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2024

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NEWSLETTER

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THE HEART OF THE VIKINGS

MESSAGE FROM THE EDITOR

At the Currumbin Beach Vikings, we are more than just a Club. We are a community, a family bound by shared values and a passion for surf lifesaving. Our membership is as diverse as the ocean we serve, each volunteer giving generously of their time and energy in various roles, all vital to the running of this great Club.

Yet, with the pressures of modern life - work deadlines, family commitments, and the endless to-do lists - it's easy to become laser-focused on the task in front of us. We all have responsibilities within the Club, whether it's patrolling the beach, serving customers, teaching new recruits, or managing operations. But in the midst of it all, it's worth pausing to remember that we are part of something bigger, an ecosystem of volunteers all working towards a common goal.

We are all navigating the same hectic pace of life, juggling multiple demands, and sometimes, the best we can do is compartmentalize just to keep it altogether. But in doing so, there's a risk that we forget to connect. Behind each role and every responsibility is a human being with their own triumphs, struggles, and stories.

So, here's a reminder. Let's slow down. Let's take a moment to look up from the tasks and see each other. Let's embrace the opportunities that bring us together, whether it's on the beach, at the clubhouse, or during a quiet moment after a meeting. Ask each other how we're really going - not just as Vikings, but as friends, as individuals. Let's have those meaningful chats about life, because being a Viking is more than just the uniform we wear or the duties we perform.

Having each other's backs is a Viking value that transcends the boardroom or the beach. To be a Viking is special. To have a Viking in your corner is irreplaceable. Sometimes just knowing that makes all the difference.

Together, we are stronger. Together, we are Vikings.

Be Mighty.

Benny Munro

Benny Munro
Club Newsletter



CURRUMBIN BEACH VIKINGS

SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB



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ikings take responsibility and always do what we say

always think 'one club' and 'team first'

Keep being a positive influence

always have my fellow Viking's back

never forget to have fun

genuine open and honest conversations

Support and respect everyone





WHAT'S ON...

COMING UP FOR THE VIKINGS

PATROL ROSTER

Sat, 19 Oct: AM Patrol 11; PM Patrol 6
Sun, 20 Oct: AM Patrol 14; PM Patrol 10
Sat, 26 Oct: AM Patrol 3; PM Patrol 4
Sun, 27 Oct: AM Patrol 12; PM Patrol 13
Sat, 2 Nov: AM Patrol 1; PM Patrol 2
Sun, 3 Nov: AM Patrol 6; PM Patrol 11
Sat, 9 Nov: AM Patrol 5; PM Patrol 7
Sun, 10 Nov: AM Patrol 8; PM Patrol 9
Sat, 16 Nov: AM Patrol 10; PM Reserve
Sun, 17 Nov: AM Patrol 13; PM Patrol 14

EVENTS

Fri, 18 Oct: 5:30pm, CBV General Meeting & Active Members Social Session, Vikings' Room, Currumbin SLSC
Sun, 20 Oct: 2pm - 4pm In the Raw Oyster Bar, Currumbin SLSC
Fri, 22 Nov: 5pm Active Members Social Session, Vikings' Room
Sat, 23 Nov: Currumbin Nippers Ladies Day, 12pm-3pm, Junior Activities Centre
Sat, 23 Nov: 6pm PDB 100 Year Gala Dinner, Seaworld, Main Beach

CARNIVALS

Sat, 19 Oct: Navy Youth / Masters Rd 1, Noosa Heads SLSC
Sat, 26 Oct: Oceans 38 Rd 1, Tugun SLSC
Sat, 26 Oct: Young Guns U11-U13, Kurrawa SLSC
Sun, 27 Oct: JAC Nippers Pointscore, Currumbin SLSC
Sat, 2 Nov: QLD Cup Rd 1, Burleigh SLSC and SOS, Alexandra Headland SLSC
Sun, 3 Nov: U11-U14 Summer of Surf, Alexandra Headland SLSC
Sun, 3 Nov: U8-U10 PDB Teams, Pacific SLSC
Sat, 9 Nov: QLD Beach Series Rd 1, Mooloolaba SLSC Oceans 38 Rd 2, Kirra
Sat, 9 Nov: Oceans 38 Rd 2, Kirra SLSC
Sat 16 Nov: ASRLQ Opens & Ressies Rd 1, Alexandra Headland SLSC
Sat, 16 Nov & Sun, 17 Nov: U11-U14 Gold Coast City Titles, Kurrawa SLSC
Sat 16 and Sun, 17 Nov: Iron Series Trial, Tugun SLSC





General Meeting

Friday 18th October 2024

🕒 5:30pm – 6:30pm

📍 Currumbin Beach Vikings Surf Life Saving Club
@Vikings Room

**Followed by Active Members Night
with meal specials + lucky door prize +
complimentary drink on arrival**

ACTIVE MEMBERS SOCIAL SESSIONS SAVE THE DATES '24/25 SEASON

Friday 19 October
Friday, 22 November
Friday, 28 February

Sunday, 9 March
Sunday, 6 April
Friday, 16 May

Friday nights from 5pm & Sunday arvos from
4:30pm in the Vikings Room



IN THE RAW

This Weekend
Sunday



CURRUMBIN VIKINGS SLSC

SUNDAY 20TH OCTOBER

2PM - 4PM

DOORS OPENING AT 1.30PM



\$85 PER PERSON

LIVE MUSIC *Brooke Supple*

2HR BEVERAGE PACKAGE

tap beer & selected wines

4 COURSE TAPAS MENU

including a half a dozen natural oysters ea.

Oyster Shucker **OYSTER BAR**

additional oyster varieties available for purchase

\$10 COCKTAILS



TO PURCHASE TICKETS, VISIT OUR
WEBSITE OR CALL US 0755 342 932



CBV PATROL & LIFESAVING

MESSAGE FROM CLUB CAPTAIN - PETER HARDING

We are well underway with patrols. A huge thank you to our volunteer members who have completed their rostered patrols over the past 5 weekends and thank you to those members who were unable to make their rostered patrol, let their Patrol Captain/ Club Captain or Carole know by return text and completed a make up patrol.

It is important that we all exercise patrol etiquette and two-way communication. If you cannot make your patrol, please let us know, reach out for a sub through the Currumbin Beach Vikings Patrolling Members Facebook Page or ask someone you know to do a patrol swap. If you don't turn up to patrol, it will be recorded as a 'no show'.

Why is it important to communicate? We need to ensure that we have all our awards covered as per our patrol service agreement and that we have ample members on patrol to service the beach.

If you miss your rostered patrol, please undertake a make up patrol to negate the no show. This year we will be monitoring patrol attendance and checking in with you once we see you have missed a few patrols. In most cases there is a reason why, and this can be easily overcome by doing a full make-up patrol.

A reminder to competitors that you are required to complete 25 hours minimum of patrol for active members (Jan 1 to Dec 31) and must fulfil your patrol obligations to be eligible to compete. Active Reserve Members are required to complete 12.5 patrol hours. If you do not meet your patrol obligations or are in default of 3 patrols, you will be unable to be nominated for carnivals.



PROFICIENCY DATES

A reminder of the final dates to complete this season's practical proficiency requirements:

- Sat, 2 November at 8:45am
- Sun, 24 November at 8:45am
- Sat, 14 December at 8:45am

Prior to your chosen proficiency date, please ensure that you have:

- Renewed and paid your membership fees
- Hold a current Blue Card or have lodged a Blue Card application (for 18+)
- Have completed the CYRMS and CSA online (for 18+)
- Completed online theory skills maintenance.



CBV PATROL & LIFESAVING

SEASON MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL REMINDER

All active patrolling members are reminded to renew and pay their membership for the 2024-25 season, It is essential that your membership is current before participating in any surf lifesaving activities. If you have not yet renewed, there is still time.

For assistance with your renewal, please contact Carole Walle at the Lifesaving Office or via email at carole.walle@currumbinslsc.com.au.

We look forward to welcoming you back to the Currumbin Beach Vikings family for another successful season.

CURRUMBIN SLSC REGISTRATION TIME



Online Registration Now Open
<https://members.sls.com.au/>

Membership Fees for 2024/2025

- Associate \$135.00 pp
- Active \$85.00 pp
- Award \$85.00 pp
- Long Service \$85.00 pp
- Juniors/ Cadets (U14 & U15) \$70.00 pp

Competitors Levy - \$150.00 pp

- All Competitors from U15 to Masters attending carnivals 2024/2025 season
- to be paid by Sunday 1st December, 2024

Bank Details:

Currumbin Beach Vikings SLSC Inc.
BSB: 633 000 ACC: 1570 20868
Reference: First Name Surname



Please note your membership will be "pending" until membership fees have been paid and accepted by the club

NEW LIFESAVING EQUIPMENT ON PATROL

Thanks to the Queensland Government and SLSQ, we have a brand new patrol trailer for this season! The trailer is getting its final touches, including fresh signage and a few small adjustments. We kindly ask all patrol members to take extra care when packing and unpacking the trailer.

When returning the trailer to the Lifesaving shed, please reverse it to the flat area and utilise the team to help push it in with the jockey wheel down. The IRB and SSV will be housed in the IRB Shed. Additionally, much of our patrol equipment has been upgraded, so let's ensure we keep these lifesaving resources in excellent condition. Make sure everything is securely fastened and safe during transport.

To help prolong the life of our equipment, please remember to wash it down at the end of each weekend, including the IRB and SSV, If you notice any issues, please report them to the Club Captain or Vice-Captain.

UPCOMING BRONZE MEDALLION COURSE

REGISTER NOW

Bronze Medallion

(Certificate II Public Safety (Aquatic Rescue))

- Course commencing 7th Nov
- Must be a financial member
- Minimum of 15 years of age
- Completed a 400m pool swim in less than 9 minutes
- Hold a current blue card (18+)
- Complete CYRMS and SLS - Child Safe Awareness - On line (Members portal) (18+)

TRAINING DATES:

- First Aid Course 7th and 14th November (5.30p.m. to approx. 9.00 p.m.)
- Bronze Training 9th/10th/16th November (8.00 a.m. to 2.00 p.m.)
- Assessment Sunday 17th November

Register your interest via:
administrator@currumbinslsc.com.au

SURF RESCUE CERTIFICATE

REGISTER NOW

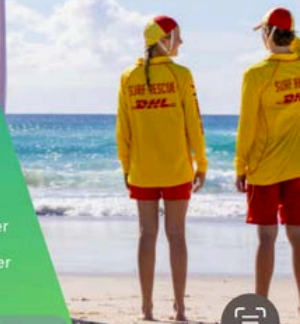
Surf Rescue Certificate

- Course commencing 9th Nov
- Must be a financial member
- Minimum of 13 years of age
- Complete a 200m pool swim in less than 5 minutes
- Hold a current blue card (18+)
- Completed CYRMS on members portal
- Completed SLS Child Safe Awareness On Line Course on portal (18+)

TRAINING DATES: 8am to 2.00p.m. daily

- Saturday 9th November
- Sunday 10th November
- Saturday 16th November
- Sunday 17th November (Assessment)

Register your interest via:
administrator@currumbinslsc.com.au





CBV PATROL & LIFESAVING

NEW GOVERNMENT WIRELESS NETWORK (GWN) RADIOS HAVE ARRIVED

Great news, SLSQ has delivered our new GWN Radios which are now in operation on our patrols. All award-based members who will be patrolling, training, or using radios are asked to complete the new GWN Induction on their SLS Members Portal. The induction will take approximately 15-20 minutes to complete and is simply a series of short videos to watch and answer some basic questions.

Here is a link to all the information on the GWN Radios: <https://lifesaving.com.au/gwn> and further information will be in the First Aid Room near the charger and in the patrol trailer.



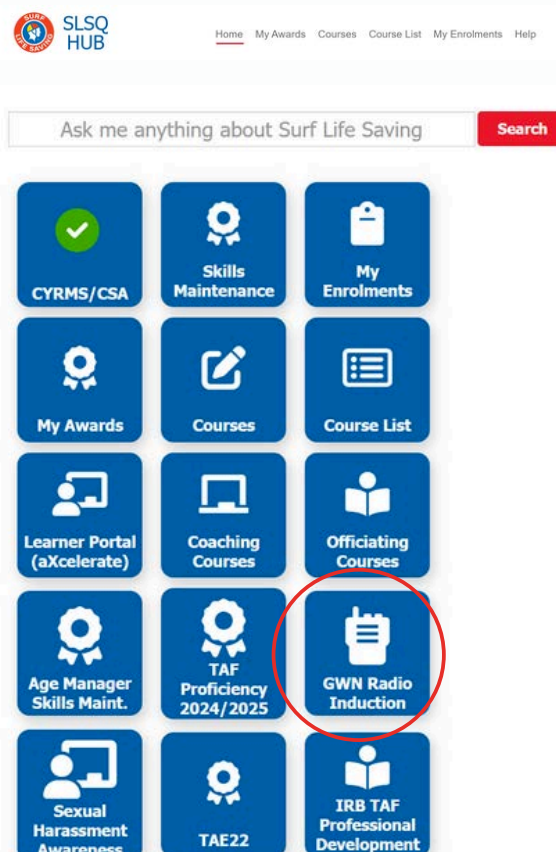
How to access the GWN Induction?

Simply log onto your members portal. Click on eLearning and select the GWN Radio Induction on the home page. The videos will provide an overview of how to operate the radios, cleaning maintenance, deal with faults etc. Currumbin SLSC is on Channel 2 (Gold-South) which has already been set.

The most important cleaning message is that **WET BATTERIES WILL DAMAGE THE CHARGER AND THE RADIO SO PLEASE ENSURE THE BATTERY IS COMPLETELY DRY BEFORE CHARGING.**

Any radio faults or issues need to be reported immediately to Club Captain - Peter Harding (0412 261 041) as there is a managed replacement program for radios that are not functioning properly.

We ask that everyone takes good care of these new radios and encourage all our patrol members to become familiar with them.





YOU'RE INVITED TO

100th
Year Celebration
GALA DINNER

Surf Life Saving Queensland - Point Danger Branch



23 November 2024 | From 6pm

SEAWORLD THEME PARK

Seaworld Drive, Main Beach Queensland

Celebrate PDB's 100th Year in Style

SLSQ Point Danger Branch is turning 100 years old in November this year. PDB is the first Branch in the country to reach such a milestone and to celebrate this occasion, all members of the association and members of the public are invited to attend the 100th Year Celebration Gala Dinner at Seaworld.

Tickets cost \$210 pp and include a Dolphin Presentation while enjoying pre-dinner drinks and canapes at Dolphin Beach, followed by a seated two-course meal, five-hour beverage package, presentations and live entertainment to celebrate this milestone event within the Sea World Plaza.

Tickets can be purchased via Event Bookings until 4 November 2024.

<https://www.eventbookings.com/b/event/slsq-point-danger-branch-100th-gala-ball>



CBV POOL RESCUE

AUSSIE POOL RESCUE CHAMPIONSHIPS

As the legendary Freddie Mercury sang, “We are the Champions, my friend” and our Vikings sure fought to the end to secure back-to-back Aussie Pool Rescue titles.

The Mighty Vikings put in another incredible performance in the pool to secure the Opens competition on 471 points, with Northcliffe second on 420 points and Metropolitan Caloundra third on 175 points.

Our Head Coach, Rachelle King, said after the final results, “It’s super exciting to be able to do it again for a second year. We have worked really hard as a club the past few years to build up our program so its great to see all of our members contributing to that. We have so many members from so many age groups and we just focused on getting all of our skills right and enjoying the sport, and I feel that all came together this weekend”.

The Pool Rescue Championships return to Adelaide for 2025 and 2026, a historically happy hunting ground for the Vikings. Let’s go!



Congratulations also go to our **Queensland Cyclones representatives** who won the Interstate Competition, with NSW finishing second and South Australia coming third.

The Cyclones also took home the Alan Whelpton AP Shield awarded to the state with the highest cumulative points total across the entire surf sport season.

The three days of competition saw the Pool Rescue athletes make history with 33 Australian records broken, including four world records. Our Vikings record holders included our Currumbin Team A for the Male Open 4x25m Manikin Relay and individual records for Callum and Riley Brennan.





CBV POOL RESCUE

AUS POOL RESCUE INDIVIDUAL TOP 3 RESULTS

William Barry 60+ Male: 2nd 100m Obstacle Race; 1st 100m Manikin Tow with Fins; 1st 100m Manikin Carry with Fins

Callum Brennan Open Male: 1st 200m Super Lifesaver; 3rd 50m Manikin Carry; 2nd 100m Rescue Medley

Jackson Brennan U15 Male: 1st 100m Manikin Tow with Fins; 1st 200m Super Lifesaver; 1st 100m Manikin Carry with Fins; 2nd 50m Swim with Fins; 2nd 100m Rescue Medley

Riley Brennan U19 Male: 1st 200m Obstacle; 1st 100m Manikin Tow with Fins; 1st 50m Manikin Carry; 3rd 100m Manikin Carry with Fins; 2nd 100m Rescue Medley

Len Cook 70-74+ Male: 1st 100m Manikin Tow with Fins; 1st 50m Manikin Carry; 1st 100m Manikin Carry with Fins; 2nd 100m Obstacle Race

Brett Dowker 50-59 Male: 1st 200m Obstacle Race; 1st 50m Manikin Carry

Robert Dunlop 60+ Male: 3rd 100m Obstacle Race, 2nd 50m Manikin Carry

Rachel Eddy Open Female: 3rd 50m Manikin Carry; 2nd 100m Manikin Carry with Fins; 3rd 50m Swim with Fins

Hunter Gaffney U12 Female: 2nd 100m Obstacle; 3rd 25m Brick Carry; 3rd 50m Swim with Fins

Kobi Holden U17 Male: 2nd 200m Super Lifesaver; 1st 50m Manikin Carry; 1st 100m Rescue Medley



Chelsea Jones U19 Female: 1st 200m Obstacle; 1st 200m Super Lifesaver; 1st 50m Manikin Carry; 2nd 100m Rescue Medley

Madison Jones U17 Female: 3rd 100m Rescue Medley

Jacob Loughnan Open Male: 3rd 100m Rescue Medley

Billy Love U17 Male: 2nd 100m Rescue Medley

Myla Naylor U14 Female: 3rd 200m Obstacle; 2nd 50m Manikin Carry

Natalie Peat Open Female: 2nd 100m Manikin Tow with Fins

Gus Shivnan Open Male: 2nd 200m Super Lifesaver

Roelof Stoetzer Open Male: 2nd 100m Manikin Tow with Fins

Olivia Tukia U19 Female: 3rd 100m Manikin Tow with Fins; 3rd 50m Swim with Fins





CBV POOL RESCUE

QLD POOL RESCUE TEAM RESULTS

- Male 200+ 4x50m Obstacle Relay: 1st Currumbin Team A - Brett Dowker, Paul O'Shea, Sean Winter, Jared Clarke
- Male U17/19 4x50m Obstacle Relay: 3rd Currumbin Team A - Riley Brennan, Charlie Walker, Billy Love, Kobi Holden
- Female U17/19 4x50m Obstacle Relay: 2nd Currumbin Team A - Madison Jones, Chelsea Jones, Ellie Dee Etherington, Olivia Tukia
- Male Open 4x50m Obstacle Relay: 3rd Team A - Gus Shivnan, Roelof Stoetzer, Callum Brennan, Jacob Loughnan
- Female Open 4x50m Obstacle Relay: 1st Team A - Rachel Eddy, Chelsea Jones, Olivia Tukia, Natalie Peat
- Female U15 2x12.5m Line Throw Relay: 3rd Currumbin Team A - Abigail Eveleigh, Marlie Clark
- Male U19 2x12.5m Line Throw Relay: 2nd - Currumbin Team A - Riley Brennan, Kobi Holden; 3rd Currumbin Team C - Billy Love, Christopher Callebaut
- Female U19 2x12.5m Line Throw Relay: 2nd Currumbin Team B - Julia O'Shea, Ellie Dee Etherington
- Mixed U17/19 4x50m Pool Lifesaver Relay: 1st Currumbin Team A - Riley Brennan, Chelsea Jones, Olivia Tukia, Billy Love; 3rd Currumbin Team B - Madison Jones, Julia O'Shea, Charlie Walker, Jackson Brennan
- Mixed Open 4x50m Pool Lifesaver Relay: 2nd Currumbin Team A - Callum Brennan, Roelof Stoetzer, Chelsea Jones, Rachel Eddy; 3rd Currumbin Team B - Jacob Loughnan, Gus Shivnan, Natalie Peat, Olivia Tukia
- Male 200m+ 4x25m Manikin Relay: 1st Currumbin Team A - Brett Dowker, Paul O'Shea, Sean Winter, Ben Cox
- Female U14/15 4x25m Manikin Relay: 2nd Currumbin Team A - Marlie Clark, Abigail Eveleigh, Myla Naylor, Ruby Cahill
- Male U17/19 4x25m Manikin Relay: 1st Currumbin Team A - Riley Brennan, Charlie Walker, Billy Love, Kobi Holden; 2nd Currumbin Team B - Christopher Callebaut, Vern Winter, Lucas Berezwick, Jackson Brennan
- Female U17/19 4x25m Manikin Relay: 1st Currumbin Team A - Madison Jones, Chelsea Jones, Ellie Dee Etherington, Olivia Tukia
- Male Open 4x25m Manikin Relay: 1st Currumbin Team A - Callum Brennan, Gus Shivnan, Jacob Loughnan, Roelof Stoetzer
- Female Open 4x25m Manikin Relay: 2nd Currumbin Team A - Rachel Eddy, Chelsea Jones, Olivia Tukia, Natalie Peat





CBV POOL RESCUE

AUS POOL RESCUE TEAM RESULTS

- Female U12/13 4x50m Medley Relay: 3rd Currumbin Team A - Ruby Cahill, Leilani Brodie, Hunter Gaffney, Ayana Ware
- Male U14/15 4x50m Medley Relay: 3rd Currumbin Team A - Jackson Brennan, James Love, Taiga Ware, Bobby Kennealy-Flegler
- Female U14/15 4x50m Medley Relay: 3rd Currumbin Team A - Marlie Clark, Abigail Eveleigh, Myla Naylor, Leilani Brodie
- Male U17/19 4x50m Medley Relay: 1st Currumbin Team A - Riley Brennan, Charlie Walker, Billy Love, Kobi Holden; 2nd Currumbin Team B - Christopher Callebaut, Vern Winter, Lucas Berezwick, Jackson Brennan
- Female U17/19 4x50m Medley Relay: 2nd Currumbin Team A - Madison Jones, Chelsea Jones, Ellie Dee Etherington, Olivia Tukia
- Male Open 4x50m Medley Relay: 2nd Currumbin Team A - Gus Shivnan, Roelof Stoetzer, Callum Brennan, Jacob Loughnan
- Female Open 4x50m Medley Relay: 2nd Currumbin Team A - Rachel Eddy, Olivia Tukia, Chelsea Jones, Natalie Peat
- Male & Female 60-69 and 75+ Line Throw: 2nd 70+ Currumbin Team A - Len Cook & Albert Lacheca; 3rd 60-69 Currumbin Team A - William Barry, Robert Dunlop



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CBV SUPPORTERS' ASSOCIATION

JULY STAFF APPRECIATION AWARD WINNER

We're proud to acknowledge our July 2024 Vikings Staff Appreciation Award Winner, **Marnie Burge**.

Marnie was recognised in July for her continued hard work and the care she has for her role and those around her. Marnie was also nominated for the extra tasks she does to ensure our venue is sparkling clean. She is such an asset to our Vikings Team. Thank you, Marnie!



Other special nominations in July went to:

♥ **Ashley Burns** - for consistent friendly service with a smile, and for always going out of her way to help our guests and her teammates.

♥ **Leon Elsen** - for being friendly, a great worker and respecting those around him.

♥ **Tamar Tane** - for all the time and effort invested to ensure our Sports Luncheon was a success.

AUGUST STAFF APPRECIATION AWARD WINNER



Congratulations to **Janine Barr** who was our August 2024 Vikings Staff Appreciation Award Winner.

Janine was awarded Staff Member of the Month for her outstanding professionalism in conducting our weekly raffles and our Jag the Joker. Janine always puts our patrons first in order to make their visit to the Vikings memorable! Well done, Janine.

Other special nominations during August went to:

♥ **Lucas Berezwick**- for always being a great team member and being happy to help in any situation. Thank you for always giving those around you a smile and hello.

♥ **JoJo Rawiri** - for being a hard worker and bringing a happy, positive vibe to the workplace. JoJo is always punctual and super reliable.

♥ **Kenji Tokui** - for going above and beyond to help run the kitchen during August. Your efforts did not go unnoticed.



CBV SUPPORTERS' ASSOCIATION

CLUB RESTAURANT REFURBISHMENT



Our Surf Club restaurant is looking fantastic with the refurbishment almost complete. If you haven't already come in for a meal or a drink, you're certainly missing out!

With the majority of the fitout completed and the new furniture installed, the Club restaurant and bar are ready to host Members and guests with the best views on the Gold Coast. The final stages of the renovation will be completed shortly with digital screens at the front entrance displaying historic photos from our founding Members to our current active Members and the precious memories which were previously located around the Club walls.

A huge thank you to our staff who assisted with the removal of our old furniture and installation of the new furniture in August. It was a massive job and wouldn't have been possible without the assistance of our superstars: **Stacey Johnson, Tamar Tane, Marnie Burge, Zoe Youngman, Harry Coonan, Lucas Berezwick, Chris Kelly and Rambo.**



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+ \$1 MIXERS

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SOLAR SET POWERS UP

SOLAR SPONSORSHIP OF CURRUMBIN SLSC

Local Gold Coast business, Solar Set has found a unique way to support one of Queensland's most iconic Surf Life Saving Clubs. Solar Set has installed a 23kW system at Currumbin Beach Vikings SLSC to assist the Club in meeting its sustainability and operational goals.

The sponsored solar system will provide financial savings for the Vikings during what has been a challenging period of the Club with the ongoing Seawall Renewal & Oceanway Upgrade Council works that continue to have a significant impact on Club patronage and revenue.

The solar system is designed to assist the Club in offsetting their energy bills and generating over 33MWh of clean energy straight from the sun each year.

Solar Set Director and Vikings Club member, Kale Fogg said: "We're pleased to have found a way of supporting the Club, not just in the short term, but for many years to come - providing some independence from the grid and protection from rising electricity costs. As a local business and Club member, I'm incredibly proud to showcase our work on this unique site."

Diverting funds to lifesaving activities

Michael Sullivan, CEO of Currumbin Vikings SLSC said, "As a Club that is mindful of the environment and community in which we operate, the solar sponsorship will allow Currumbin Vikings SLSC to divert funds that would otherwise be spent on electricity towards providing essential lifesaving services and equipment on the beach. It's a win not just for the Surf Club, but the community as a whole".





SOLAR SET POWERS UP

SOLAR SPONSORSHIP OF CURRUMBIN SLSC

Lasting durability in a complex environment

The Club's prominent oceanside position at Elephant Rock on the Gold Coast with direct exposure to the elements has meant that only the highest quality products have been selected to ensure that the solar system stands the test of time.

"The team has spent a lot of time in the design and product selection phase to ensure that the major components can withstand the challenging environmental conditions at Vikings, and ensure that they provide long term warranties to guarantee the performance of this system in one of the harshest environments", said Adam Ligas, Director at Solar Set.

Canadian Solar modules supplied by Greentech in Burleigh were selected due to their high wind load capacity and having passed the most stringent salt spray corrosion test standards. Schletter framing was chosen as it is specifically designed to combat inclement weather and can withstand the harshest conditions - storm-strength winds, torrential rain and even sandstorms.



About Solar Set

Solar Set is one of Australia's leading commercial solar installers having delivered over 66MW of clean, reliable and renewable energy, straight from the sun. They are experts in designing and installing commercial solar solutions for commercial and government partners across Australia. From airports, schools, logistics centres and local businesses, they're empowering their clients with reliable, cost effective and environmentally friendly solar energy solutions.

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CBV IN THE COMMUNITY

SWELL SCULPTURE FESTIVAL

Currumbin Beach was transformed in September by the annual SWELL Sculpture Festival. This year's theme, People Art Place, saw over 60 large scale contemporary sculptures set among the natural landscape of Currumbin Beach. The SWELL Smalls Gallery was hosted by VIKA Events upstairs at our Junior Activities & Community Centre showcasing smaller versions of the larger outdoor sculptures and other artistic works, as well as an artists' reading nook, activity centre and bar.

Our Nippers parents and supporters were kept busy on the BBQ over the two weekends of the festival, fundraising for the Junior Activities programme. Thank you to everyone who helped out over the four days - this was a massive, coordinated effort for what is traditionally the biggest Nippers fundraising event of the year.

The Currumbin Vikings SLSC was also pleased to be one of the sponsors of the SWELL People's Choice Award which was won by Georgia Furniss for her work, Ambivalence.

The SWELL festival continues to grow each year, and the Currumbin SLSC looks forward to supporting and collaborating on the 2025 event.





CBV NIPPERS



IT'S A RIPPER TO BE A CURRUMBIN NIPPER

The new Nippers season is officially underway and as our youngest Vikings hit the sand and water again, we turn to The Viking Oath, the set of guiding principles created by our late great King of the Kids, Jed Cahill. Jed's commitment to helping children and fostering a welcoming environment made him a cherished figure in the community. Being a Currumbin Viking means embodying the spirit of community, safety and camaraderie. Each Sunday, before the Nipper program, Members recite The Viking Oath and with this, we honour the memory of Jed and pledge to the values of effort, sportsmanship, active listening, respect for the beach environment, safety in swimming, and, most importantly, having fun.



THE VIKING OATH

**As a Viking I will always:
Try my hardest
Be a good sport
Turn my listening ears on
Never throw sand
Swim between the flags
And have fun!**

SAVE THE DATE STRADDIE TRAINING CAMP

U11 - U14

6 - 8 JANUARY 2025



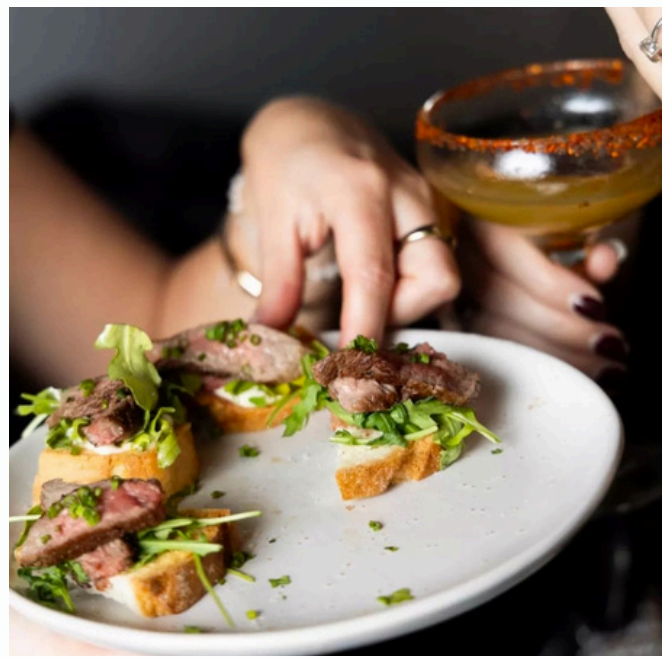
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LADIES DAY - 23 NOV 2024

Join us for a fabulous day of fun, friendship, and celebration! Enjoy a 3-hour drinks package (while supplies last), a delicious 3-course lunch and fantastic entertainment.

Let's come together to make unforgettable memories with the amazing ladies of our community. Grab your friends and get ready for a wonderful day by the beach at the Nipper's Club.

Scan the QR code on the next page and secure your tickets today!



Currumbin Nippers

LADIES DAY

\$75 PER TICKET INCLUDES:



LUNCH



3 HOUR DRINKS PACKAGE



ENTERTAINMENT



RAFFLES



SATURDAY 23RD NOVEMBER 2024, 12PM - 3PM

*** PLEASE NOTE THIS IS AN OVER 18 EVENT**



CBV BOATIES

ASRL NATIONAL SWEEP ACADEMY 2024



After the sterling success of last year's inaugural Sweep Academy, the Palm Beach Surf Club in NSW once again hosted sweeps from across the country to put on another pre-season camp. It was another epic weekend of skill-building and camaraderie with the sweep community coming together in what has fast become a must-attend event for boaties.

Whilst the camp was aimed specifically at experienced S2 and S3 sweeps, new and S1 sweeps were welcome to participate as rowers.



Just under 100 participants converged on Palm Beach for the 3-day weekend camp which kicked off with a magic evening and a meet-and-greet bbq on Friday, 16 August, before hitting the waves the next morning. Saturday and Sunday were huge with on-water training, education workshops and a Q&A Panel with some of the best sweeps in the business sharing their expertise and insights.

Huge thanks go to ASRL, South Curly and Palm Beach Surf Clubs for their organisation and execution of a fantastic weekend. We look forward to next year's camp!

DISCUSSIONS WITH DOWKS

Have you checked out the newest podcast on the surf boat scene, Discussions with Dowks, hosted by our very own **Brett "Bear" Dowker**? Available on **YouTube**, Bear has a chat with some of our Currumbin Vikings legends about their surf boat and surf lifesaving journeys. Check out Episode 1 & 2 with **Matthew "Chook" Wildman**, and Episodes 3 & 4 with the **Currumbin Cockatoos**. Search "Discussions with Dowks" and subscribe.





CBV IN THE COMMUNITY

CURRUMBIN COMMUNITY CHAMPIONS AWARDS

Congratulations to our Vikings, **Julia O'Shea** and **Thomas Maclachlan** who were recognised at MP Laura Gerber's Currumbin Community Champions Awards in August as finalists for the Young Person of the Year. Julia and Thomas were nominated for their roles and inspirational efforts within the Surf Life Saving movement. Julia and Thomas are outstanding examples of the vital roles Vikings play within the Currumbin community. Well done!



SLSQ AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE

The Queensland Surf Life Saving family came together in September to celebrate and recognise the outstanding achievements last season within lifesaving, community service and surf sports.

Congratulations to all our nominees and to our winners, **Richie Ferris** who won the Andy Frizzell OAM OBE, Service to Junior Activities; **Riley Brennan** who won the Youth Athlete of the Year; and **Matthew "Chook" Wildman** who won Volunteer Coach of the Year. With all three of these Vikings being consistently recognised this season by our Club Members, we're proud that they're also being acknowledged within the wider lifesaving movement.



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Guidance Support Mentoring

Currently seeking casual Mentors in the Northern NSW & Gold Coast areas



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CBV SURF SPORTS

WELCOME TO THE NEW SURF SPORTS SEASON



The Senior and Junior Surf Sports athletes have returned to training and are gearing up for the first competitions of the season. Although many of our athletes kept up their swim training during the pool rescue season, there's nothing quite like the first iron session of the year to blow out the cobwebs.

Our Senior and Junior coaches are ready to support and nurture our athletes to set and reach their goals for the season. We look forward to following and reporting on another season of outstanding competition results, no mean feat after the stellar performances of the 2023/24 season. But, like the Vikings of old, we're sure our athletes are up for the challenge and keen to set their sights on new horizons and golden spoils.





QUEENSLAND ENDURANCE CHAMPS

A small group of Vikings athletes competed at the Queensland Endurance Championships at Coolangatta in late September for an early season hit out.

Congratulations to our Currumbin crew who picked up medals from our Juniors to Masters over the long distance courses.

A special mention goes to our super star Nick Peachey who competed in the 4km beach run, 4km board race and 6km ski race.



-  **Sharon Kyme**
Masters 6km Ski Race
-  **Koa Brodie**
U14 4km Beach Run
-  **Navah Holmes**
U13 1km Board Paddle
-  **Nick Peachey**
U17 4km Beach Run





LIFESAVING WORLD CHAMPS

CURRUMBIN & NATIONAL TEAM PRIDE



The Lifesaving World Championships lived up to expectations and was well worth all the hype. Over 3 weeks in August and September, athletes from across the world descended on the beautiful Gold Coast to compete across all lifesaving disciplines and pit themselves against the best of the best.

It was a mammoth effort of coordination and organisation and a huge thanks goes to Sharon Brennan, Carole Walle, Kurtis Smith, our coaches, officials and sponsors and the wider athlete and parent support network for banding together to achieve some incredible results.



Up first was the Masters Pool Rescue with a World Champion title in the 200-230 Yrs 4x50m Obstacle Relay team of **Brett Dowker, Ben Cox, Jared Clarke** and **Paul O'Shea**. The lads repeated their winning ways the next day with the 200-230 Yrs 4x50m Manikin relay by a margin of 0.3 seconds. Finally, on the third day, the Fab Four clean swept the 200-230 Yrs relay events securing the gold in the 4x25m Manikin relay.

Congratulations also to **Len Cook** and **Rob Dunlop** who both medalled across the pool rescue events.



Our Masters carried on their success to Kurrawa beach for the ocean events with **Ben Cox** winning the Board Race and Ironman, as well as the Board Rescue with **Paul O'Shea**. **Greg Cox** and **Brett Dowker** won the 55-59 Yrs Board Rescue and then combined with Paul O'Shea to win the 150-170 Yrs Surf Team. Brett and Paul combined with Ben Cox to win the 150-170 Yrs Board Relay.

A combination of our Masters athletes also placed in the 170+ Yrs Board Relay, Ski Relay and Oceanman Relay, as well as in the 130-150 Yrs Ski Relay and Oceanman Relay. Well done to **Chris Maynard, Michael Chase Smith, Rob Dorrrough, Daniel Cowper, Shaun Robertson, Ben Cahill** and **Jason Searle** who made up these teams and contributed to the medal haul.



LIFESAVING WORLD CHAMPS

CURRUMBIN & NATIONAL TEAM PRIDE

Our Boaties were in the water next with our Masters Mens 220+ crew starting strong and powering to a silver medal. Congratulations to **Steve Purcell, Dave Dwight, Sydney Norman, Richard Oswald** and **Wil McDowell**. Our 160+ Masters Mens crew also took second place.

The Vikings were out in force across the boat arena and we were proud to see another four crews podium, including our two new world champions, the **Cockatoos** in the Open Women's and the **Eriks** in the U19 Men's. The **Kaos** claimed silver in the U19 Female race and our **Men's Ressies** claimed the bronze.

The National races also got underway with our Vikings flexing early. **Riley Brennan** proved his dominance in the water with gold in the National Teams Youth Surf Race and then combining with his teammates to win the Oceanman relay. **Chelsea Jones** had a brilliant swim in the 200m Obstacle Race to take silver in the A final and **Rach Eddy** achieved a PB in her 100m Manikin Tow to place 4th in a tight finish.

The Australian team was once again victorious and named Champions across both the Open & Youth National Teams categories for their stellar results in the beach, ocean and pool.





LIFESAVING WORLD CHAMPS

CURRUMBIN & NATIONAL TEAM PRIDE

The Inter Club events brought the Vikings back together under the Currumbin flag to battle it out across ocean, beach and pool events.

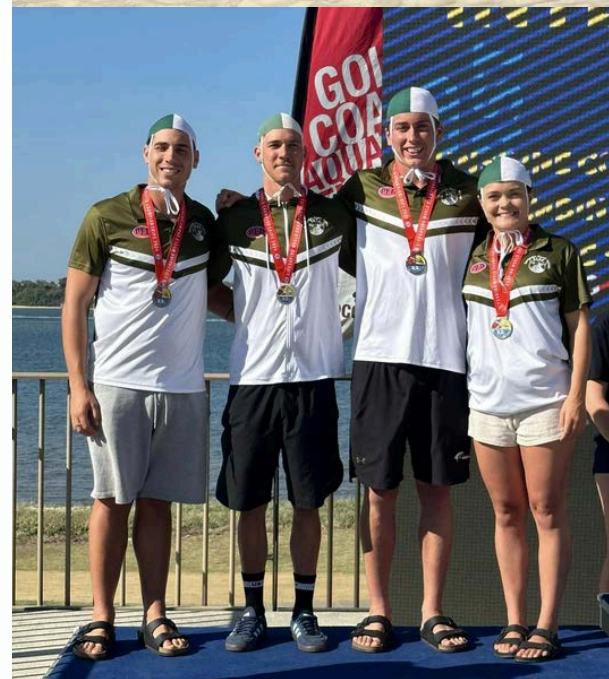
Our Youth Team kicked off the week with second place in the Simulated Emergency Response Competition (SERC): **Kobi Holden, Madison Jones, Billy Love & James Love**, with our Open SERC team also placing second: **Jacob Loughnan, Gus Shivan, Callum Brennan & Rose Bentley**.

Back to the pool, and our Open Women placed third in the A finals: **Rose Bentley, Nat Peat, Camille Julien & Chelsea Jones**. **Callum Brennan** collected bronze in the 200m Super Lifesaver and combined with **Jacob Loughnan, Roelof Stoetzer** and **Gus Shivan** to secure bronze in the 4x50m Medley relay. A bronze medal to our Open Women's 4x25m Manikin relay.

At Kurrawa Beach, the Vikings' medals came from a silver to **Riley Brennan** in the Youth Surf Race, a bronze medal to **Riley and Jackson Brennan** in the Youth Board Rescue and a bronze in the Youth Rescue Tube Rescue for the team of **Billy Love, Kobi Holden, Alex Walker & Chris Callebaut**. **Callum Brennan** proved his mettle taking silver in the Open Inter Club Surf Race.

Our Inter Club Youth and Open Teams finished strongly at the pool with multiple podium finishes and gold medals. Our super stars from the Aussie Pool Rescue Champs carried on their form into the final days of racing making A and B finals across the board in both individual and team races.

Overall, the Mighty Vikings were champions in the Inter Club Youth Pool Rescue Point Score and the unofficial Surf Boat Champion Point Score, as well as second in the Inter Club Youth Overall Point Score and third in the Inter Club Open Overall Point Score. Achievements of which we're certainly proud and have set the team up for this coming season.



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CURRUMBIN BEACH VIKINGS

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