

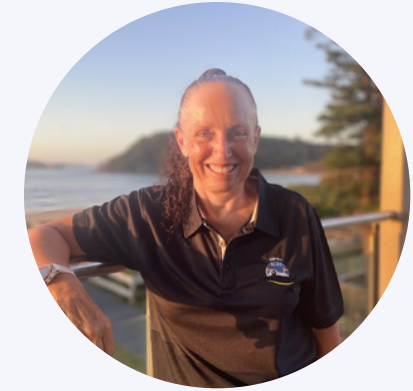
Newsletter-February 24

STINGRAY NEWS



Presidents Fast Five...

1. Many thanks to all of the volunteers who assisted us in hosting the Nipper Branch titles. A huge effort by all, well done.
2. Congratulations to those who competed in the Branch Nipper, Opens, Masters, Boats and Lifesaving carnivals. Amazing effort, wonderful camaraderie and outstanding representation of our club. Good luck to all who are going to State.
3. Once again there has been lots happening in the Education department with many courses currently underway and completed. Congratulations to all awardees, a special mention goes to Davara Marshall who attained the very prestigious Gold Medallion, an outstanding achievement.
4. Last week saw our U14's and their Age Managers finish their last ever Sunday nippers. Thanks for all of your contributions over the many seasons.
5. Silver Salties meet every Thursday morning at 9.30 in the clubhouse. Great work by Jan and Phil Harding in maintaining these important social connections. All welcome to come along and join in.



Umina Members Communication Facebook site.

Please be aware that we are continually auditing our Members Communication Facebook Page who have linked into this site. If you or your family are not registered with the surf club, you maybe taken off the site unless you have contacted us directly or when you requested to join you had not answered the questions on the Join site. If you need to contact about this us, please do and all enquires are confidential.

Policy on site:

This forum is to be utilised as communication forum for Umina Club members only.

All members associated to this site or any other sites under the banner of Umina SLSC we must adhere to SLSA Policy 6.20 regarding Social Media use by any of our members. This particular forum was created to benefit our competitors with up to date important Club information with enthusiastic approach and No discrimination, Bullying or harassment will not be allowed.

4.0 USAGE 4.1 For SLSA members and staff using social media, such use

- Must not contain, or link to, libellous, defamatory or harassing content. This also applies to the use of illustrations or nicknames;
- Must not comment on, or publish, information that is confidential or in any way sensitive to SLSA, its affiliates, partners or sponsors; and
- Must not bring the organisation or surf lifesaving into disrepute

Lifesaving...

Rainbow Beaches

Our club is celebrating Rainbow Beaches this Sunday 18th Feb on the AM patrol and during nippers. All qualified members welcome on patrol and encouraged to wear your brightest swimmers. There'll be rainbow pancakes before nippers and zinc to apply

Gold Medallion

The Gold Medallion is the pinnacle of surf lifesaving. If you can achieve your Gold Medallion, you are among the fittest and most capable lifesavers on the beach.

Congratulations to Davara Marshall who recently achieved her Gold Medallion in Surf Lifesaving.

Youth-Umina Stingers

On the weekend of the 24th March we will be welcoming Crowdy Head SLSC youth.

Over the weekend they will participate in patrolling duties, Jet Ski and IRB rides, board riding, body surfing competitions, beach games, team building activities and more!

#Deepwater Plaza



Education...

Congratulations to our newest Bronzies Amara, Victoria, Jasmine & Cohen. What a great bunch of young adults. They cruised through the course with ease.

Thanks to Pam and the training team and special thanks to Scotty, and Zara who gave up their time to help in the water each week.

Be really proud all, congratulations.



Date	Course	Register
TBC 2024	IRB Crew Course	https://forms.office.com/r/jj4tRJsUgF
24 Mar 2024	First Aid & ART upgrade Courses	https://forms.office.com/r/7jJd6cC6zb
18-19 May 2024	Silver Medallion Patrols Captains	https://forms.office.com/r/b3sbwNP5GC
13-14 April 2024 TBC May 2024	Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue	https://forms.office.com/r/5Zr5rQrrPA
TBC Mar 2024	UAV Courses	https://forms.office.com/r/u6BkGLinPS

For more information on SLS Education pathways visit <https://www.surflifesaving.com.au/.../education-pathways.../>

United Surf Sports...

Congratulations to our Champion Lifesaver competitors for outstanding Branch results. Everyone came away from the event with a medal!!

Branch Masters saw the Umina team finish second overall on the point score!! We had over thirty members step up and compete. For some it was their first taste of competition. Congratulations to the whole team on the way they battled it out on the sand and in the surf.



Congratulations to the whole team on the way they battled it out on the sand and in the surf. Thank you to our dedicated officials and supporters too. We would like to wish all competitors good luck as they kick off the at State Champs. Up Up Umina

United Surf Sports...

Now that the dust has settled on a scorching weekend of Branch Champs 2024, lets reflect on the sportsmanship, drive and determination our Umina Nippers showed. A heap of bling and mega smiles from kids who gave it their all, we are always astounded at what these kids can achieve.

Branch Championships hosted @ Ocean Beach saw our U15- Opens place 5th overall on the club leader board.



Surf Sports...

Umina SLSC had three boat crews compete across four divisions at the 2024 SLSCC Branch Championships. Congratulations to all teams on coming away with medals and club points.

- 1 1st Male Masters
- 2 2nd Female Masters
- 3 3rd Male Reserve Grade
- 3 3rd Female U19s



2024 Senior Point score saw our U14s through to masters battle it out in the surf and on the sand for age champion status.

The camaraderie, cheering and support shone through, showing that club spirit really was the winner of the day - Congratulations and thank you to everyone involved.



Fishy Friday...

Please join us for Fishy Friday at Umina SLSC.

Date: 29th March 2024

Captain vs President: is where the nippers are split into 2 groups, led by the Club Captain and the President. They partake in a range of fun activities and a scavenger hunt to determine the winning team.

It then concludes with an Easter egg hunt.

Menu

- Fish, Chips and Salad \$15
- Bucket of Prawns \$20
- Salt and Pepper Squid \$15
- Childs Meals Fish & Chips no Salad \$10
- Vegetarian Option- available on the day
- Garlic Bread \$3
- Chips \$7
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Bar Open: 12pm-5pm

Meal Service: 12.30pm

*Orders to close 19 March 2024

*Pre Orders preferred. Orders taken on the day



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SCAN QR CODE FOR PRE-ORDER MEAL
Priority given to pre-orders
Late orders can be taken on the day

Officials Course...



We are looking at holding a BYOD Officials course for late April early May

- Core Official course, cost \$60,
- Technical Official course cost \$60

Do a carnival get your paperwork signed off and a refund of the course fee will be processed. The more we have the better for everyone concerned in taking it in turns instead of relying on the same people EVERY carnival.

Contact: jan.harding@uminaslsc.org.au

SLS - Core Official

Surf Life Saving-

This course provides a basic understanding of the key events conducted for junior level competitions. Core Officials are permitted to Officiate at any carnivals and competitions including State Championships where up to and including under 14 years age categories are conducted.

There are four duties that they can carry out: Marshall, Recording Judge, Timekeeping Judge and Finish Judge. Core Officials will be supervised at competitions by a competent Technical (or above) accredited Official.

SLS - Technical Official

Surf Life Saving-

Officials who choose to fulfil specific officiating role/s and who work with participants (non-bronze proficient,

Surf Rescue Certificate qualified or bronze proficient) who are actively competing in a club / branch / state surf sport competition environments. Officiating roles may include: Marshall/Check-Marshall, Starter/Check-Starter, Recorder, Timekeeper and Finish Judge.

United Fuel Offer...

In addition to sponsoring us, United Petroleum also supports the Umina Surf Lifesaving Club community with a 4c per litre fuel discount.

The discount is split as 2c per litre to you and the other 2c per litre also goes back to our club for fundraising!

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Information and Dates...

MARCH

- Sat 2nd Mar-Sun 17th Mar -State Championships
- Sun 3rd Mar- U6 & U7 Presentation 11 am (after nippers)
- Mon 4th March- Directors Meeting
- Sat 23rd March- Crowdy Head SLSC sleepover
- Fri 29 March- Fishy Friday 12pm

UPCOMING DATES

- Junior Presentation U8-U14 - 19 May -Clubhouse TBA
- Senior Presentation U15+ -1st June-Ettalong Diggers
- Australian Championships- 13 April
- Annual General Meeting-23 June



Finance...

Due to increasing workload and time restraints I am looking for someone who might be interested in helping within this area of the Club.

Maybe even with the vision of taking on the Finance Directors role.

We cover areas such as of Payroll / HR, Insurances, Assets, Grants, Leases, IT, Accounts, Policies & Procedures and many more.

I have a great team already but there are many more areas to cover.

Wendy 0428 421 412



Sunday Sips Bar & Kitchen Roster

Date	Bar Team	Kitchen
3 March	NA	NA
10 March	NA	NA
17 March	NA	NA
24 March	Team F	Ladies

Reminder- 24/03/24 Sips

Bronze Presentation

State Wrap

Aussie Cap Presentation

Dress and Conduct Code- Upstairs Function Areas

Dress

Neat and tidy attire to be worn at all times by all.

Please remove all sand before proceeding upstairs.

Footwear to be worn at all times upstairs.

No wet swimwear/clothing to be worn upstairs.

Conduct

No running in the upstairs function areas.

No bikes, skateboards, scooters or boards upstairs.

No ball games.

Children under the age of 12 must be under parental control.



Thankyou-Management Umina SLSC

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