



**Kingston Beach
Surf Life Saving
Club Members want you
to have a safe and
enjoyable time at the
beach**



**Get involved,
join up
or just say G'Day!**

Face to Face with any one of our
uniformed volunteers on the Beach

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**A Day on Patrol
At
Kingston Beach**



Surf Life Saving exists to save lives, create great Australians and build better communities.



Your local club is the **Kingston Beach Surf Life Saving Club**. You will know we are on Patrol when our red and yellow flags are up on the beach.

We Patrol Kingston Beach each weekend and every public holiday during the summer months, and have been Patrolling the beach since 2001. We also Patrol when we have special community events and surf competitions.

When we are on Patrol there is a team of volunteers – uniformed surf lifesavers who are trained and qualified to save and protect life on Australian beaches.



We set up our mobile Patrol Base each day on the edge of the beach with a clear view of the patrolled area.

Our first aid kits, rescue boards and equipment, rescue boat and beach patrol vehicle are all easily accessible from our Patrol Base. We need to be able to respond rapidly.



Our skilled **rescue boat** crew are often seen out on the water keeping swimmers and water craft safe. We provide first response to rescues from Tarooma to Tinderbox. We also assist Volunteer Marine Rescue and Tasmania Police whenever needed.

As part of our Patrol, we remove debris and litter from the sand using our specially registered beach patrol vehicle equipped with a beach rake. This Council endorsed **beach raking** activity makes the beach more hygienic, safer and much more comfortable for everyone to use.



Our focus is between the red and yellow flags, but you will see us all along the Kingston Beach from time to time in our specially registered **beach patrol vehicle** - towing our boat, raking the beach, responding to a call for assistance or even transporting a patient for first aid.