



Manly Nippers Newsletter

10th December 2009

NSW Interbranch Cape Hawk

This weekend is the NSW Interbranch competition at Cape Hawk. The team comprised of 42 athletes of which 12 are from Manly, 6 of these being nippers. Good luck to Cooper Krenkels U13, Conor Wolohan U13, Newbie Redding U12, Harrison Stone U12, Evan Stratton U12, and Bailey Simonsson U12.

We will be without our superintendent this week on Sunday and will need help to set the beach up. If you can help please be at the club outside the boatshed at 7.00am.

The U7's are again going to Shelly for a board & swim session; water safety is our primary concern so we will need as many Bronze water safety parents as possible.

8th WEEK WRAP UP

Big thanks to those parents that helped out with the set up and water safety at the Queenscliff Carnival. Our strong presence with water safety was noted by the carnival organisers. The event was one of the toughest we have had for a long time with big confusing seas and many events having to be cancelled due to the conditions. Manly had its share of incidents with nippers shewn across the beach after board accidents, however, all have recovered & are back in the saddle. The results were impressive on both the beach & water with many individual and team wins and places across the age groups. Well done to all who braved the conditions. Again, the depth of our talent showed with a big overall win for our club. The overall club results are as follows,

CLUB	POINTS	PLACE
MANLY	413	1
QUEENSCLIFF	222	2
FRESHWATER	163.5	3
NORTH CURL CURL	148	4
MONA VALE	108	5
NORTH STEYNE	91	6
COLLARROY	85.5	7
NEWPORT	74	8
DEE WHY	44	9
SOUTH CURL CURL	41	10

For individual results go to

http://www.surflifesaving.net.au/surf_sports/results/Queenscliff%20Junior%2009.pdf





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JUNIOR LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR

The nominees were interviewed last weekend, and the successful candidates will be announced at Nippers this weekend, good luck to all who entered. The selection panel tells me it was a hard decision.

BOARD TRAINING TUESDAY 15-12-09

For all those attending board training on Tuesday please remember it's Xmas dress up day. This year we are also raising funds to buy books for children at the Royal Far West. If you could bring a \$10 donation on Tuesday, or leave a donation in the bucket at the BBQ this weekend, Fred Thorpe our gear steward will then organise the books to go to the home.

LOST PROPERTY

Every week we seem to accumulate nipper gear or have parents & kids asking if it has been handed in. The new Nippers Lost Property Box will now be in the board room/gear shed. It will be emptied every 2 weeks, so if you loose something or find something please go to the board room.

NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES

Newbie Redding, U12 girls, won a Gold Medal in the 100 mtr relay at the PSSA National titles last week and placed 10th in her age group in the same individual event, well done Newbie. If we have any other kids competing in National events please let me know. Please include results so we can give them the recognition they deserve for competing at such a high level.

FUND RAISING BBQ

The BBQ is one of our most important fundraisers. We have the very kind Harris family from Harris Farm Markets donate the produce to us. All we need are the parents to cook & serve. The BBQ roster is shown on the calendar, see the link below.

Please note, when working on the BBQ children must not be behind the cooking areas due to safety issues, there is no problem with them helping in serving areas where there are no hot surfaces. Please all make an effort when it is your age group to give a hand, otherwise the age managers end up on the BBQ & not on the beach. Also, if you can, please support Harris Farm Markets, their produce is excellent.

**THIS WEEKS ROSTER U10's
NEXT WEEK U9's**





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UNIFORM SHOP

If you missed out on buying your Xmas gifts, this Saturday only, the uniform shop will be open from 2 to 3 pm.

This will be your last chance before Xmas as the shop will not be open for the next two Sundays.

STATE UNIFORMS Even though the state titles are at the end of Feb 2010, we need to start planning for the event now. Attached to this email is a form that will need to be completed and returned by 20-12-09. If we don't get the orders in by this date, they will not be ready in time.

SURF COMP, SATURDAY 12-12-09

With no waves on offer last Saturday means that we will try for this Saturday 12th December for our December comp. It looks like a good swell from the south with ese then ene winds, which should wrap the waves into the point. Fingers crossed, so stay tuned and have the soft boards ready. To enter you must be a proficient member of Manly LSC and fall into one of the following age groups U17, U14, U12 & U10.

OTHER EVENTS COMING UP

Santa at Nippers, Manly Beach
Club Christmas Day Swim
U9-U14 Summer Water Sports Clinic

Sunday 20th December
Friday 25th December @ 10.00am, all welcome
Wednesday 6-01-10 to Friday 8-01-10.

If you need to contact any of the committee or age managers, their details are on the notice board in the club, or are in the nipper handbook that is on the web site.

http://www.manlylsc.com.au/verve/_resources/Nippers_Handbook_2009-10__new_edition_15.09.09.pdf

The complete calendar for the season is also available on the website,
http://www.manlylsc.com.au/verve/_resources/Nippers__Calender_2009-10.pdf

If you have any news items, or you know of anybody not getting this newsletter please get them to email me on steve@detech.com.au.

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