremony. For a full list of awards winners, click [here](#). (link to a list I will post on our website)

Special mention to our major award winners:

Young Lifesaver of the Year: Kai Darwin

Under 19's Club Person of the Year:

Georgia Ray

Lifesaver of the Year: James Irwin

Club Person of the Year: Tom Magurren.

We will be presenting these major awards at our first sips night, on the 11th October.

PRIZE PICK UP:

Saturday 10th October at 3pm beach side downstairs at the surf club.



Covid Update

All activities are now back up and running at the club. We ask that every time you enter the club you sign in using the QR code on the doors or at the entry points. There is a separate sign in for the bar and club rooms to all other areas so if you are downstairs and then go upstairs later, you will have to sign in twice. Please wash down and sanitise any equipment you use. Nippers and training will have a separate QR sign in and patrols can sign in via the patrol app. Please stay away if you are unwell or have visited any hotspots recently.



Vacancy- Director of Education

Bob Powell has taken the decision to not stand again as the Director of Education. Bob has held the role for many years at the club and has provided an incredible service to our lifesaving team in getting bronze members qualified and running the education programs. We thank Bob for his service and wish him all the best. This leaves a vacant position on the board. Please email admin@uminaslsc.org.au if you are interested in this position, which is now a casual vacancy which will be appointed by the board on receipt of applications.

Grievances and Member Protection

Do you know who to contact if you want to raise a concern or lodge a complaint? Our club has Member Protection Information Officer who is your first point of contact for any issues you may want raised. They will then guide you as to the grievance process and next steps. They do not investigate complaints themselves but act as an impartial member to listen and provide advice as to where to go next.

Julie Fayers is our qualified MPIO and can be contacted via email: memberprotection@uminaslsc.org.au or by calling the office and leaving a message 0243420320

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