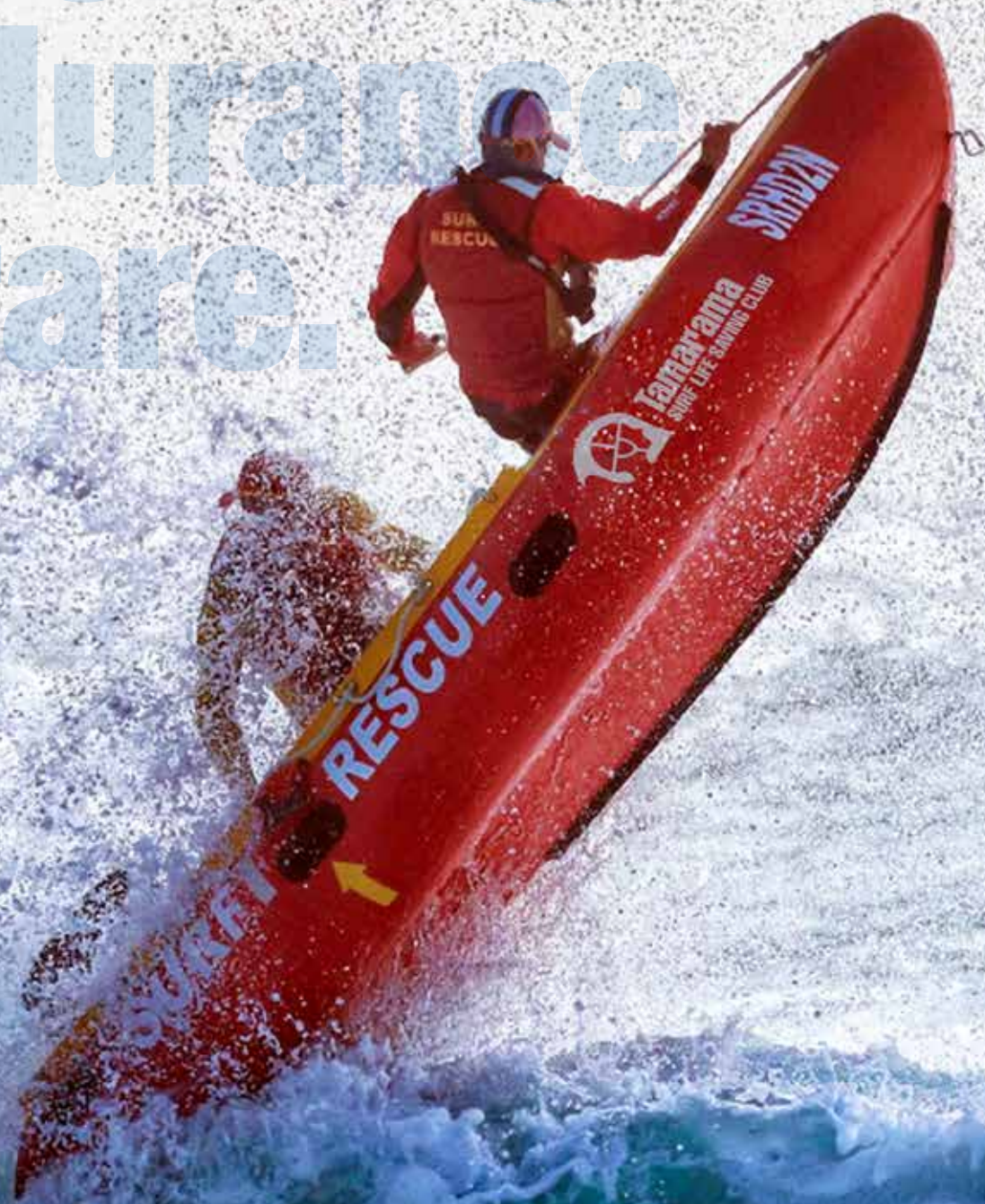


Enthusiasm
is common.
Endurance
is rare.



Tamarama
SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

**2023-2024 SEASON
ANNUAL REPORT**



Always was, always will be.

Standing on Bidjigal land, Tamarama Surf Life Saving Club, recognises and acknowledges Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as the original traditional owners and custodians of Australian lands and waters.

Tamarama SLSC Objectives

The objectives are an important part of any organisation.

The ongoing objectives of TAMARAMA SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INCORPORATED are as follows:

- To minimise the loss of life by drowning by providing efficient life saving equipment and rendering first aid.
- To preserve and safeguard life by the study and practice of the methods of Life Saving as taught by Surf Life Saving Australia.
- To promote and arrange demonstration, and arrange classes of instruction to bring about a thorough knowledge of the principles which underline the art of Life Saving.
- To assist the Council's Lifeguards in their duty and by appointing patrols, render all possible aid to those in distress.
- To provide conveniences for Club Members and obtain the best facilities for surf bathing.

Enduring.



Office Bearers Season 2023–2024



Patrons

Henry Hourihan
William Shires

President

Matteo Salval

Vice President

Sandra Fox

Secretary

Charlotte Mann

Treasurer

Thomas Love

Club Captain

Lisa Bodrero

Chief Training Instructor

Arnaud de La Chaise

Junior Activities Director

Jonathan Hancock

Registrar

Lisa Bodrero

Communications Team

Mieka White
Jemima Waddell
Marlin Hoppen
David Ogle
Madeliene Legoe

Gear Steward

Andrew Davidson

Radio Steward

Derek Bagatourian

First Aid Steward

Roger Moresi

Boat Captain

Annabelle Paterson

IRB Captain

Andrew Davidson

Assistant Chief Instructor

Andrew Addie

Vice Club Captain – Competition

Annabelle Paterson

Social Secretaries

unfilled

Board and Ski Captain

Chris Barrett

First Aid Officer

Roger Moresi

Heritage Steward

Guy Waddell

Club Caretaker

unfilled

Merchandise Officer

Annabelle Paterson

Registered Sports Official

Shay Deguara

SLSA Delegate

Tim Murray

Hon. Medical Officer

Dr Brandon Kober-Brown

Member Protection Officer

Louise Thompson

Safety Officer

Brett Appleton

Above – left to right:
2023–2024 SEASON MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
Vice President Sandra Fox, Club Captain
Lisa Bodrero, Treasurer Thomas Love,
Secretary Charlotte Mann, President Matteo Salval,
Junior Activities Director Jonathan Hancock and
Chief Training Officer Arnaud de la Chaise

Management Committee

Matteo Salval (chair)
Sandra Fox
Charlotte Mann
Thomas Love
Lisa Bodrero
Arnaud de La Chaise
Jonathan Hancock

Judiciary Committee

Sue Jackson (chair)
Ronan MacSweeney
Tom Bodger
Brandon Kober-Brown
Tim Murray

Awards Committee

Jesse Price
Alice Powell
Ce Benedict
Andrew Addie

Building Committee

Mike Turner (chair)
Richard Hamilton
Matteo Salval
Ronan MacSweeney

Constitution Committee

Tom Bodger (chair)
Phil Hogan
Sue Jackson
Tim Murray

Sustainability Committee

Amy Croucher (chair)
Sandra Fox
Camille Goldstone-Henry

Heritage Committee

Guy Waddell
Troy Longworth
Chris Bromhead

Inclusion@Tama Committee

Zoe Scott-King
Ellie Pietsch
Lisa Bodrero
Sandra Fox
Sue Jackson
Sarah Harmelink
Audrey Rollin

Club Members who are
Life Members of
Surf Lifesaving Australia Ltd

Ron Buist*
Michael Burke*

Club Members who are
Life Members of
Surf Lifesaving NSW Inc.

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Ron Buist*
Michael Burke*
Kevin Andrews*
John Wardall*
Clive Owens OAM

* Denotes Member is deceased



Club Patron’s Report

Hi Everyone!

I saw the clubhouse recently afar from the street on a beautiful Saturday afternoon.

I was so glad to hear there is now over 200 club members. I am also so happy with the future of the club and where it is going.

After being a member of the club for over 70 years now, I am proud of the contribution I have made over the years to encourage others to create a friendly and supportive club.

I want to mention one of the special people who have worked to make positive changes in the club – Sandra Fox.

Look forward to seeing you all at the club opening!

HENRY HOURIHAN

Club Patron



Firstly I would like to welcome all those new to the Club and thank all those that have participated over the last calendar year. It has been a busy year and it heartens me to yet again report another season with ‘No Lives Lost’.

For those new to the Club, Tamarama SLSC has an enviable record. The Club was formed and started patrolling the beach in the early 1900’s and we have not lost a life whilst patrolling the beach. As all of you know Tamarama is the most dangerous patrolled beach in NSW, so keeping this record intact for another year is fantastic work and something we can all be proud of maintaining..

As I write this I see the e-invitation for the opening of the new clubhouse in my inbox. There were several years when writing this report, I sounded a lot like a broken record, ‘this time next year’, we will be in our new clubhouse. I must have written that at least four times, before issues such as Covid19, building supply chain delays, contractor collapses, remediation etc. got in the way. I don’t think we can underestimate the work that our current and previous Management Committee’s have done to get us to this stage. I am so excited that we are really, truly finally there.

There are still some finishing touches being made to the building in preparation ahead of the opening, but 27th July we will have officially opened the clubhouse. It may be hard for some of the newer members to imagine, but we kicked this project off about twelve years ago and many people have been involved in the various stages, starting with the new gear

shed (the previous shed was much smaller and we shared it with the Tama Cafe). This was integral to getting extra storage and saved us from carrying gear up and down the stairs. We had a great opening fundraising event with HG Nelson at the MCA almost a lifetime ago. There were a couple of attempts at getting a design the members approved of and signed off, and we had some fiery meetings with sometimes unhappy neighbours regarding usage, noise and many other aspects. The council really did come through supporting us through the whole process. I don’t want to name individuals per se as I will definitely forget someone and offend them, but so many members were involved. I do look forward to seeing all those who were involved, including the early donors, showing up for the opening as it really is a team effort and we should all take a bow and feel proud of our accomplishment.

In other updates, I can see the Club has had an extremely good year with many new Bronzies trained and integrated. I am especially happy to see more newbies into my patrol, although not sure Bella has enjoyed her first season as much as she could have. We get a great regular read with Tama Waves, multiple social gatherings and the prospect of many more to come in the new building. I also really appreciate the time and effort members take to make Tama a welcoming club with strong inclusivity and diversity. It makes patrols so much more fun working with happy people. I think back to last year’s awards night, International Women’s Day, Rainbow Beaches, Mardi Gras, Inclusion swims and so on. We really do such a great job.

I am honoured and proud to be a member of Tamarama SLSC and can’t wait to get into the new clubhouse. It is so exciting!

BILL SHIRES

Club Patron



Club President’s Report



I can proudly report another year of ‘no lives lost’ between the flags at Tamarama Beach. We all know that despite its size, our beach can be treacherous. 78 rescues were carried out this year, some in extremely challenging conditions.

Crucially, cooperation, coordination and a good working relationship with Waverley Lifeguards have been critical to carry out some of these rescues and maintain the beach safe. This year our volunteers completed over 900 preventative actions. Our wonderful patrol captains deserve a special mention: thank you to Zoe Scott-King, Cameron Berry, Harriett Gillies and David Ogle, Lance Brooks, Chris Barrett, David Head and Michelle Cowans, Jody Fitchet, Bill Shires, Chris Glover, Derek Bagatourian, Tim Murray, Sandra Fox and Jesse Price for leading with professionalism our talented volunteers. A heartfelt thank you goes to our members for showing up with enthusiasm every weekend to keep the beach safe..

An Engaged, Supported and Growing Membership

Over the past three years, Tamarama SLSC membership numbers have grown to record numbers despite the renovation delays that have left our members without a clubhouse for three seasons. Our active membership numbers have bucked state trends and instead of shrinking have been growing by approximately 15%. I believe this is due to the incredible sense of belonging, diversity, tolerance and safety that the club developed over the past ten years. Our education teams have done incredible work this year with large bronze medallion groups.

During this season Tamarama SLSC has seen growth in our members seeking and achieving further roles within the club, particularly in the Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) area. The Management Committee felt the need to sustain the IRB team in their endeavours to grow the team through the purchase of a new IRB hull designated for training. A new IRB motor was also purchased through the Side by Side Qantas grant administered by Roger Moresi. Thanks to the work of three consecutive IRB captains, we now have a healthy cohort of IRB drivers and crew that can support our operations

A New Home

A key achievement this year has been the completion of the clubhouse after 15 years of hard work and commitment. The project achieved Development Consent in 2013 and, after over five years of fundraising, construction commenced in 2019 to then be delayed by the pandemic, a builder insolvency and serious extensive defects uncovered by the new builder. The project is now finally complete. With our capital partner Waverley Council, we have overcome what has been an undoubtedly hard process through the extensive experience in development, construction and remediation of our building committee members. Thank you to Building Committee chair Mike Turner, current members Richard Hamilton, Ronan MacSweeney and past members Michael Alvisse and Christian Wilde for the indefatigable work to realise the new clubhouse. The support from our members was also critical where I have not received a single complaint during the building process, only words of support and encouragement..

Sustainability in Focus

I believe Tamarama SLSC ought to be leading the way in sustainability education through good example. A new Sustainability Committee has been formed this year chaired by Amy Croucher and Camille Goldstone-Henry. The terms of reference included a survey to gauge priorities for our membership and “low hanging fruit” for immediate implementation such as the selection of 100% sustainable

power supply and the successful grant application for solar power implementation. The sustainable operations of the new clubhouse will also be a focus area next year.

A Diverse, Inclusive Club

Tamarama SLSC leadership in inclusivity and diversity are well known in the community as is our support for minorities such as LGBTQIA+ (Rainbow Beaches), migrants and refugees (Migrant Beach Day Programme) and Indigenous communities (Holly Days Programme).

This year we have once again awarded our Kirsty Boden scholarship to an incredibly engaged Bronze Medallion participant.

Tamarama SLSC has continuously had the highest participation rate per capita in the Lifesavers with Pride initiatives and we keep supporting participation in Rainbow Beaches as we believe a diverse membership is key to wellbeing, participation and retention.

This year we have hosted six Inclusive Swims for Women and Gender Diverse people with well over 100 attendees, many newbies to the world of ocean swimming and we keep recruiting new club members as a result. Our wonderful Erin Riley and Ce Benedict took part in the LWP panel for Transgender Awareness Week in November at Bronte SLSC while Michelle Cowans ran a Migrant Beach Safety Day in January, for a lovely group of people from Vietnam, China, Laos, Cambodia and Russia taking part in an Adult Migration Education Program.

A New Constitution

A heartfelt thank you goes to Tom Bodger and Sue Jackson for leading the update process of the club constitution. Our governance must remain solid also considering the ever more complex administrative requirements we need to comply with. The new set of by-laws and the new constitution are based on the NSW SLS template yet adapted to the specific needs of our club.

New Strategic Partnerships

The club has established key partnership to sustain its financial operations into the future including a new partnership with Sculptures by the Sea for the use of the new clubhouse for their offices during the event, as well as new sponsorship agreements with Club Med for junior activities and Schiavello and Pillinger for lifesaving operations. On behalf of the club, thank you to our existing and new sponsors.

Farewell

After close to a decade in Officer and Management Committee roles and three years as Club President, it is time for me to pass the baton. During this time, I have learned from my fellow volunteers the value of dedication, selflessness and kindness and made lifelong friends along the way. I am forever grateful for having had this opportunity.

MATTEO SALVAL

Club President

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Club Vice President's Report



Another fabulous season at Tamarama SLSC – full of high achievements, high numbers of new members coming through, high participation in all our additional activities within our Club and also our wider community with some great outcomes.

Some of the areas that I've been involved in include –

- Tama's work in diversity and inclusion led by Zoe Scott King – what an awesome body of work undertaken in this area. This includes areas within the She's a Lifesaver campaign including our International Women's Day celebrations and our work to attract and retain more women in SLS. We've made great strides and have more to do. We know women make incredible lifesavers and currently we only have about a third of our active lifesavers who are women, so we are looking to increase that sustainably.
- Amazing work in our Inclusive Swims which are friendly, fun and so welcoming to all gender diverse people. I feel that Tama is a leader in this space and we look to strongly continue here, as SLS is for everyone!
- I'd like to commend Arnaud and his team including David, Addie, Tim, Lisa and all the education team on incredible work done this season. Our education portfolio of all our bronze training, proficiencies and specialist training and awards is of such a high standard and really supports our members in achieving their goals.
- We have a newly formed Sustainability Committee co-led by Amy Croucher and Camille Goldstone-Henry and we are looking at how we best occupy and operate in our beautiful new building – more news on this soon.

In addition, we know that after several years of set-backs in the building of our clubhouse, that is all about to change! We need to thank everyone, especially Matteo Salval and Mike Turner, involved both in the long, long process of fundraising, planning, gaining approvals, being across the build and keeping us all in the loop. This has been a very long road. In fact around fifteen years ago I managed an initial Tama fundraiser to drive interest and financial support for our new building at the MCA. The event was a great success, but none of us guessed that it would take this long. But here we are - on the cusp of being homed in a beautiful and very functional building that should meet our current and future needs for years to come. Can't wait!

SANDRA FOX

Club Vice President

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Club Secretary's Report



Dear Tamarama SLSC members, friends, family, supporters, I am very pleased to present the Secretary's Report for the Tamarama Surf Life Saving Club Annual Report.

It has been another fantastic year to be involved as the Club Secretary, and this year's Management Committee - Matteo, Sandra, Lisa, Tom, Arnaud, Jon - have all put in a mammoth amount of work to continue the Club's great success alongside the finalisation of the construction for the new Club House. I would like to extend a gigantic thanks to my fellow Management Committee members and in particular our new Club Captain, Lisa Bodrero, who has done an incredible job in her new role and provided great assistance to me as Club Secretary while I have been relocating overseas.

This year has been another success with no lives lost – once more a reflection of the dedication and hard work of each and every one of our patrolling members. While you may not think you have 'saved a life' or did not do a physical rescue this season – in the wise words of my patrol captain, Bill Shires, "every person standing on this beach, every person holding a whistle, every person talking to swimmers and surfers about the conditions or where to swim, is saving lives". Thanks for the inspiration, Bill!

During the last year, our Club has again grown exponentially – with 135 new members, ranging from nippers to senior patrolling members, bringing our total number of members at the time of writing to 473.

In addition, throughout the year, our dedicated patrollers have patrolled for over 7,500 hours, conducted 942 recorded

preventative actions and 78 recorded rescues. This is not to mention all of the unrecorded rescues, or the safety that we provide within the community and on the beach. We express our gratitude to all patrolling members – your continued commitment to the Club and surf lifesaving is invaluable.

We have also made some incredible strides with the Club's other initiatives – ranging from the revamping of the Club's constitution, to the introduction of new roles focused on wellbeing and safety – with Lulu Thompson and Brett Appleton paving the way for Tamarama SLSC-specific safety, member protection and well-being. In addition, the Swim and Socials for Women and Gender Diverse People initiative, led by the fabulous Zoe Scott-King, was another record success this year with six Inclusive Swims and well over 100 attendees. Another highlight for me this season was getting to march with Lifesavers with Pride in this year's Mardi Gras parade - alongside 61 lifesavers from across the country (of which, 20 were from Tamarama SLSC).

Make sure you have signed up to the Tamarama newsletter from the Club homepage, sign up to the member Facebook page, and keep your details up to date in Surfguard, via the SLSC Member Portal, so that you can keep up to date with what's happening, and get involved.

Thank you all for your support this season. Whilst you will not be seeing me on the beach next season as I have relocated to London (although TBC if I can survive the winter here), I look forward to seeing all of the updates from the beach, the new clubhouse, and of course the ocean (miss you already, Enrique the Turtle).

CHARLOTTE MANN
Club Secretary
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These are our patrol statistics for the 2023–24 season:

Patrol Attendance

(number of patrolled hours by members)

SEASONS	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Patrol Hours	5,794	5,686	6,831	7,687

Recorded Statistics

SEASON	2022-23	2023-24
Total Preventative Action	1,339	942
Beach Users Advised/Warned	121	103
Swimmers Advised/Warned	586	623
Craft Users Advised/Warned	11	17
Shark Alarm	0	0
Searches	0	0
Lost Children	1	0
Preventions	607	173
Warning Signs Erected	13	26

Beach Attendance

SEASONS	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Total	17,186	12,324	15,928	23,382



Rescues

SEASONS	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Total Rescues	81	54	73	78
No Gear	4	0	3	3
Rescue Tube	51	30	32	45
Rescue Board	26	23	36	22
IRB	0	0	1	5
Other	3	1	1	3

First Aid

SEASON	2022-23	2023-24
Total First Aid Actions	25	77
Fractures/Dislocations	1	3
Major Wounds	0	
Minor and Minor Marine Stings	3	27
Minor Cuts/Abrasions	16	39
Other	5	7
Resuscitation	0	0
Spinal	0	0

Club Captain's Report



Hi Team Tama.

What a fantastic year we've had. I might be biased as the club captain but I've really loved seeing everyone flourish. Luckily, the pandemic days and La Nina feel like distant memories. Nevertheless we had our share of surprises this season.

First of all, McKenzies bay was a permanent fixture for the majority of the season. Whilst it made the news for it's uniqueness and disappearing nature, we kept a close eye on the curious visitors checking out this temporary secret beach. Most of us did not know a season where the beach was there. We all had to adapt and include it as part of our patrol roles rotation to ensure beachgoers safety was maintained as all time. Whilst continuing to monitor our main turf Tamarama beach.

It was a disappointment to see the aloof beach spot go after a storm later in the season, but also a relief knowing we could focus on Tamarama. And Tamarama itself proved surprising this year, with more sand the beach was deeper and wider this year. Reducing the bottleneck between the twins and the northern reef as the water did not rise as high. Allowing us on many occasions to walk around and between twins, or even to Bronte via the beach exceptionally. A very rare sight according to long-time members and locals. Combination of factors which led to the flags being up A LOT more than usual this year, for the enjoyment of our visitors and patrolling members.

Secondly, no surfclub, no problem. Thank you all for your dedication to life saving despite the lack of facilities such as change rooms, showers, dry patrolling area and a physical room to get together. I'm overjoyed to write that this was our third and last season without those luxuries. Season 2024-25 will be our only first season back into a building, let's ensure we all savour those moments when they come to life. I for one am looking forward to seeing it come to life may it be after patrol social gatherings, BBQ's, committee meetings, and lets admit it a hot shower.

Surprising year indeed, yet our members maintained, grew and exhibited their skills to continue our motto of no lives lost this season again. Most make it easy, but those skills come with study, practise and dedication to hone our water skills in our quest to preserve and safeguard lives on our coastline, not just at Tamarama.

Now I'd like to extend my sincere thanks to some of the key members that help me ensure our lifesaving operations run smoothly and keep our members connected to our core objective in a welcoming environment, celebrating each and everyone.

I am truely thankful to Richard Hamilton, my predecessor, for his prep work leading up to this season and continuous support as I navigated my first season a Club Captain. As well as the ongoing support of the Management Committee.

Our Patrol Captains are the backbone of our successful operations. Please join me in thanking

- Zoe Scott-King and Cam Berry for reinvigorating P1 this season,
- David Ogle for stepping into Co-Captain of P2 with Harriet Gillies
- Lance Brooks for taking the leadership of P3 this season
- Chris Barrett, Jono Brett and Ben Armitage for their continuous dedication to P4
- Michelle Cowans for Co-Captaining P5 with David Head as Lance moved to P3
- Jody Fitchet his first season as P6 leader, supported by Oliver Hunt as VC
- Bill Shires, retired club president, patron and leader of P7
- Chris Glover for his unwavering leadership of P8 for over a decade
- Uncle Dazza (Derek Bagatourian) and Brad Charters, for such a strong P9 duo
- Tim Murray, retired club president and sunday afternoon P10 leader
- Sandra Fox, for leading the enthusiastic and caring bunch of P11
- Jesse Price, for the renewed energy over the last two seasons with P12

IRB is now a team of 24 at Tama. Three drivers as I write this report, and four more drivers in training.

I'd like to thank Brandon Kober-Brown for his incredible work as IRB captain for the last few seasons and start of this one. Rebuilding our motors and hull stable, enabling us to patrol and train new recruits with peace of mind.

Also thanking Drew Davidson, who stepped in mid-year as an enthusiastic IRB Captain, growing our team from 14 to 24. Working closely with Richard Hamilton, who became an endorsed IRB trainer this season, to train 10 new Crew and four Drivers, almost doubling our IRB contingent and rebuilding our Driver strength.

These come with personal time sacrifices behind the scenes: week day fuel trips, mechanic visits, hours maintaining and repairing motors, early morning training the new recruits, writing grant applications, tending to our beloved ATV and more. On behalf of Tamarama SLSC, thank you!

Our **gear** is critical to our operations. Drew Davidson - gear steward, Derek Bagatourian - Radio and Trailer operator, Chris Barrett - board Captain, and many others work in the background to make sure our gear is always rescue ready, for patrol or training. Again, this year, the trailer at Bondi was a success, supporting our Bronze medallion courses, ongoing senior and nipper training.

On the **first aid** skills, thanks to all that undertook or renewed their first aid training and our outstanding first aid officer, Roger Moresi, who keeps our first aid kits well stocked and compliant.

It would be amiss of me not to mention the outstanding effort of our **education** team, led by Arnaud de La Chaise, who trained 57 Bronze medallions this season, a record in Tama's history. And Tim Wright for extending that training energy to the Golden boards session up to twice a week during the season.

Waverley lifeguard, it's been a pleasure to collaborate again this season towards our shared goal of no lives lost.

To next season!

SYOTB

LISA BODRERO

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Chief Training Officer's Report TAMARAMA EDUCATION



Regarding new members, we started with 13 Flamingoes in Spring who graduated in December, led by Andrew Addie and myself. In summer a massive cohort of 30 Bronzies, the Bonza Bronzies, were successfully led by Andrew Addie and David Murphy, whilst 14 Surf Rescue Certificates (SRCs) were upskilled to Bronze Medallion (BM) by our one and only legend Guy Waddell. Summer saw perhaps the two most demanding jobs in Tama Education's history: training the largest BM cohort ever known in our club (and maybe in the world), and the persistent teaching of 14 chatty teenagers on Sunday mornings!

This season again, we relied on our amazing Patrol Captains to conduct proficiencies (skills maintenance) so our members could officially continue to patrol and ensure the safety of our beachgoers. Next season, we're looking into improving the way we run proficiencies and making it more fun for everyone – stay tuned (as a reminder, you need to complete proficiency before 31 December each year to be able to patrol and be insured in case of an incident).

We're getting more members interested and involved in Education and that's a great thing to see for two reasons:

- First with more people we can ensure the responsibilities of Education (which are very demanding) are shared amongst more members and we can create a more sustainable team and continuity amongst the club (i.e. we don't burn out our volunteers after one season!)
- Secondly, we can offer more and better training opportunities for new members (more BM, more personalised training...) as well as our current members (Silver Medallions, Gold, First Aid ...), thus increasing our yearly intake and overall member retention.

Thank you to everyone who participated or helped in training our members, and all of you who have decided to join the Education team (even before you actually graduated :) or are about to join us to continue growing Tama. Thank you! Thank you! The involvement of new education members promises fresh perspectives and innovative ideas that I can't wait to see on our beloved beach.

The next season is going to be the season we're finally back to full normality, with great weather, no Covid restrictions and more importantly, with a brand new clubhouse for all of us to call home. I hope this will inspire more people to join our club, and more people to help us train and welcome them to the best club in New South Wales.

ARNAUD DE LA CHAISE

Chief Training Officer
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What a great achievement for the Education team this season. Not only did we train 57 new Bronzies, but we also grew the Education team thanks to the involvement (and future involvement) of great volunteers to continue delivering a life changing experience to many more clubbies.

Long Service, Life Saving, Education and Training Awards 2023–2024

75 Year SLSC Long Service Award (1)

John Bell

60 Year SLSC Long Service Award (1)

Richard Simpson

40 Year SLSC Long Service Award (1)

Mark Cassidy

30 Year SLSC Long Service Award (1)

Robert Brander AM

10 Year National Patrol Service Award (1)

Troy Longworth

Silver Medallion – Aquatic Rescue (4)

Lisa Bodrero
Jack Handford
Sidney Russell
Tim Wright

Silver Medallion – Patrol Captain (7)

Andrew Addie
Andrew Brooker
Robert Crichton
Eric Kleiman
David Ogle
Gerard Robb
Tim Wright

Silver Medallion – IRB Driver (4)

Lisa Bodrero
Drew Davidson
Mark Lamour
Sophie Langham

Training Officer – Bronze Medallion (1)

Prue Lynch

Training Officer – IRB (1)

Drew Davidson

IRB Crew Certificate (11)

Brett Appleton
Cameron Berry
Wil Charters
Alexander Harrington
Hannah How
Sean Jungwirth
Sophie Langham
Madeleine Legoe
Florent Polo
Isabella van Stipriaan-Huik
Francisco Xifra

Advanced Resuscitation Techniques – new award (38)

Helen Bell
Cameron Berry
Mia Bridle
Kirsten Brighten
Sofia Casella
Wil Charters
Matias Cilloniz
Josh Clarke
Amy Croucher
Matthew Fitzpatrick
Rachel Fleming
Callum Foote
Nicola Ghirardi
Alexander Harrington
Luke Hillier
Christian Holman
Hannah How
Isabel Hudson
Sean Jungwirth
Timothy Lisle-Williams
Prudence Lynch
David Manser
Zyra Mcauliffe
Spenser Mestel
Jared Millane
Roger Moresi
Daniel Nunez
David Parsons
Ryan Paturzo-Polson
Florent Polo
Gerard Robb
Zoe Scott-King
Bill Shires
Brad Slade
Caspian Tailakbayev
Isabella van Stipriaan-Huik
Keely Wilson
Francisco Xifra

Bronze Medallion (57)

Agustin Arrieta
Philippa Barr
Jake Beer
Helen Bell
Dana Bledsoe
Mia Bridle
Kirsten Brighten
Hugo Cardonnel
Sofia Casella
Annabelle Charters
Matias Cilloniz
Josh Clarke
Lucas Crabb
Eve Crichton
Amy Croucher
Milly Debele Hancock
Matthew Fitzpatrick
Rachel Fleming
Callum Foote
Piers Galvin
Nicola Ghirardi
Alexander Harrington
Vasilios Hatzis
Luke Hillier
Aaron Hodge
Christian Holman
Hannah How
Isabel Hudson
Sean Jungwirth
Liara King
Timothy Lisle-Williams
Archie Llewellyn
Cameron Loughlin
Prudence Lynch
David Manser
Zyra Mcauliffe
Felix McGivern
Spenser Mestel
Jared Millane
Claire Murphy
Oscar Murray
Marie Nathalie-Lesage
Daniel Nunez
David Parsons
Ryan Paturzo-Polson
Florent Polo
Eve Prendeville
Samuel Preston

Samuel Russo
Harry Snow
Caspian Tailakbayev
Eamonn Tiernan
Isabella van Stipriaan-Huik
Keely Wilson
Evangeline Winch
Camille Winston
Francisco Xifra

Surf Rescue Certificate (4)

Maisie Crichton
Jade Deguara
Piers Galvin
Kate Prendeville

Nipper Surf Education (118)



IRB Captain's Report

Australia's best IRB team is proud to report on a year of incredible progress.

Following a mid season baton change, I would like to thank Dr. Brandon Kober-Brown for his immense efforts over two and a half seasons. Brandon oversaw a highly successful equipment renewal program and finished his tenure with four good motors and two serviceable hulls (this is a big deal) – thank you Brandon!

Richard Hamilton and Lisa Bodrero continued their immense service to the Club and our community by designing and implementing a successful guest driver program to enable our club to continue to meet IRB patrolling requirements in the face of severe driver shortages. Drivers from North Bondi, Bondi, Bronte and Coogee all stepped up for a drive at one of Australia most wild beaches – with some surviving to tell the tale at their home clubs!

With a low of three drivers this season, Richard Hamilton and I have been very busy training new Crew and Drivers. In 2024 alone, we welcome 11 new IRB Crew and expect to shortly deliver a bumper crop of new Tama Drivers allowing us to comfortably meet our Saturday IRB patrolling requirements. We forecast more drivers than Saturday patrols for next season – a fantastic achievement by our whole team!



A huge thank you to our Management Committee who backed a pragmatic plan to purchase an almost brand new, third hull, from Salt SLSC for a steep discount, funded largely out of proceeds from old equipment sales. This hull, 'Tama 3,' has already proven its value in driver training, where, perhaps for the first time ever, we have operated three boats. It is also envisaged to provide a stop gap if one of our other hulls needs to be retired or repaired and will allow a greater club contribution to Sydney Branch water safety activities.

We continue our close relationship with Bronte's IRB team, who continue to share their time and knowledge with us for which we are very grateful.

A huge thank you to Roger Moresi and Qantas for funding a new motor as part of their Side by Side community grants program.

A job well done to those IRB Crew and Drivers involved in rescues this season.

Once again – congratulations to our newest Crew of 2024:

Will Charters, Maddie Legoe, Hannah How, Bella Van Stipriaan-Huik, Sophie Langham, Cameron Berry, Florent Polo, Fran Xifra, Brett Appleton, Sean Jungwirth and Alex Harrington.

And well done to all our Driver trainees, who I expect at the time of print, will be Tamarama's newest IRB Drivers:

Sophie Langham, Mark Lamour, Lisa Bodrero and Amelia Curtis (who will be a driver once her leg heals).

We would love you to join the fun! See you on the water.

DREW DAVIDSON
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Competition Report



Participating in Surf Lifesaving competitions requires a lot of effort and commitment.

The multi discipline event required long days on the beach and the ability to battle any surf conditions. This season, Tim Wright, Jesse Price, Andrew Addie, and Brandon Signal represented Tamarama SLSC at the Masters Branch Championships at Maroubra Beach. They competed in the Surf Teams, Individual Surf race, and Board race. In the Surf Teams event, they did us proud by securing a Bronze medal in their age category. They also all did extremely well individually, Tim finishing 6th in both the Board race and the Surf race, with Brandon 8th and Andrew 11th. It was a great start for them, and with more training and hopefully a club house, we aim to have an even stronger team for next year's competitions to compete at Branch, State and Aussies. If you're interested in joining us, please reach out to me.

ANNABELLE PATERSON
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Treasurer's Report

Tamarama Surf Lifesaving Club outperforms in so many ways which we are so proud in promoting to our Members and wider community.

One body of the Club which consistently performs at a high caliber but perhaps slightly under the radar is the team that supports the financial functions and governance of the Club. Ian Hopkins has provided his accounting services for 22 years now, for which we benefit so greatly. Amanda McKenzie through Irena's Bookkeeping Services has successfully integrated the club across to the Xero Accounting System and now manages the quarterly Business Activity Statement submissions. And Tom Nolan continues to provide his Auditing expertise towards our Annual Financial Statements. This team now operates under established protocols and within a system which will cater to the growing demands of the Club as we operate in a new Clubhouse era.

We found ourselves operating for a second consecutive financial year without a clubhouse. This ultimately impacts direct revenue and indirect growth potential for the Club, which would be used to support ongoing running costs and the ability to invest in club assets. The Club however has managed and maintained a sound financial position through this season supported by our growing member base, as well as wider community support from Surf Life Saving Australia, Surf Life Saving NSW, Waverley Council, Simon Exleton from Pillinger, ClubMed, Qantas and kind support made privately by Members.

The generous support by these parties have allowed the Club to meet its construction commitments, invest in the Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) Program through new hulls, motors and equipment and support members competing under the 'Blue and White' at Surf Lifesaving competitions and events.

As this season closes the new clubhouse is all but ready to receive a patient cohort of current members and will be the home for so many new faces attracted to the leading facilities and all aspects of club life that the Tamarama SLSC community brings. For me, this season has been defined by the Committee's adoption and support towards large investments in club assets; whether that be our IRB Program, competition participation by members, new club surf skis and competition boards, and new additions to the clubhouse post-opening. All of these growth areas will only provide a richer experience for current and future members.

I have enormous gratitude to the Club and its Members, the Committee and the broader Tamarama community for allowing me the privilege of acting as Treasurer across three challenging, diverse but ultimately rewarding seasons. With the support of the Management Committee the treasury workstream has grown and matured and is ready to support the huge growth expected for the Club in the coming years. Thankyou to all those that have supported me in this role in my last season as Treasurer. I'll see you for many seasons to come on the beach.

THOMAS LOVE
Treasurer
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Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they just have the heart.

Junior Activities Director's Report

Once again, Tamarama Nippers survived their third season in a row without a clubhouse. The Club is however expecting final completion of the new clubhouse in July 2024 and the nippers look forward to enjoying the 2024-25 season with warm showers, and gold-plated facilities.

Clubhouse aside, the Club has seen strong membership levels (for Tamarama) with 129 Nippers registered for the 2023-24 season (up from 111 in 2022-23) with 128 awards and certificates received. Equally, we have experienced record levels of Junior Members (13-17 years) retaining their post Nipper relationship with the Club – providing patrol depth, and welcome Age Manager assistance (after attaining their Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC) and Bronze Medallion qualifications). This level of youth engagement has not been seen at the Club since the early 1990's and is testament to the hard work and superb training offered by long term member – and former Junior Activities Director – Guy Waddell.

Good weather, an enlarged beach and favourable surf conditions led to persistently agreeable Sunday mornings with plenty of sun and above average amounts of water time. Very few Nipper sessions had to be cancelled due to the weather. The increasing sand saw the 'twins' exposed and easily explorable for the younger members. Mackenzies Bay saw its mystical beach appear in the early part of the season before disappearing post-storm later in the season.

Friday afternoon swim training sessions for Nippers at North Bondi was led by Club stalwart Annabelle Paterson and her merry group of recent SRC and Bronze graduate helpers. This opportunity markedly improved the confidence and surf skills of those attending ensuring we were able to extend the challenge offered during the normal Sunday mornings at Tamarama.

We continued our participation in most surf carnivals with a small, loyal group of strong competitors who achieved outstanding results. Amongst the committed were Jade and Amelie Deguara and Oscar Llewellyn.

Sydney Branch once again offered Leadership Development Camps for the U11 and U13 Age Groups. Bibi Debelles Hancock attended the U13 camp in January at the Youthworks



Conference Centre, Deer Park in the Royal National Park on behalf of Tamarama. These camps add to the learning experience of our future Life Savers.

BBQs were hosted from the Gear Shed in the park and allowed the nippers and their families to sample the expert culinary skills of our BBQ chefs. Thanks to the parents who volunteered their BBQ skills, and to Club Member – and former Nipper Parent – Derek Bagatourian who dropped off and picked up the hired BBQ. Thanks also to Alan Lewis at the Tamarama Kiosk who donated ice-blocks to cool down the Nippers at the BBQs.

Santa made a traditional dash to the Club prior to Christmas at the annual Nipper Christmas BBQ. Thanks to Santa and his merry band of helpers for sharing the sweetness of the season with our younger club members and their families.

The award winning 'Holly Days' Indigenous nipper program – run by Jo Miller with the help of Aaron Hodge and Warwick Clout, focussed on providing a Nipper experience for the La Perouse, Maroubra and surrounding Aboriginal community – continued and highlights some twenty years of collaboration between the Club, Weave Youth and Community Services and the local Aboriginal Community.



The 2023-2024 major award winners were:

Nipper of the Year	Paz Covarrubias
Best and Fairest	Lola Wardrop
The Graham Brewer Trophy	
Boys' Carnival Competitor of the Year	Oscar Llewellyn
Girls' Carnival Competitor of the Year	Amelie Deguara

Surf Rescue Certificates (SRC) Awards	
Maisie Crichton	Jade Deguara
Piers Galvin	Kate Prendeville
Bronze Medallion Awards – graduating from their SRC	
Jake Beer	Hugo Cardonnel
Annabelle Charters	Lucas Crabb
Eve Crichton	Piers Galvin (SRC and Bronze)
Milly Debelles Hancock	Aaron Hodge
Liara King	Archie Llewellyn
Felix McGivern	Oscar Murray
Eve Prendeville	Harry Snow



Junior Activities Director's Report CONTINUED



Thanks must go to

Club President Matteo Salval and the Executive Committee who continue to support the Nipper program.

Junior Activities (Nipper) management team including Brad Charters and Shay Deguara.

Age Managers who went above and beyond to deliver another memorable season and a great experience for the Nippers.

- U6** Tess Lambourne
Ryan Sponneck
- U7** Gretchen Masters
Jesse Leeson
- U8** Mark Cairns
- U9** Tim Gow
- U10** Claire Crichton
- U11/U12/U13/U14** Daniel Covarrubias,
Margie Simpson-Lee,
Shay Deguara
Jon Hancock
- Roving** Jo Miller

Water Safety and Age Managers Assistants (including recently graduated SRC and youth Bronze Medallion holders) who demonstrated their newly learnt skills, developed their leadership competence and ensured no lives were lost.

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| Wil Charters | Annabelle Charters |
| Aaron Hodge | Eve Crichton |
| Maisie Crichton | Milly Debelle Hancock |
| Eve Prendeville | Archie Llewellyn |
| Jude Jungwirth | Finnigan O'Reilly |
| Liliana Capela | Jade Deguara |
| Felix McGivern | |



Sunday morning patrols who provided inspiration to our 'Life Savers of the Future' and additional water safety.

The BBQ team who met the challenge of cooking sausages for the army of Nippers and their families – once again, from the Gear Shed.

Waverley Council lifeguards who provided backup to the patrol and water safety teams, and tolerated and supported the enthusiasm shown by our Nippers.

Sydney Branch Nippers President Dave Love and his team who provided administration support and delivered the U11 and U13 Nipper Development Camps.

Club Med took over the major sponsorship of the Tamarama Nippers program this season from Network Ten. Their funding allows the Nippers Swim and Board Skills program held at North Bondi on Friday afternoons and additional equipment. The Nippers have two new tents, a rescue board and swim caps courtesy of the funding from Club Med. Thanks to Luca Postiglione from Club Med for assisting with the sponsorship.

SRC and Youth Bronze Trainer, Guy Waddell who for many years has ensured our nippers transition into the senior club and achieve their Surf Rescue Certificate and Bronze Medallion along the way.

Jo Miller's ongoing selfless volunteer commitment to the 'Holly Days' program is enormously appreciated. The program partners with Weave Youth and Community Services and allows Aboriginal kids from the La Perouse area to participate in the Tamarama Nippers program. Many participants have achieved their Surf Rescue Certificate and Bronze Medallion. Jo co-ordinates every aspect of the program from registration through to delivery. It is an enormous contribution, and our thanks go to her for ensuring the program continues.

Post the season end, Tamarama Nippers participated in the Bronte Anzac Day ceremony. Thanks to Bibi Debelle Hancock for carrying the flag.

Tamarama SLSC – and the Nipper Team – has delivered another successful program this season which adds to the rich tapestry of the community. We have provided fun for the kids, developed their knowledge, confidence and skills on the sand and in the surf as well as offering them a pathway to become our Life Savers of the Future.

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Junior Activities Director's Report CONTINUED

Tama Nippers Competition Report

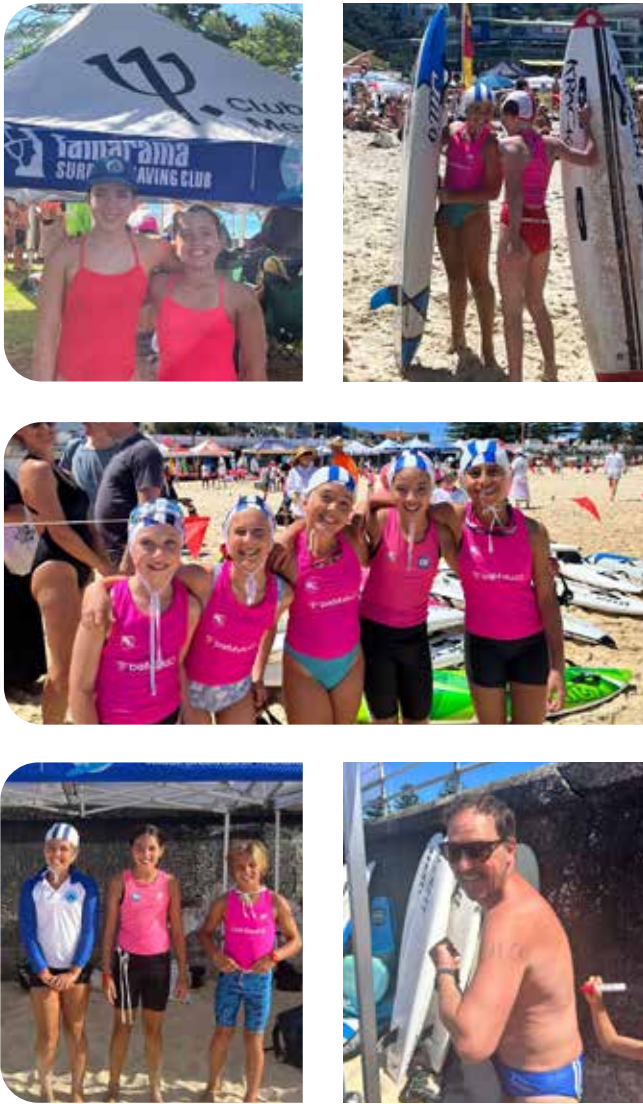
The competition season was short and sharp.

Waverley Shield offered a great introduction to a new group of nippers who all enjoyed reasonable conditions at Bondi. A number of first time competitors got places and represented Tamarama proud.

A streamlined crew attended Branch at Bondi and a number of finals being achieved.

State saw the usual crew of Jade, Amelie, Oscar and new comer Vookashin head over to Manly. As usual Tamarama punched above our weight and achieved a few semis and finals.

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Heritage Report

As per last year, I have found myself once again with writer's block in terms of what to contribute to the Annual Report by way of a report from the Heritage Collective.

I've always been a believer that Tamarama SLSC is more about the people than the clubhouse and I think that while the last three seasons without a clubhouse has been felt by members, we've continued to make great strides forward as a club, as recorded elsewhere in this report. While the people, community and life saving aspects are what motivates me in Surf Life Saving, as a Surf Rescue Certificate and Bronze Medallion Trainer, I can't tell you how much I am looking forward to having somewhere to train candidates (vs my garage or the park at the back of Bondi), run Skills Maintenance sessions and more.

This got me to thinking – I'd guess that more than half of our current patrolling members have never experienced Tamarama SLSC (or any Surf Club for that matter) clubhouse prior to the new build which will have opened by the time of the 2024 AGM. As we fled the old clubhouse in April 2021, I took a number of photos for the sake of posterity and heritage.

Our future travels through our past

At the 2023 AGM, we were privileged to have a number of our Senior Life Members attend and witness Life Membership being bestowed on one of our members. Henry Hourihan (Life Member and Club Patron), Ted Gillroy and John Shand attended and spoke providing insight and inspiration to those present. Henry, John and Ted were also awarded Long Service pins in recognition of their life long association with Tamarama SLSC and Life Saving more generally. Life Membership was bestowed on Wayne Evans.

I like to keep in touch with Life Members who are like minded and have enjoyed keeping in touch with John, Ted and Henry over recent years. Last year it was great to be able to share some of John's story in the annual report and with Ted's permission I have included in this report his recollections of growing up around Tamarama SLSC and being a member. I hope you enjoy reading Ted's story as much as I did.



Heritage Collection and Project

With the new clubhouse now open, we will have the chance to display items of club history in a dedicated space. This display space will have the capability to showcase small physical items as well as digital content. The question of display of larger heritage items is under consideration by the Building Committee at time of writing.

Thanks again to members of the Heritage Collective - Troy Longworth and Chris Bromhead - for supporting the cause in recent years. As always, we look forward



Henry Hourihan (right), Life Member, Tamarama SLSC with co-Patron and Life Member Bill Shires (left)



Ted Gillroy, Life Member, Tamarama SLSC

to members joining us to learn about and research Club History and take on specific projects that interest them with a view to sharing their research with the wider membership base.

See you all on the beach soon!

GUY WADDELL

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John Shand, Life Member, Tamarama SLSC



Wayne Evans, newly minted Life Member, Tamarama SLSC

Heritage Report – Ted Gilroy, Life Member, Tamarama SLSC

My first recollection of my active participation at Tamarama goes back to 1947 until I transferred to retired active in 1964. However, let’s begin with a little of the history about Tamarama, not Ted just yet.

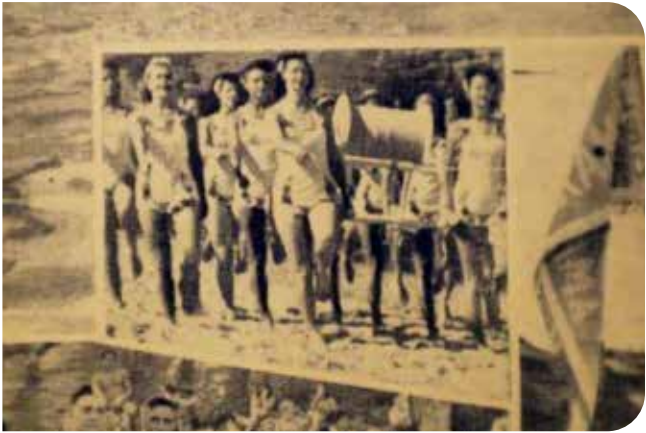
The Indigenous name for Tamarama was believed to be Gamma Gamma, now the history journey from Gamma Gamma to my day ‘Glamarama’, a description used given the necessity of women activities at ‘home’ during the second world war as the men were away at the war, this even applied to social activities. See our ladies at the 1947 Tamarama carnival.

In the early development of Sydney, Tamarama initially was like the present day Luna Park at North Sydney and called ‘Wonderland City’. The Surf Club was formed in 1906 after winning a long legal battle with the owners of ‘Wonderland City’ about access to the beach, and in 1911 ‘Wonderland City’ was closed down.

My parents, Lionel and Mavis, moved into 3 Pacific Avenue in 1935 having three children, Von, Bobby and me. My first recollection at Tamarama was the summer of 1946, watching an airplane doing acrobatics when it went into a dive crashing into the ocean a few hundred meters off Mackenzie Beach.

As a ten year old watching the activity that followed, watching a lot of people swim out to the wreckage, I assumed for souvenirs, the weather started to turn and the surf became rough creating dangerous current activity. Sensing the turning weather was going to make it difficult for many swimmers to get back to shore, the police consulted with the club’s senior members, Pop Weir, Ernie Philip, Ken Stewart, Les Lawrence and others as to how do we communicate with all these people hundreds of meters out to sea. The resulting decision was to ring the shark bell.

Too late, regretfully the situation did not end that well, at least there were no lives lost however hundreds of people needed to be rescued, some actually required medical attention. Given the number of people in the water and only three reels on the beach, the rope to the three reels were tied to the metal grip at the end of the surf boards thus enabling multiple rescues at any one time. The result for the surf club, many members being at the beach that day, was being awarded a Certificate of Merit which I am sure will again take pride of place when the present building works are complete, for there is no doubt but for the actions of the members, lives would have been lost.



Tamarama March Past Team 1947



Aerial view of Wonderland city, early 1900s

During this period of my life to say 1947, I was a typical ‘kid’, in and out of the club building, interacting with the older members. As an example, while club members trained for surf carnivals such as the march past, Bobby, at the arrow, and I adjacent to the reel, can be seen in the photograph on the following page.

During the 1946–47 season, the first of a number of Gala surf carnivals on Tamarama beach were held, named the W.F. (Bill) McNally Gala Day. The competing clubs for the surf carnival part of the event were North Bondi, Bondi, Bronte and Tamarama. The activities part of the ‘Gala’ day were a draught horse derby, entertainment by dancers from the Tivoli at Newtown, public personalities Jack Davey, George Wallace, Willie Fennell, leading jockeys and newspaper columnists. My Mum, Mavis with two other ladies supervised the catering for the day. It was estimated the number of patrons that were entertained was around 8,000, the last of this spectacular type surf carnival/entertainment extravaganza was held in the summer of 1950.

I hadn’t joined the club yet.

Still in 1946–47 and each weekend until about 1965, first aid attention was provided by volunteers from St John’s Ambulance Brigade. Each season in excess of 200 casualties were treated by these volunteers. All good things too often come to an end with the 1963–64 season seeing the last of this voluntary participation.

It was about the 1947–48 season that the club realised the importance of a surf boat. Our generous benefactor for the club, Ted Halstrom, later to be known as Sir Edward Halstrom, donated a surf boat to the club urgently needed as part of life saving equipment, given Tamarama was considered at the time to be one of the most dangerous patrolled beaches in Australia.

Inter club surf carnivals were growing in popularity at this time and with this, the success of our boat crews resulted in Metropolitan and State titles under the leadership of our very volatile competitor and surf boat sweep, Jack ‘Bluey’ Mayes, seen below as a competent board rider. Together with his junior boat crew, Rod Craig, Barry Smith, Frank Harris and Ron Ellis, Jack certainly did the club proud.



March Past Training circa late 1940s – Ted foreground



Jack Mayes, champion surf boat sweep and surfer

Due to family circumstances, our dad giving his life for King and Country, Bobby and I went to boarding school, living at school during term time and home for school holidays. I left school in 1951 and joined the Tamarama Surf Club in 1952.

My first rescue was an after hours event on Christmas Day 1952. It was around 5am and Bobby and I were roused from our sleep by banging on the front door of our home and the shark bell ringing in the distance. We found that a visitor went swimming and had gotten into trouble. Bobby and I and some others responded to the ruckus, the rescue being successful.

Sometimes a thank you is not forthcoming when something good is done however the visitor, Werner, sent a book to both of us as a thank you for saving his life. It was not until later in my life that I appreciated this simple, ‘thank you’.

I took part in carnivals as a ski paddler. The only award I achieved was a 100% patrol attendance pennant. How could I not accomplish this dazzling performance living where I lived, about 100 meters from the patrol enclosure.

Now my little brother Bobby is a different story, picture below with his wife Joan. Bobby and I worked together on some projects around the club, one of these jobs related to installation of timber seating around the inside of the club house.

In 1952–53 Pop Weir was the patron, Ernie Philip the President, Les Lawrence the Secretary and Bluey Mayes the Club Captain and Boat Captain and our present Patron Henry Hourihan had just joined the club as a senior active member. I obtained my bronze medallion on Bondi Beach, November 1952.

Given the comradery that existed at Tamarama it was no surprise at the many carnival winning results from boat crews, board riders, ski paddlers, swimmers, beach sprinters, flags and would you believe it, Tamarama excelled in the pillow fight events.

During season 1953–54 there were three fatal incidents where cars left Marine Parade, crashing to the rocks below, all three vehicles had deceased people to be extricated with the club receiving a Police commendation due to the club member support in the recovery of the victims.

Season 1954–55 I started to participate in the club’s activities, the club was on a high with the exploits of the boat crews. Pat Woods, Des Carroll, Bill Ferguson, David Fryer and I competed in the junior boat events without much success. I competed at the Royal Carnival on Bondi beach in heat 1 of the surf ski race, again without success. As I have said, I was not much of an athlete.

Heritage Report – Ted Gilroy, Life Member, Tamarama SLSC

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Bobby and Joan Gillroy

I took office on the club’s committees, (that’s me bottom right in the photo on the following page) as Board and Ski Captain for 1954–55 again in 1955–56 and Publicity Officer 1956–57. In Club Championships for the season 1954–55, I was second in the Ski Championship and Second in the Ski points score. In the year 1957 I was married and building my own home so my involvement in Tamarama activities was very limited.

Season 1959–60 was my first year appointed by Waverley Council as an Honorary Beach Inspector and at this time there was a public or at least a media reaction to the recently introduced bikini swimwear for females. In an incident while I was on patrol I was confronted by a newspaper reporter and a photographer with a bikini clad young lady. Controversy raged at that time over the brevity of the new swimwear, the media presence at Tamarama was a follow up to the media confrontation with Aub Laidlaw on Bondi beach on previous days. I believe I communicated to the reporter in a way that left him with no story to tell about Tamarama’s Glamaramas. I apparently was not controversial enough.

Off season activities were another show of the strength of the mateship within the membership where we participated in a range of other sports including basketball. The Tamarama Tigers were the basketball team of which I was a player along with George Bishop, John Shand, Doug McDonald and Brian Henry.

Other winter sports included handball in the member constructed court, ice hockey which Bluey Mayes was very much involved in, Seagulls Winter Swimming Club with these brave souls swimming at Tama in winter as well as keeping an eye on work to be done around the clubhouse and beach football. Talking of football, Brian Bevan was not a member of Tamarama, but went to school at Bondi Public School and Randwick Boys High and bonded with Tamarama Surf Club. Brian’s incredible talent as a footballer with the Eastern



Surf Life Saving Pillow Fight

Suburbs Rugby League, and the Blue Bags, Newtown. We took Brian as our own, where we mentioned him in our annual report towards the end of the 1940s.

The 2000 Sydney Olympic Games provided a reward for community service across Australia and to this end, two Tamarama representatives were awarded the honour from Tamarama Surf Club to be part of the 2000 Sydney Olympic Torch Relay. Our boat crew carried this honor for Tamarama Surf Club and I was the second participant from Tamarama. My community service has been ongoing, relating to overseas voluntary work with other builders for Rotary, and also (still) active in the Lions movement, and of course my fifty years service for Tamarama Surf Club, most of these years was of course my life membership.

The club visualised the dropping off in membership in the 1980s. Up to this time most of the members were within walking distance to the clubhouse, as I mentioned earlier. I built my home for my wife and I and our children out west. One initiative by the club to maintain an appropriate number of members was to source members from a local college, Scots. Another was the creation of a category for those younger than the present Cadets and Juniors – thus the title Juvenile (now Nippers) was created. The first Juvenile for Tamarama was my son Steve, ultimately doing most of his active surf club work down the south coast where he lived.

There is so much history untold by me – carnival exploits from Bluey Mayes boat crews, the beach sprinters (John ‘Spider’ Annand, John Loader, John Shand, Calvin Boyd and brother Bob), swimmers including the Marrott Brothers, Shaun Lawrence, the Brats v Men event at Christmas, ski paddlers Dick Marrott and George Van Dyke. And so I could go on, social activities in the clubhouse, the Saturday night dances, the Sunday afternoon social with no drunken behavior.

Given the popularity of the Sunday afternoon social it was at least one way of getting enough members to lift and carry the ‘double-ender’ surf boat off the beach into its shed. I would be extremely remiss if Ron Buist was not mentioned. Ron was an absolute tireless administrator for the club, highly respected beyond Tamarama, Ron now deceased.

I hope the readers have found my recollection to be interesting.

TED GILLROY J.P.
Life Member Tamarama SLSC
Vice President Macarthur Lions Club
Camden Citizen of the Year 2015
Past President and Past Secretary Macarthur Lions Club
Past Secretary Fairfield Rotary Club



Tamarama SLSC Management Committee circa mid 1950s



Tamarama Tigers Basketball Team (Ted top right)



Ted carrying the Olympic Torch in 2000 – a reward for a life time of Surf Life Saving and Lions community service

Legacy is not what I did for myself. It’s what I’m doing for the next generation.

Heritage Report – VALE

Vale Denis Paterson.

The club was recently notified that Club Member, Denis Paterson, had passed away in December 2023, following a short illness.

Denis was a Long Service member of Tamarama SLSC, having obtained his initial Life Saving qualifications in 1978 at Emu Park SLSC on the Capricorn Coast in Queensland and then subsequently transferring to Tamarama after moving to Sydney – club records noting his first season at Tamarama being 1995–96. Denis joined Tamarama at a particularly difficult time in the 1990s when membership levels were particularly challenged, not just at Tamarama but more widely. Denis brought his trade mark high levels of infectious energy and enthusiasm to the club at this time, contributing not just to patrols and Junior Lifesaving/Nippers (with his two children Ben and Jamee) but well beyond into other aspects of club life and community also. As Deputy President from 2005 through 2007, Denis took on more than his fair share of responsibilities given the structure of the Management Committee at the time. He was well liked, a great waterman and competitor, demonstrating high and exacting standards in everything he undertook – a great example for members.

Bronze Medallion, 6 January 1978

Advanced Resuscitation Certificate, 8 April 1997

Deputy President Tamarama SLSC 2005-06 and 2006-07

25 Year National Patrol Service Awards, 11 March 2003

40 Year Long Service Award, 29 April 2018

Lifesaving aside, Denis was perhaps best known as a convenor and instructor of Tamarama Cheah Tae Kwon Do, together with William Wolfenden (aka Wolf). Denis (4th dan black belt) and Wolf introduced Tae Kwon Do to the Tamarama community (open to members and non members alike) in the mid 1990s to help build the basis for the club facilities to be a community



Screen grab from the Tamarama SLSC 2006 documentary 'No Lives Lost'

asset as much as a Surf Life Saving asset, demonstrating the value of clubs beyond Life Saving. Several members including Caretakers (Ian Hamilton, David Blamires) and at least one President (Jon Hancock) all obtained their black belts with Denis and Wolf.

Denis was generous with his time and expertise and as already noted, a person of high and exacting standards in everything he did. After one particularly brutal hall hire around 2016, we found that the varnish had effectively been stripped from the main hall floorboards by the hall hirers (from some form of dancing if I recall correctly). Denis quickly mobilised the core of the Tae Kwon Do team to volunteer a whole weekend of their time to sand, resurface and varnish the hall before the floor was permanently damaged by the endless stream of members apparently oblivious to the 'NO WET OR SANDY FEET' rule that applies to the hall. This effort was repeated over two subsequent seasons to ensure that the hall was always in top notch condition for club members and the community of club users. One of the rituals before the commencement of Tae Kwon Do training sessions was the sweeping the hall floor which was (and will be in the new building – I can guarantee that) a magnet for sand and dirt – I'm sure caretakers of some two plus decades are very grateful accordingly!

Outside of club life Denis was an expert and well known rigger and crane driver for some 40 years and was involved in the construction of many of Sydney's high rise buildings, including most recently, Crown Towers. On 8 August 1990, Denis happened to be passing Hunter Street Sydney at the same time an eight story building facade collapsed trapping several people – having his work equipment with him and the necessary experience and skills, Denis immediately stepped in to assist those trapped. Denis was recognised with a bravery award for this heroic and selfless act.



Denis in action as seen in the 'No Lives Lost' documentary



Tamarama Tae Kwon Do – Denis far left



Resurfacing the hall floor

I knew Denis casually from his early days at Tamarama but we became much closer from 2015 when my son, daughter and I joined Tamarama Tae Kwon Do. Every Tuesday and Thursday evening we'd make the pilgrimage to the club hall for fitness training, pattern training and sparring. Together with my daughter, thanks to Denis, I obtained my brown belt / black tip just prior to the club closing for renovations in April 2021.

It was a privilege to have known Denis – I thank him personally and on behalf of Tamarama SLSC for his friendship, loyalty, generosity and service to Tamarama and Surf Life Saving more generally over a period of some forty plus years. We extend our condolences to Denis' partner Sam and his children Casey, Ben and Jamee.

GUY WADDELL WITH ASSISTANCE FROM JON HANCOCK
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Denis in action resurfacing the hall floor



Resurfaced hall floor



**Vale
Ross Curtis.**

Member Phil Ryan (active 1964–1974) has advised the Club that member and colleague Ross Curtis (BM 1967–68) passed away on 28 June 2024 in Sydney. Aside from patrolling, Ross also contributed to Tamarama SLSC in various leadership positions, including as Patrol Captain and as a member of the Committee. I recall Ross as being a member in the best traditions of Tamarama – energetic and well respected.

PHIL RYAN

Inclusion@Tama Report



What does Diversity and Inclusion mean for us at Tamarama SLSC?

Diversity is the people and inclusion is the process but at the core, it is ensuring that everyone feels that they belong. Surf Lifesaving presents a perfect opportunity for all of us to create an environment that does this.

At Tamarama SLSC, we strive to ensure that everyone feels that they belong, they are welcomed, feel safe and can bring their best selves to our club and community. By doing so, we can perform to our highest capabilities on and off the beach to achieve our goal of zero deaths by drowning.

Representation is at the core of diversity and inclusion, and for Tamarama that means our members represent the community we serve. We treat everyone with kindness, care and respect.

Our inclusion work kicked off at the start of the 2021–22 season, launching our ‘She’s a Lifesaver’ initiative which won the SLS Sydney Innovation award that season. This season we evolved the purpose of our ‘She’s a Lifesaver’ initiative to ‘making lifesaving a place where women and gender diverse people feel that they belong.’

Our events this season highlighted that for us Inclusion is not just a word, but real actions.

We have hosted six Inclusive Swims for Women and Gender Diverse People with well over 100 attendees, including several newbies to the world of ocean swimming. We have recruited and continue to recruit new club members as a result. Special mention to Ce Benedict for their dedication to this initiative.

Erin Riley and Ce Benedict took part in the Lifesavers With Pride panel for Transgender Awareness Week in November at Bronte SLSC. Thank you both for a beautiful evening.

Migrant Beach Safety Day expertly run by Michelle Cowans in January, for a group of people from Vietnam, China, Laos, Cambodia, and Russia taking part in our Adult Migration Education Program.

Rainbow Beaches in conjunction with Lifesavers With Pride, a fabulous colourful crazy day. One of my favourite days of the season and this year Tamarama was a joint feature club along with Bondi.

Mardi Gras Parade featuring 20 Team Tama members marching with fellow surf lifesavers from across the country, enormous thanks to Matt Werner one of the two organisers with Lifesavers With Pride.

International Women’s Day 2024 featuring a social swim on the day for women in surf lifesaving and our allies. We followed this with all women patrols on the Sunday. We are indebted to Sandra Fox for organising such a successful day and Sue Jackson for ensuring the Nipper mums and families were thanked with a morning tea celebration.

Thank you to everyone who has contributed their time, energy and support in our initiatives, including all those who joined our Inclusion swims, they would not be what they are without you. Thank you to everyone who has extended their hand in reaching out to members when needed, it is these little actions as well as the big events that make our club who we are.

It has been an immensely rewarding and fulfilling season for us. As we move forward, we intend to build on everything we have achieved. Tamarama SLSC is leading the way in surf lifesaving with our focus on inclusion and ensuring everyone feels that they belong.

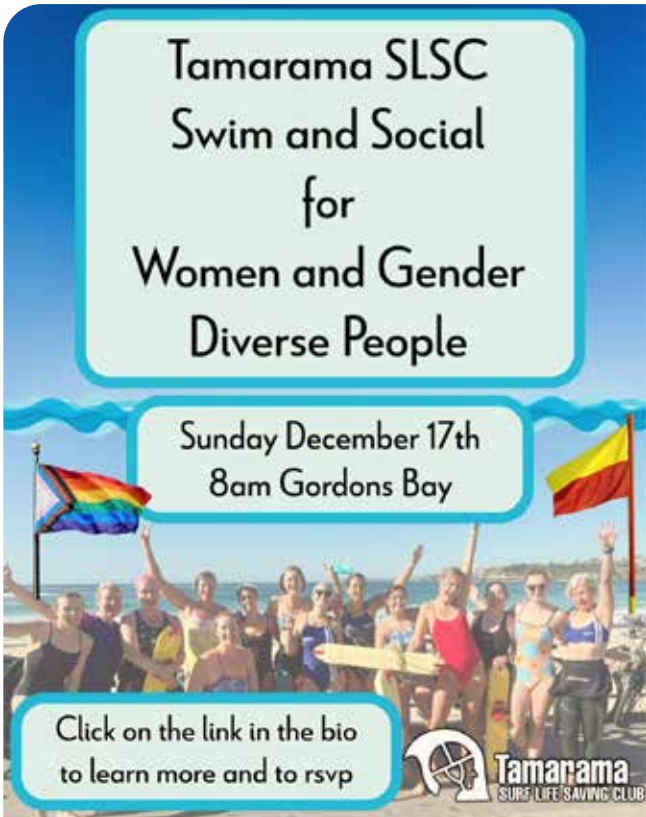
I am extremely grateful to the Inclusion Group of Champions for their tireless efforts and formidable drive to get us to where we are now and for such a successful season. Heartfelt thanks to Sandra Fox, Ellie Pietsch, Sue Jackson, Lisa Bodrero, Sarah Harmelink and Audrey Rollin.

See you next season,

ZOE SCOTT-KING



Inclusion@Tama Report CONTINUED



Sustainability Report

The Tamarama SLSC has newly formed a Sustainability Committee with the purpose of driving environmentally responsible practices within the Club and promoting a sustainable future for our community.

Led by Amy Croucher and Camille Goldstone-Henry, with members Sandra Fox, Suzanne Ballard and Zoe Scott-King, the committee's key priorities for the 2023-24 season included conducting an audit of current sustainability activities, and prioritising key actions. Immediate priorities include setting the new clubhouse up for sustainability success by selecting green energy providers, with plans to implement a comprehensive waste management plan and establishing a sustainable supplier policy in collaboration with the new caretaker. As proud members of the Waverley Council Net Zero Alliance, we are also collaborating with the council and other branch clubs to align and enhance our sustainability efforts. We will soon be reaching out to our members to gather ideas on the sustainability initiatives the Club would like to prioritise.

CAMILLE GOLDSTONE-HENRY



Community binds us together and builds understanding and tolerance.

Recognition Report



Tamarama has a long history of putting in efforts above and beyond ‘as usual’ expectations, from our early days, when the world was silent in black and white, right up to this season, in full colour surround sound.

We punch well above our weight and for a tiny club along the busy eastern seaboard, in the hustle and bustle of Sydney activity we shine with talent, bound with commitment, and for whatever’s left, fill the rest with unadulterated passion.

Throughout the season we’ve seen some amazing efforts from our members and we’ve recognised that these have been worth acknowledging through different channels. Here we showcase some of these amazing stories, where we have nominated these significant events/people/initiatives for external praise. They may not have been selected as the winner in their intended stream, but we want everyone to know that they are winners in our eyes.

Read on for a selection of what our Board of Management have decided are worthy of external recognition and be proud of the club that we have all made, which has nurtured these fantastic members to deliver these outstanding contributions.

GARY DRISCOLL

Above: Team Tama at the Sydney Branch Award of Excellence

Team of the Year Award Nomination

Tell us about the individual, program, team or innovation being nominated.

What relevant positions, roles or responsibilities do they hold? Do they model positive and supportive attitudes, behaviours, and actions?

Tamarama Patrol 1 (P1) patrols every third Saturday morning. Patrol 1 has undergone significant change in the last two seasons, with a change in leadership and a rebuild of the team including more than half of the patrol as new members.

The patrol is now led by Zoe Scott-King and Cameron Berry, joint Patrol Captains. This season the club Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) Captain, Drew Davidson, joined us to make up a complement of 14 active patrollers.

Our purpose aligns with Surf Life Saving (SLS) Sydney to provide a welcoming, safe, inclusive environment at our beach, educating community members about the nature of the aquatic environment and to always provide optimal water safety.

Due to so much change the team has had to quickly become an effective and highly functioning team to continue to provide the highest level of water safety needed in such a high-risk aquatic environment as Tamarama.

In the lead up to the start of the season, the leadership team set the ethos of the patrol by bringing together the team for virtual and in person meetings to get to know each other. This set the tone of professionalism, respect, equality, and trust for all our members, so everyone feels like they belong in P1, and have a place where they are valued. In addition, we have adopted the mission to have the most skilled IRB crew on any of the Tamarama patrols, and we now have 6 IRB crew out of 14 with more members to undertake training during the winter.

We strive to maintain the highest level of skill, proficiencies and capabilities by continuous skills training, scenarios, and seeking to refresh our knowledge and maintain the most up-to-date skills including leveraging the knowledge of our new Bronze Medallion holders as they join us. The team is adaptive and continually seeks new and innovative ways to continue skills maintenance.

The patrol has really become not just a high performing team but a family. P1 is inclusive, talented, skilled, and extremely encouraging and supportive of each other in every situation that we encounter. We respect the differences amongst the team and embrace those. We understand that we have a multi-faceted team with a variety of different skill sets across the team and leverage those to our advantage. We strive to be the patrol where everyone is welcome, their contributions are valued and ensure we enjoy our time on the beach, whilst keeping ourselves and our visitors safe.

What has been achieved?

Have they done something in response to an identified need or problem? Have they done something new or different to achieve results? Have they had to overcome any challenges to make a difference or achieve success?

P1 responded successfully to two serious incidents this season, combining training, skills, and high-level teamwork.

Incident One

Saturday 6th January was a hot and sunny day. The beach closed due to unsafe ocean conditions, and there were 12 patrollers on duty. Despite advice and warning, a beachgoer waded out of her depth and was struggling to return to shore. A patrol member immediately headed in with a rescue tube with another patrol member following on a rescue board. The IRB also went to assist and, despite the conditions and with the support of the patrol member in the water, managed to retrieve the patient. Unfortunately, the IRB propellor was disengaged by seaweed, causing the engine to stall. Subsequently the next wave capsized the IRB, crew, and patient into the water.

With the PC remaining on the beach with one patrol member, the patrol swam out. The council lifeguard assisted and retrieved the patient on the rescue board who was fortunately fine. The entire patrol managed to control the IRB and guide it safely back to shore. The PC and other patrolling members cleared the water of members of the public ensuring everyone was safe.

Incident Two

On Easter Saturday, one of our patrolling members suffered an accident whilst training on a rescue board. They were hit by a wave causing an impact on the sandbank fracturing the femur bone. A surfer supported them whilst patrol members, the

council lifeguard and the IRB went out. The PC alerted Surfcom immediately that there was a serious incident, not knowing full details yet but requesting urgent medical assistance as it was evident the patroller was in severe pain.

The team member was safely brought to the patrol tent, stabilised, and immobilised with immediate first aid care. The Duty Officer, James Peterson, arrived within ten minutes, providing support, liaising with Surfcom, and allowing the PC to continue to manage the incident. The afternoon patrol arrived and immediately took over beach management so P1 could focus on the care of their team member. Two patrollers went to wait for the paramedics above the beach. P1 managed to keep their team member as calm as possible whilst also ensuring care for themselves and community members. Despite the extreme seriousness of the incident, every team member performed exactly what was needed to manage the safety and well-being of the patient.

What impact has this had, and for whom?

Have they inspired others to think or to do things differently? Do they model positive and supportive attitudes, behaviours, or actions?

The IRB incident brought the team very closely together. It clearly demonstrated their skill level and aptitude. Tamarama is one of the most dangerous beaches on the east coast of Australia. The conditions then were dangerous with a northeast wind, choppy water surface with a large inconstant swell. The team were congratulated by the council lifeguards for their handling of the situation that was caused by something out of their control. The lifeguards commented that they felt the skill level this season has increased across Tamarama and all Waverley clubs.

After this incident, the team bonded even more strongly with each other, the sense of comradery increased immensely as did the trust and belief in their capabilities and knowing this was a result of teamwork.

The incident with our team member was more severe and emotional, being one of us. It was traumatic to witness someone in such severe pain. However, P1 managed the incident with such a prominent level of professionalism whilst remaining so calm and focused it must be commended.

The subsequent communication and support across the team, checking in on each other’s wellbeing and acknowledgement of how well everyone worked together demonstrated how important it is to have a group of people that have that belief not just in themselves but each other. The training, the education and the ongoing skills maintenance all paid dividends, and this was commented on multiple times not just in P1 and at Tamarama SLSC, but also by branch.

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It was also rewarding to work so well and in unity with James Paterson (DO), the council lifeguard and subsequently the SLSNSW Members Liaison, Claire Bevis.

We all know that the service we provide on the beach is extremely valuable and gives us such a sense of purpose. I think after this recent incident, P1 and our club feels this even more. We all have the same goal across SLS Sydney: to achieve zero deaths by drowning. These incidents clearly display that when we have the skills, belief, and courage we achieve great outcomes. It doesn't matter who you are, if you are part of surf lifesaving and demonstrate the behaviours and actions, as P1 did, then all beach-goers can feel safe.

I have always been proud to be part of Tamarama SLSC and Surf Lifesaving, after this season I could not be prouder.

AOE Innovation of the Year Nomination

Tell us about the individual, program, team or innovation being nominated.

What was the motivation or research which drove the program/innovation? What were the aims and objectives? What did it look like (location, duration, resources required etc.)?

Tamarama SLSC is a relatively small club of 140 active patrolling members at the start of the 2023-24 season. We had lost half of our Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) drivers at the end of the 2022-23 season, as they pursued interstate or other personal opportunities. The club was therefore unable to fulfill its Service Level Agreement (SLA) with only three drivers to support six Saturday patrols. Whilst we focus on rebuilding the drivers contingent, we developed a guest driver program to bolster our team.

Over the years, as a club, we have competed with the Bondi IRB team, ran joint training programs with Bondi and Bronte and attended ALBERT training, forming strong bonds in the IRB community. We identified several drivers from our neighbouring clubs, through their club captains and IRB captains, who would be interested in getting more opportunities to drive and gain further experience in different conditions. Tamarama is a narrow beach with permanent rips and exposed to swell on most days with limited room for parallel runs, making it a challenging yet upskilling place to drive.

Seven drivers participated: Alex Merkur from North Bondi, Elijah Magee from Bondi Bathers, Michael B, Rob Alexander and JP from Bronte, and Kenneth Hardy and Brad Allen from Coogee.

Once we had identified our cohort of guest drivers, Richard Hamilton, lead IRB trainer, and Drew Davidson, IRB Captain,

ran onboarding sessions for them to familiarise them with the beach and prevailing conditions, the dedicated equipment, maintenance procedure and the gear shed.

Guest drivers were then added to a whatsapp chat where we published all patrol shifts requiring their help and they could self-nominate which shifts they would take, which gave them flexibility to choose when and how much time they could dedicate to the program.

On patrol, the IRB crewies shared their knowledge of Tamarama's beach, equipment, gear shed and the wider team, ensuring they all felt welcomed, included and valued.

Whilst the primary goal was to fulfill our LSA, this program has strengthened our IRB community, provided opportunities to gain experience from our neighbouring clubs throughout the season and enabled Tamarama to focus on rebuilding its IRB team. We are beyond grateful for the seven guest drivers who supported Tamarama this season going above and beyond by giving more of their personal time to beachgoers safety. This has also built enduring training and patrolling connections with our neighbouring Clubs.

What has been achieved?

What were the aims and objectives achieved? Were there any challenges which needed to be overcome to achieve success?

This program had multiple objectives:

1. Our primary goal was to be able to fulfill our SLA by providing a rescue ready IRB on all our Saturday patrols this season and ensure beachgoer safety by having an IRB on duty as per our SLA.
2. Maintain the highest skill level of our IRB crew by giving them the opportunity to practise their crewing skills whilst on patrol with a range of IRB drivers.
3. Maintain and grow engagement of our IRB crew team as we continue to rebuild our overall IRB team strength through an organised and supported program rather than a reactive approach
4. Prevent burn out and volunteering fatigue of our three remaining drivers by eliminating the requirement of the team to patrol and train new members every weekend.

The challenges we faced:

1. IRB drivers are rare and valued members in the wider SLS community, they are already in high demand in their home clubs.
2. Collaborating with drivers who had the confidence and skills to drive in Tamarama's often exceedingly difficult conditions.

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- 3. Building guest drivers trust in operating Tamarama's gear and equipment.
- 4. Driver and Crew's ability to quickly build rapport and trust in each other's skills and ability.

What impact has this had, and for whom?

How was the program/innovation evaluated to ensure it achieved its aims and objectives?

Thanks to the support of our seven guest drivers we were able to provide rescue ready IRB on all our Saturday patrols as per our SLA. Having the operational peace of mind enabled Drew and Richard to focus on training new crew members throughout the season, running two cohorts of five trainees each. Again, the support of our guest drivers proved to be critical. We could not have run those training courses with only three drivers, who are also required to patrol every weekend.

Having a driver on each patrol enabled our current crewies to continue to upskill, with five of them about to start their driver course as soon as the patrolling season ends. Season 2023-24 will be a record year for the Tamarama IRB team, training **ten** new IRBC and **five** IRBD, **doubling** the size of our IRB team.

This was possible as current Tamarama IRBD were not patrolling every weekend and could dedicate time to the various steps required to deliver such training: planning, recruiting, coordinating drivers to participate in training sessions, running the session etc.

Beyond that, it has tightened our IRB community along the coastline and ensured beachgoers safety during patrols.

AOE Club of the Year Nomination

Tell us about the club.

Tamarama SLSC is a relatively small club. Yet our support to the Surf Life Saving (SLS) 2025 Strategic Plan has been very strong over the past season.

- 1. *Save Lives* – Despite its small size, Tamarama Beach is a demanding beach. 77 rescues were carried out this year, some in extremely challenging conditions. Crucially, cooperation, coordination and a good working relationship with Waverley Lifeguards have been critical to carry out some of these rescues and maintain the beach safe.
- 2. *Develop and Support People* – In the past season, key initiatives sustained the wellbeing and participation of our membership. The women and gender diverse social swims foster a culture of inclusivity and promote equality

and diversity in participation. These events have become a staple thanks to the indefatigable work of our inclusion and diversity working group. Tamarama SLSC has seen sustained growth in members seeking and achieving further roles within the surfclub. We particularly felt the need to sustain the Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) team in their endeavours to grow the team through the purchase of a new IRB hull designated for training. Thanks to the work of three consecutive IRB captains we have now a healthy cohort of IRB drivers and crew that can support our operations.

- 3. *Grow and Sustain Our Movement* – Over the past three years, Tamarama SLSC membership numbers have grown to record numbers despite the renovation delays that have left our members without a club house for three seasons. Our membership numbers have bucked state trends and instead of shrinking have been growing in a sustained way. We believe this is due to the incredible sense of belonging, diversity, tolerance and safety that the club developed over the past ten years. A source of pride is the now complete clubhouse. Practical completion is on track for the end of June after immense hurdles including a pandemic, a builder insolvency and serious defects. This is a testament to the incredible fundraising efforts and tenacity of our building committee over almost fifteen years.

- 4. *Engaging the Community* – Tamarama SLSC leadership in inclusivity and diversity are well known in the community as is our support for minorities such as LGBTQIA+ (Rainbow Beaches), migrants (Migrant Beach Day Programme) and indigenous communities (Holly Days Programme). This season we have established our Sustainability Committee to lead the way in how we can sustainably operate the new club house and our organisation and prioritize actions that are critical to our members.

What has been achieved?

Clubhouse Completion – A key achievement this year has been the completion of the clubhouse after fifteen years of hard work and commitment. The project achieved Development Consent in 2013 and, after five years of fundraising, construction commenced in 2019 to then be delayed by the pandemic, a builder insolvency and serious extensive defects uncovered by the new builder. The project is now finally complete. With our capital partner Waverley Council, we have overcome what has been an undoubtedly hard process through the extensive experience in development, construction and remediation of our building committee members. The support from our members was also critical: as president I have not received a single complaint during the building process, only words of support and encouragement.

Sustainability Committee – We believe Tamarama SLSC ought to be leading the way in sustainability education through good example. A new sustainability committee has been formed this year chaired by two professional sustainability experts. The terms of reference included a survey to gauge priorities for our membership and 'low hanging fruits' for immediate implementation such as the selection of 100% sustainable power supply through Diamond Energy and the successful grant application for solar power implementation.

Diversity and Inclusion – Diversity and inclusion initiatives are not new at Tamarama, but we continue to be leaders in support for women, support for LGBTQIA+ people and support for migrants. This year we have once again awarded our Kirsty Boden scholarship to an incredibly engaged participant who, low and behold, carried out a rescue on his first day of patrol. A well spent scholarship! Tamarama SLSC has had continuously the highest participation per capita in the Lifesavers with Pride initiatives and we keep supporting participation in Rainbow Beach as we believe a diverse membership is key to wellbeing, participation and retention.

New Financial Partnerships – The surfclub has established key partnership to sustain its financial operations into the future including a new partnership with Sculptures by the Sea for the use of the new clubhouse for their offices during the event, as well as new sponsorship agreements with club med for junior activities and easts leagues for capital renewal of the club house.

Child Protection – We have adopted early the SLSA Child Safe Policy and enacted safeguard measures before the policy came into being such as requesting all bronze candidates and renewing members to hold a valid Working with Children Check.

Why and how it has made a difference, and to whom?

A supportive, inclusive, diverse and safe club means so much to so many. The surfclub management committee strives to support initiatives that support our membership through budgeting and financial support. Participation in club decision making is also key and we promote participation at Management Committee (our board) meetings and consult membership on key aspects of our organisation such as our values and mission. The initiatives previously outlined are critical to support our membership wellbeing, sense of belonging and retention over the years. As obvious as it might sound, our volunteers are the reason we exist. Our record membership numbers, as well as higher than average satisfaction score in all metrics of the state survey, are evidence that a strong culture of inclusivity and diversity yields results. Our initiatives make a difference beyond our membership too. Through Migrant Days we have delivered surf awareness over the years to migrant communities and our

women and gender diverse events promote equality beyond the lifesaving movement. Lastly, we have delivered a new clubhouse that will support our operations but will also be a place for the community to come together through ongoing events such as the Wonderland Art Festival and many more regular community activities. We have developed and adopted a Good Neighbour Policy to ensure our operations do not impact on our immediate neighbours. This include offering associate membership to them and ongoing consultation and participation.

What are your plans for future development and continuous improvement?

The future is bright for Tamarama SLSC

Membership Retention and Satisfaction – We have now achieved a very good number of active patrol members and we are considering ways to create a better rostering system to mitigate burnout, especially for the IRB teams.

Sustainability – More work is scheduled for the sustainability working group including a supplier selection policy to guide us in selecting our partners and sponsors.

Inclusion and Diversity – Our events and programmes will continue to be exemplary and we will continue to lead the way in this this as we see this as critical to our future.

New paid support position – As our administrative obligations grow, we have identified the need of a part time paid position to support the Management Committee and prevent burnout and risk of non-compliances. Hall hire, and sponsorship revenue have been identified to financially support this role.

New Rules and New Constitution – The new constitution and by-laws have gone through extensive drafting and review and will be put to a vote at the next AGM in August 2024. This will enable the club to be governed in a more effective and agile way and will align Tamarama SLSC's governance to the current state requirements.

What is the ONE lesson that your club can teach and share with all other SLS clubs both here in Australia and internationally?

True diversity and inclusion are the basis of our success. They underpin our members' sense of belonging and in turn support their performance as lifesavers, educators and mentors. True diversity and inclusion start at the top by making space for them. Diversity and inclusion are the result of a long process and do not happen overnight.

Club Membership 2023–2024



Life Members – 105

Michael Alvisse	John Annand*	Brian Beer	Gregory Bell	John Bell
Steven Bell	Rob Brander	Graeme Brewer	George Brooke*	William Brooke*
Tom Brooks*	Ron Buist*	Michael Burke*	Ivan Butterworth*	Alec Cahill*
Des Carroll*	Wally Charles*	Arthur Cole*	Vince Cole*	Christopher Cooper
Paul Cooper	Gordon Corbould*	Ced Davis*	Peter Davis	Shay Deguara
Geoff Dellet*	Fred Denham*	Bob Deverall*	S Dewild*	James Doyle*
Ray Doyle*	Ken Eastment	Wayne Evans	Col Ferris*	John Fisher
Geoff Fowle*	Sandra Fox	David Fryer*	Edward Gillroy	Robert Gillroy*
Chris Glover	Neville Gray*	John Hall*	Sir Eric Hallstrom*	Jon Hancock
J Hann*	Robert Hann*	Brian Henry	Robert Hodgson	Phil Hogan
Ian Hopkins	Wal Horne*	Henry Hourihan	Vince Jackman*	Sue Jackson
David Jex*	Sid Joss*	Don Keech*	Les Lawrence*	Albert Levy*
Troy Longworth	Ronan MacSweeney	Robert Marrott*	Max Martin*	Jack Mayes*
Doug McDonell*	Alex McNab*	Geoff Mould	Ron Muller*	Ron Norman
Wal Norton*	Clive Owens OAM	Robert Parton*	Charles Philip*	Ernie G Philip*
George B Philip*	William Philip*	John Proctor	David Radford*	Les Rayne*
Allan Roberts	John Shand	Richard Sheldon*	William Shires	Richard Simpson
Margaret Simpson-Lee	Frank Smith	Neil Smith	Ken Stewart*	William Stewart*
Eric Tatnall*	Brian Tutil	Geoffrey Vaughan	Geoffrey Vincent	Guy Waddell
John Wardall*	Peter Wardall*	Neill Warren	B A Weir*	Ernie E Weir*
Dr John Weir*	Wilton Weir*	Bryan Williams*	Robert Wormleaton	Daniel Zafir

* Denotes member is deceased

Honorary Members – 4

Simon Exleton	Clr Marjorie O'Neil MP	Robert Talbott OAM	Joan Wardall*
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Long Service Members – 11

David Blamires	Megan Blamires	Mark Cassidy	Warwick Clout	Wayne Evans
Rex Hatton	Paul Martin	Neil McFarlane	Denis Paterson	Phillip Serjeant
Nicholas Spencer				

Reserve Active Members – 17

Daniel Adams	Jonathan Brett	Gary Driscoll	Timothy Gow	Sean James
David Lee	Adrian Lim	Andres Mafla Salgado	Mischee Mardardy	Ian Moate
Roger Moresi	Stephen Moynihan	David Murphy	Michael Signal	Robert Sparshott
David Speck	Mark Wilcox			

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Senior Active Members – 177

Robbie Adamiak	Andrew Addie	Mohammad Al-Shinnag	Simon Alperstein	Lachlan Andrew
Brett Appleton	Benedict Armitage	Agustin Arrieta	Steph Atkinson	Derek Bagatourian
Hayden Bagnall	Suzanne Ballard	Philippa Barr	Chris Barrett	Jack Batchelor
Sophie Batey	Charles Bell	Helen Bell	Caitlin Benedict	Cameron Berry
Dana Bledsoe	Lisa Bodrero	Mia Bridle	Kirsten Brighten	Chris Bromhead
Andrew Brooker	Lance Brooks	Caitlin Burley	Sergio Caicedo	Philip Capps
Sofia Casella	Younghwan Chang	Bradley Charters	Matias Cilloniz	Josh Clarke
Lachlan Clough	Shaun Cole	Navin Cooray	Sam Corbett	Jeffrey Coulter
Daniel Covarrubias	Michelle Cowans	Robert Crichton	Amy Croucher	Amelia Curtis
Lindsay Davidson	Arnaud de La Chaise	Olivier Delaruelle	Ric Deverell	Ben Doherty
Kimberley Doherty	Luke Exell	Elaine Faddis	Jody Fitchet	Matthew Fitzpatrick
Callum Foote	Joao Franco	Thomas Fraser	Robbie Frawley	Hugh French
Andrew Galvin	Imogen Gardam	Nicola Ghirardi	Albert Gillies	Harriet Gillies
Joshua Gold	Sarah Goodear	Jamie Gould	Ramon Guimaraes	Richard Hamilton
Jack Handford	Sarah Harmelink	Alexander Harrington	Marcus Harris	Vasilios Hatzis
David Head	Luke Hillier	Christian Holman	Marlin Hoppen	Hannah How
Isabel Hudson	Oliver Hunt	Michael Hutchings	Grace Hyde	Nathan Johnston
Sean Jungwirth	Stirling Keen	Merryn Kellie	David Kim	Eric Kleima
Brandon Kober-Brown	Sophie Langham	Mark Larmour	Madeleine Legoe	Marie Nathalie Lesage
Timothy Lisle-Williams	Mark Loong	Cameron Loughlin	Thomas Love	Prudence Lynch
Charlotte Mann	David Manser	Carrie Markel	Steven Martion	Gretchen Masters
James Masters	Zyra Mcauliffe	Liam McDermott	Paul McGivern	Kassandra McGregor
Emile McKenna	Meg McLellan	Iain Melhuish	Spenser Mestel	Stephen Ryan Meyer
Jared Millane	Claire Murphy	Timothy Murray	Matthew Napier	Harkiran Narulla
Zoe Neill	Hoa Nguyen	Daniel Nunez	Alice O’Toole	David Ogle
Murray Osborne	Robert Page	Nathan Parris	David Parsons	Annabelle Paterson
Ryan Paturzo-Polson	Matthew Phillips	Florent Polo	Alexandra Porter-Hepworth	Alice Powell
Samuel Preston	Jesse Price	Alberto Puls Cruz	Daniel Qualischefski	Lizzie Rae
Andrew Ragless	Paul Ranocchiari	Elissa Raptis	Erin Riley	Gerard Robb
Laura Roff	Aleksandar Rokic	Audrey Rollin	Sean Rubinsztein-Dunlop	Sidney Russell
Samuel Russo	Pedro Saa Matas	Matteo Salval	Zoe Scott-King	Kemper Shaw
Masaki Shibata	Brandon Signal	Michael Simms	Lauren Smith	Sam Stewart
Natalie Sutton	Sanzhar Tailakbayev	Duncan Taylor	Louise Thompson	Eamonn Tiernan
Isabella Van Stipriaan-Huik	Jemima Waddell	Scott Walker	Matthew Werner	Lucie Whatmore
David Wickstrom	Keely Wilson	Evangeline Winch	Camille Winston	Tim Wright
Francisco Xifra	Kate Young			

Junior Members (15–18 Years) – 17

Jake Beer	Hugo Cardonnel	Annabelle Charters	William Charters	Lucas Crabb
Eve Crichton	Millicent Debelles Hancock	Piers Galvin	Aaron Hodge	Liara King
Taneisha King	Lucinda Labi	Archie Llewellyn	Felix McGivern	Oscar Murray
Eve Prendeville	Harry Snow			

Cadet Members/Surf Rescue Certificate (13–15 Years) – 9

Liliana Capela	Maisie Crichton	Jade Deguara	Jude Jungwirth	Joseph Malev
Maxwell Ng	Finnigan O’Reilly	Kate Prendeville	Talia Truong	

Future Lifesavers In Training (Nippers and Pirates) – 128

Oscar Armstrong	Scarlett Armstrong	Heidi Barry	Jack Barry	Willa Barry
Zara Barry	Florence Basha	George Basha	Jack Buckley	Leonardo Bustos
Delilah Cahill	Holly Cairns	Artur Capela	Chloe Cho	Hugo Cho
Mila Clement	Diego Covarrubias	Paz Covarrubias	Finlay Crichton	Dylan Cugati
Beatrix Debelles Hancock	Amelie Deguara	Matilda Deguara	Angel DeVries-Roberts	Ashton Dickinson
Xavier Doherty	Felix Evans	Juno Evans	Zachariah Evans	Indigo Floch
Rocco Foy	Ondine Freeman	Otto Freeman	Luca Garcia-Rajapakse	Edward Gordon-Carr
Amelia Gow	Louise Gow	Benjamin Hedley	Rylan Hedley	Georgie Huggins
Lilly Ingram	Mikhala Ingram	Talia Ingram	Vasilisa Jankovic	Vladislavas Jankovic
Vookashin Jankovic	Max Johnson	Oliver Johnson	Joshua Johnston	Olivia Johnston
Rose Johnston	Samuel Johnston	Florence Jones	Harry Jones	Lola Jones
Winnie Jones	Leo Jungwirth	Veronika Kacunko-Lim	Harry Kalos	Isabella Kalos
Lola Killick	Raphael Killick	Neliah King	Anna Koucka	Leo Lambourne
Katie Li	Jasmin Livingston Adler	Oscar Llewellyn	Svana Lyer	Paloma Mallam
Aline Masters	Harriet McFadyen	Hugo McFadyen	Molly McFadyen	Gabriel Melhuish
Mark Meoli	Stella Miller	Cristian Montoya Nawakai	Lorenzo Montoya Nawakai	Beau Morrison
Giorgia Nesbitt	Anna Petru	Dan Petru	Charles Pilton	Clementine Pilton
Lukas Pokorny Murrant	Thiago Porta	Poppy Poyntz	Sam Poyntz	Florence Pritchard
Rafael Roumanous	Stellina Roumanous	Aria Scott	Evan Scott	Felix Shoebridge
Chloe Simms	Oscar Simms	Apple Simpson	Billy Simpson	Chase Simpson
Jalara Simpson	Milo Simpson	Niarah Simpson	Nevaeh Smith	Emma Thevenet
Gabrielle Thevenet	Hugo Thevenet	Leon Tucker	Phoenix Tucker	Sonny Tulevski
Tama Tulevski	Vita Tulevski	May Vu Hong	Nine Vu Hong	Ruby Walker
Wanda Walker	Allegra Walsh	Imogen Walsh	Louis Walsh	Delilah Walters
Scarlett Walters	Lola Wardrop	Mae Wardrop	Jackson Williams	Lennox Yates
Saxon Yates	Xavier Yates	Lucy Zordan-Jack		



Associate Members – 79

Colin Armstrong	Priya Balasubramanian	Andrew Barry	Nick Barry	James Basha
Verane Bonal	Jeanine Bribosia	Pamela Buckley	Marcus Cahill	Matthew Caine
Mark Cairns	Canna Campbell	Clare Campbell	Joe Cho	Nicolas Clement
Claire Crichton	Marijn Cugati	Guy Dickinson	Lara Dickinson	Jared Evans
Chelsea Fisher	Roland Flesch	Edwina Floch	Ben Forsyth	Philip Freeman
Bianca Gallifuoco	Mei Ge	Nathan Hedley	Michael Huggins	Maria Hurtado
Kim Isaacs	Phillip Janis	Inna Jankovic	Nicole Johnson	Brooke Johnston
Christopher Johnston	Dr Peter-Wyllie Johnston	Peter Johnston	Angus Jones	Daniela Kacunkova
Jemima Kalos	Annette Keay	Nina Krstic	Tess Lambourne	Jesse Leeson
Andrew Lim	Jodie Livingston	Veronika Marvanova	Angus McFadyen	Carolina Meoli
Jessica Middleby-Clements	Antony Miller	Jo Miller	Chris Morrison	Peter Murrant
Monica Nesbitt	Michelle Ng	Mark O'Reilly	Martin Petru	Brooke Pilton
Dominic Poyntz	Niall Prendeville	Imogen Price	Yosanta Rajapakse	Tracy Rockwell
Astrid Scott	Simon Shoebridge	Christina Simms	Sebastien Thevenet	Phat Truong
Cleopatra Tucker	Celia Tulevski	Michael Turner	Irene Ulman	Thi Vo
Samuel Walker	Andrew Walsh	Tamra Wardrop	William Wolfenden	



Major Award Winners

Season	E. E. Weir	John Kelly	Major Ripley	Sandra Fox
1993–1994	J Lackey	P Hogan	C Smith	
1994–1995	W Clout	R Sheldon	M McAfee	
1995–1996	M Perry	D Radford	A Vass	
1996–1997	M Perry	M Perry	M Walton	
1997–1998	N Warren	D Radford	J Lackey	
1998–1999	I Hamilton	P Hogan	W Clout	
1999–2000	I Hamilton	W Evans	M Walton	
2000–2001	R Wade	N Warren	P Walshe	
2001–2002	R Wade	R Brander	P Walshe	
2002–2003	M Corke	A Stevenson	R Scott	
2003–2004	D Bosomworth	S Birch	A Stevenson	
2004–2005	S Birch	R Brander	S Deguara	
2005–2006	N Warren	P Hogan	S Deguara	
2006–2007	D Zafir	P Hogan	M Simpson-Lee	
2007–2008	C Glover	C Nisbet	M Simpson-Lee	
2008–2009	J Leung	R Hatton	S Jackson	
2009–2010	R Hatton	P Plesums	J Turner	
2010–2011	T Bodger	J Leung	J Turner	
2011–2012	T Longworth	C Nisbet	Not Awarded	
2012–2013	G Sharratt	K West	T Goyarzu	
2013–2014	M Turner	D Turner	F Lynch	
2014–2015	D Adams	P Capps	D Adams	
2015–2016	A Blenkinsop	Not Awarded	M Simpson-Lee	
2016–2017	M Tamasy	C Glover & Patrol 11	M Simpson-Lee	J Miller
2017–2018	E Pietsch	H French	M Simpson-Lee	H Love
2018–2019	M Tamasy	P Connors	M Simpson-Lee	M Cowans
2019–2020	M Cowans	M Salval	M Simpson-Lee	N Schlitz Welsh
2020–2021	M Cowans	R Hamilton	M Simpson-Lee	L Bodrero
2021–2022	R Hamilton & M Cowans	D Bagatourian	G Robb	Z Scott-King
2022–2023	A Addie	L Brooks	G Robb	Z Scott-King
2023–2024	M Salval & T Wright	A de la Chaise	A Addie, J Price, B Signal & T Wright	L Bodrero

Club Trophies 2023–2024

Season	President's		George Bishop	Ted Wardall	Guy Waddell	'EE' Pop Weir Trophy for Club Member of the Year
1996–1997			Not Awarded	N Gallagher	Not Awarded	Matteo Salval and Tim Wright
1997–1998			P Serjeant	T Vernados	Not Awarded	Founding member of Tamarama SLSC and the original "Mayor of Tamarama". Holder of key management committee roles and Patron – the trophy was initiated when he was patron of the Club. This is the award for someone who has given it their all in the patrolling season, and has made a substantial contribution to the club. It is the most prestigious award the club can bestow on someone in a year.
1998–1999	Male		G Debelle	E Fletcher	E Fletcher	
1999–2000			R Wade	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
2000–2001			M Corke	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
2001–2002	Male		I Hamilton	R Evans	R Evans	
	Female		E Meagher			
2002–2003	Male		I Hamilton	M Drennan	M Drennan	
	Female		E Meagher			
2003–2004	Male		Not Awarded	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
2004–2005	Male		S Birch	M Drennan	Not Awarded	
	Female		S Snow			
2005–2006	Male		S Birch	M Gallagher	M Gallagher	
	Female		S Snow			
2006–2007	Male		C Glover	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
	Female		M Simpson-Lee			
2007–2008	Male		C Glover	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
	Female		M Simpson-Lee			
2008–2009	Male		C Glover	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
	Female		P Ardlie			
2009–2010	Male		C Glover	D Bowring	Not Awarded	
	Female		M Tjhin			
2010–2011	Male		J Turner	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
	Female		D Morley			
2011–2012	Male		J Turner	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
	Female		J Davies			
2012–2013	Male		R Hatton	Not Awarded	A Lawther	
	Female		P Ardlie			
2013–2014	Male		J Turner	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
	Female		D Morley			
2014–2015	Male		G Waddell	L McArthur	Not Awarded	
	Female		S Fox			
2015–2016	Male		T Longworth	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
2016–2017	Male		G Waddell	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
2017–2018	Male		I Hopkins	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
2018–2019	Female		J Miller	Not Awarded	Not Awarded	
2019–2020	Male		R Hamilton	O Hunt	Not Awarded	
2020–2021	Male		J Collins	W Forest & W Lenard	Not Awarded	G Waddell
2021–2022	Male		M Turner	A Llewellyn	Not Awarded	M Salval
2022–2023	Female		C Mann	T King	Not Awarded	D Murphy
2023–2024	Female		Z Scott-King	W Charters & O Hunt	Not Awarded	B Charters & J Miller

Les Lawrence Trophy for Club Spirit
Bella Van Stipriaan-Huik
Les was a long time Patron of the Club and the nicest man the Club has ever produced. This award is for a member who has shown true Tama spirit.

John Wardall Trophy for Life Saving Instruction
Tim Wright

Dave Fryer Trophy for Outstanding Surf Rescue
Younghwan (Alex) Chang and Richard Hamilton
Dave Fryer was Club Captain of the early 70's and a true Life Saver and leader. This award is for an individual or group that performed an outstanding rescue demonstrating skill in the protection and preservation of life – consideration should be given to the following qualities in executing the rescue: courage, team work, difficult conditions, use of higher level surf lifesaving skills.

President's Award for Service to the Club
Zoe Scott-King

Club Captain's Trophy
Drew Davidson

Chief Instructor's Award for Best Bronze Medallion Candidates
Amy Croucher (Spring)
Nat Lesage and Prue Lynch (Summer)

Top Gun Award (most hours in a season)
Ce Benedict

Sandra Fox Woman of the Year
Lisa Bodrero
In honour of the first female club captain at Tamarama this award is presented to a female club member who has given outstanding service to the club in the past 12 months.

Guy Waddell Award for Outstanding Dedication and Selfless Service – Five+ Years Member
Brad Charters and Jo Miller
This award goes to that person who , like its namesake, gives of themselves to the service of the club, quietly, humbly and always with time for others. It is obvious how passionate this person is about Tamarama SLSC and we recognise their continued service to the club.

Special 2024 Award: Significant Contribution to Club Longevity and Vitality Award
THE BUILDING COMMITTEE
Richard Hamilton, Ronan MacSweeney, Matteo Salval and Mike Turner

Club Financial Report

THE FINANCIAL REPORTS WILL BE TABLED AT THE AGM



SOME OF THE 2023-2024 SEASON CLUB TROPHY WINNERS CELEBRATE.
Back row: Jessie Price, Drew Davidson, Oliver Hunt, Arnaud de la Chaise and Wil Charters
Middle row: Richard Hamilton, Lisa Bodrero, Andrew Addie, Prue Lynch, Brandon Signal and Finnigan O'Reilly
Front row: Matteo Salval, Younghwan (Alex) Chang, Amy Croucher, Bella Van Stipriaan-Huik, Jo Miller, Brad Charters and Tim Wright
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Ross Curtis (2024)
Justin Metcalfe (2024)

And to all those who have lost family or friends during the past season, the Club offers our sincerest condolences.

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