



The Sandpiper



BOARD SHORTS

We are currently taking orders for club board shorts – a \$25 deposit required with your order by 2 Nov. See Corrinne or call her on 0423 869 995.

BBO ROSTER

The new barbeque roster system started last week, with U13/U14 parents on duty. Roster for next few weeks is:

01 Nov: U11/U12
08 Nov: U10
15 Nov: U9
22 Nov: U8

DUKE OF EDINBURGH AWARDS

Any 14-25 year olds interested in enrolling in this program of activities and awards should see Ron Scott on Sunday. NB surf club activities may contribute to an existing Awards program if you are already enrolled.

VIVA LA GONG

Fancy an ocean / harbour swim?

Saturday 7th November
Belmore Basin and North Wollongong Beach

For info on full range of events, entry costs, entry closing dates, conditions and entry forms, contact Corrinne on 0423 869 995 or talk to her at Nippers.

CLUB TRAINING

Training is currently only on Tuesdays at 4.30pm for beach and/or water events (not necessarily both). Parents/carers must be in attendance.

PARENT SUPPORT

All parents are encouraged to actively assist the Age Managers. Give them your support, help them out but try not to criticise them while they're helping your children. We are all volunteers here.

NB if you do have a real issue with an Age Manager, please see a member of the executive committee.

MEMBER TRAINING

A Level 1 Officials accreditation course will be held at Surf House on Fri 11 Dec. Contact Sharon (0413 952 474) or Corrinne (0423 869 995) for further details.

Any parents/carers interested in undertaking a Bronze Medallion / Surf Rescue Certificate course should see Ron Scott at Nippers.

BASIC RULES

1. The creek is out of bounds to all, other than under the specific direction and supervision of an Age Manager.
2. Wrestling, sand-throwing, teasing and general misbehaviour will not be tolerated. Persistent offenders will be removed from their group.
3. Apply plenty of sun screen (we have some if needed), bring water bottles and towels.
4. Parents are encouraged to help in water safety activities but they must have Surf Rescue Certificate at least.

NEWS FROM SLSA

SLSA report: men continue to drown like lemmings

Australian men are nearly nine times more likely to drown at the beach than women according to the just released Surf Life Saving Australia National Coastal Safety Report.

And it is young men who are most at risk with those aged between 30 and 39 recording the highest number of deaths (overall, men accounted for 88% of coastal drowning deaths in Australia).

“Men just never seem to learn when it comes to surf safety,” commented Matt Thompson of Surf Life Saving Australia. “Arrogance, bravado and an inflated sense of their surf swimming ability are a lethal combination and the statistics speak for themselves. Men need to learn the limits of their ability,” Mr Thompson said.

POSTSCRIPT

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SPECIAL OFFER: **S & J Built-in Wardrobes**

Shaun & Julie Sawden & family are members of Corrimal Surf Club. Their work is first rate and very reasonably priced, as many members know. Sean has graciously offered to donate \$25 to the surf club for each member who orders a wardrobe. This will also apply to friends of surf club members who tell Sean they were referred by a surf club member. If you or people you know are in the market for built-in wardrobes or other cabinet making items please give S & J Sawden a call on 0407 024 515.



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