



**KINGSTON BEACH**  
SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

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## UPCOMING DATES

# President's Report

What an exciting time since the last newsletter, with lots happening within the club as we all prepare for another exciting season.

With the lifesaving season fast approaching many members are back in the pool doing countless laps, attending training nights and brushing up on their skills. There are a number of courses coming up in October and November, so keep an eye out for them and get in early as some unfortunately have a limit on them.

The club will be trialling an IRB /Club weekend at Dolphin sands this year over the last weekend in Oct. This is a great opportunity for members to get away for a weekend, enhance their skills, whilst bringing the family and enjoying a camping atmosphere with all club members. More to come on this exciting camp, so keep posted on our Facebook page and in future newsletters.

The recent SAREX (Search and Rescue exercise) was an outstanding success with members attending from all organisations and involving themselves in many activities to further develop skills, relationships and test equipment through controlled scenarios. Our team at Kingston Beach is an integral part of the state wide search and rescue organisation and are on-call 24/7. Another SAREX is scheduled for November on Bruny Island.

We hope you will all brush off those cocktail dresses and suits and join us at the pre-season Cocktail night, in October. A great opportunity for those older members to get together in a social setting and brag about past exploits and future dream. Lizzie has an exciting night planned, but be quick as space is limited to 45 only. Please see the invitation on the last page of the newsletter.

Have a safe and enjoyable holiday break and we'll see you all on the beach in October and November as the season kicks off

Paul

## OCTOBER

Friday 21<sup>st</sup>, Club Cocktail Night @ St. Albi Bar & Eatery

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup>, Bronze/SRC Course Commences

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 20<sup>th</sup>, IRB Training Camp @ Dolphin Sands

## NOVEMBER

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup>, Club Open Day @ Kingston Beach

Saturday 26<sup>th</sup>, Button Day (Fundraising event)

## DECEMBER

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup>, Patrol Season commences

### Secretary needed!

Our club is in need of a secretary! If you are interested in this role please email [kingstonbeachslsc@gmail.com](mailto:kingstonbeachslsc@gmail.com)

*Position roles and responsibilities can be emailed out.*

# Club Membership & Season Fees

Now that the 2016/17 season is just around the corner, it's time to update membership details and to pay annual subscriptions.

Membership fees are unchanged this year and are great value, particularly if you are fast and grab the amazing early bird rates! Please note that if you are a nipper parent and are considering helping this season, assist with the barbeque or are a social member, you are expected to pay the *associate* membership (see table below)

Please follow the guidelines below to pay your fees and update your details. If you have any difficulties contact the SLSA Help Desk on 1300 724 006 (email [ithelp@slsa.asn.au](mailto:ithelp@slsa.asn.au)) or email Michelle at [kingstonbeachslsc@gmail.com](mailto:kingstonbeachslsc@gmail.com)

- Michelle Neill (Club Registrar)

## Membership Fees 2016/17

Category	EARLY BIRD FEES (Before 31 <sup>st</sup> October 2016)	SEASON FEES
<b>Family</b>	\$270	\$300
<b>Active</b>	\$130	\$150
<b>Cadet</b>	\$120	\$140
<b>Junior</b>	\$100	\$120
<b>Seahorse</b>	\$85	\$95
<b>Associate</b>	\$65	\$80

## Existing Members:

### How do I pay my membership fees and update my details?

1. Go to [portal.sls.com.au](http://portal.sls.com.au)
2. Enter your username and password and login to your account
3. Select the tab *Lifesaving Online* then click -> *Online Payments*
4. Click *Membership Renewal* and you should then be redirected to a page to pay for your membership and also update any personal details (email address, phone numbers etc).

**Early-bird discount fees close on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2016. Don't miss out!**

## Age brackets for Membership- 2016/17

1st October 2001 to 30th September 2002 U/15 (Cadet)  
 1st October 2002 to 30th September 2003 U/14 (Cadet)  
 1st October 2003 to 30th September 2004 U/13(Cadet)  
 1st October 2004 to 30th September 2005 U/12 (Junior)  
 1st October 2005 to 30th September 2006 U/11 (Junior)  
 1st October 2006 to 30th September 2007 U/10 (Junior)  
 1st October 2007 to 30th September 2008 U/9 (Junior)  
 1st October 2008 to 30th September 2009 U/8 (Junior)  
 5 years old – 30th September 2008 (Seahorse)



## Lifesaving

Hi patrolling members!

The 2016/17 season is just around the corner- hasn't that come around quickly! Please read the following information regarding Lifesaving in the club and get in contact with me if you have any queries regarding patrols or proficiencies at: [pjlohrey@gmail.com](mailto:pjlohrey@gmail.com)

-Philippa Lohrey (Lifesaving Manager)

## Patrolling Preferences

I am currently in the process of creating the patrol roster, so if you have any dates you are unavailable or on holiday etc please let me know ASAP. If you have any requests for patrol teams, or friends to patrol with, I will try and accommodate these, bearing in mind we have to fulfil our patrol obligations with the required skill sets and experience.

Once the roster has been published, you will need to organise any substitutions for patrols you are unable to attend and let your patrol captain know.

Please email me with any requests.

## Proficiencies

This year there will be no pool proficiencies across the state, as it has been removed as part of our skills maintenance. This works really well for us as the removal now allows us to train members in the sea throughout the year. Our normal beach proficiencies dates will be advertised shortly. This year a number of components of the proficiency can be done on-line, such as signals and radios but this will be via the new Life Saving Victoria website, as Tasmania are now using LSV as the RTO (registered training organization) . I'll send out more detailed information in the upcoming newsletters and through Email/Facebook.

## Working with Children Check

Once again, we are requiring ALL members over 16 years to complete a *Working with Children Check*. This is a very straight forward process. Just click on the link below and fill in the application form. You can then take the form, or application number into Service Tasmania, pay the fee, and then wait for your card to arrive. Please send me a photo or email a copy of your card when it arrives. Many industries are requiring this check nowadays, and it can be used for any volunteering work. Please see our website under the 'members' section for more information. Link: [www.justice.tas.gov.au/working\\_with\\_children](http://www.justice.tas.gov.au/working_with_children)

## Name the Patrol Teams Competition

Thanks to David Gadsby for naming our patrol teams last year! Last season, the patrol teams were named Audacious, Bodacious, Chivalrous, Dauntless, Enlivened, Fortitudinous and Gallant.

We are looking for new team names for the 2016/17 season. Pick a theme and provide names for the 8 teams. The team names do not need to be alphabetical. Be creative! Send your entries to me before October 16<sup>th</sup> and we will then have a vote on our club Facebook page.

## New Awards

As the season begins, it's good to think about any new awards you would like to obtain throughout the season. We have a number that we will be delivering – keep an eye on Facebook and the newsletters and let Bridget Fasnacht know if you are interested by emailing the club training account: [kbslsctraining@gmail.com](mailto:kbslsctraining@gmail.com)

# Uniform

We have the following club clothing at 2015/16 season prices, there will be an increase in prices across the whole range next season due to an increase in manufacture costs.

If you would like to purchase any uniform for the upcoming season, please Facebook message me or contact me on 0419 987 411 to arrange pick up and payment options.

-Sandra Gadsby (Uniform Coordinator)

## SALE PRICES

	Size	Price			Size	Price
<b>Blue club polo</b>	14,S,	\$35		<b>Female Bathers</b> (Black with Blue & yellow detail)	L10,G8	\$35
<b>Blue Hoodie</b> (Old style no dragon logo)	M	\$30		<b>Men's Jammers</b>	16	\$45
<b>Blue Hoodie</b>	8,12,S,M,XL	\$55		<b>Men's Bathers</b>	18,14	\$40
<b>White Shirt</b> with logo on back	S,XL,XXL	\$35		<b>Boys Jammers</b>	10,12,14	\$40
<b>Track Pant</b> (Adult)	L,XL,XXL	\$40		<b>Boys Bathers</b>	12,14	\$35
<b>Track Pants</b> (junior with ankle cuff)	12,14	\$35				

## Second Hand Clothing

### Surf Jacket

1 size. 2XL \$45

### Hoodies with logo. \$25.00 each

1 size XXL

1 size men's medium

1 size 14

### Polo Shirts. \$20.00 each

1 size large

1 size medium

1 size boys 14

### Training singlet. \$15.00 each

1 size 14

1 size XXL

All in very good condition!

Contact Carol Raspin to enquire about any of the second hand uniform items.

E: cgraspin@gmail.com

M: 0409979812



# Training and Education

## Surf Rescue Certificate and Bronze Medallion Course



Interested in getting  
your Bronze Medallion  
or SRC award?

A course will be run over October and November and we wish to invite all current and new members to sign up for it!

**Pre- requisites:**

**Surf Rescue Certificate:**  
be at least 13 years of age  
on the date of final assessment

**Bronze Medallion:**  
be at least 15 years of age on the  
date of final assessment

Please email  
[kbslstraining@gmail.com](mailto:kbslstraining@gmail.com) to  
register your attendance



## First Aid Course

A course will be run by Philippa Lohrey next month for all interested Kingston Beach SLSC members. The course will be run the week after the school holidays (from October 10<sup>th</sup>). The First Aid Qualification (HLTAID003) is identical to what all workplaces require employees to hold, and is the same as Certificate II Workplace First Aid.

Venue: Kingston Beach Garage

Price: \$50.00

Sessions: 2 evening sessions

Pre-Requisites: 14 years or older

RSVP: Email [kbslstraining@gmail.com](mailto:kbslstraining@gmail.com) by 25<sup>th</sup> September to register your interest.



## NEW training and assessment platform

As part of the new Lifesaving Victoria and Surf Lifesaving Tasmania partnership, a new training and assessment platform has been released! From the beginning of this season, all course registrations, proficiencies and course calendars will be accessible from the website: [www.mt.lsv-from.anywhere.com.au](http://www.mt.lsv-from.anywhere.com.au).

To enable this new platform to work effectively, ALL current and new members will need to make an account to access this website. Our club would love to start utilizing this website as soon as possible for new courses and all our proficiencies but this can only happen if everyone makes an account. To create an account, please visit the link above and create a username and a password. At this stage you will not be able to use the website once you have logged in but stay tuned as we will be using all its capabilities as soon as we get everyone to make an account! Please write your username and password down once you create it as you will be using this a lot over the season.

## Community Educators- APPLY NOW!

Are you interested in teaching school children surf safety skills? Are you passionate about making a difference in our community? Well the community educator role is a great job for you! A casual paid position, this job is super fun and very rewarding! Please see flyer below which SLST put out a few weeks ago. Applications close soon.

### BECOME A COMMUNITY EDUCATION INSTRUCTOR

Community education plays a vital role in aquatic safety. Surf Life Saving Tasmania (SLST) is recruiting passionate individuals as Community Education Instructors to deliver and instruct SLST community and school based education programs.

#### What does being a Community Education Instructor involve?

Overseeing and instructing participants in a range of SLST programs, ensuring an understanding of key safety messages are delivered in an enthusiastic professional and safe manner.

#### SLST Programs



Applications due Friday 30th September 2016

#### FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Please contact Tom Gauden - Development Officer  
on 03 6222 6559 or [tgauden@slst.asn.au](mailto:tgauden@slst.asn.au)

#### OR GO TO OUR WEBSITE:

<http://slst.asn.au/surf-life-saving/about-us/careers/>



- Bridget Fasnacht (Training Officer)

# Nippers

The Club Open Day date has been set and it is expected to be a big day with lots of new nippers and potential members coming down to the beach to see what our club is all about.

To get prepared for the nipper season, please make sure you are looking into paying your nipper membership fees **now** and also checking to see if your nippers have grown out of their pink High-Vis vest as this is a necessity for the first day on the beach if children want to enter the water.



**Club Open Day:**  
**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November 10-12pm**

## Pool Proficiencies

Similar to last year, we are hoping to run two pool proficiency afternoons for nippers so they can complete their swim before the season starts, so it's not a hassle when it comes to getting in the ocean at the first few nipper sessions. If you are a current parent with nippers in the club please try and get to these pool sessions as it will then mean your child can enter the water at the beach without having one-to-one supervision the whole time.

These dates will be published as soon as a venue is confirmed so please check our Facebook page for updates and also on our website. If you have friends who are keen for their children to join our nipper program, these pool sessions are a great chance for them to find all about the Nipper season and talk to our club registrar about membership fees and registering online.

## Nipper Parents- Working with Children Check

A reminder to all nipper parents who are keen to help out on the beach this season that you will have to have a current Working with Children Check. Please see our website under the 'members' section for more information on how to obtain this card. This is a requirement of Surf Life Saving Australia and penalties may apply if you don't hold one when volunteering around children.

# Social Media

Stay connected with Kingston Beach SLSC by '*liking*' us on Facebook and following us on Instagram: *kingstonbeach\_slsc*





## Social

So this is happening! A pre-season cocktail night! Let's get out of our wetties and see each other all glammed up! This will be a great chance to catch up with each other and invite potential new members to our club. Tickets will sell out fast with only 45 available! All details on the night can be viewed on the invitation below so now is the time to rope in your friends! Would be great to see lots of nipper parents there!

**RSVP:** text 0401910322 or email [elizabethtaylor94@gmail.com](mailto:elizabethtaylor94@gmail.com)

Please remember to place your name on the payment so I can cross check RSVP's with payments. Hope to see you all there!!

-Lizzie Taylor (Social Coordinator)

