

PORT FAIRY SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

Keeping our beach safe for the community

Annual Report
2021/22



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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President

Adam McCosh

Vice President

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Administration Manager

Abbie Artis

Finance Manager

James Kelly

Lifesaving Manager

Mick McGoldrick

Development Manager

Nicole Dwyer

Surf Sports Manager

Andrew Lehne

Chief Instructor

Shaun Murrhiy



OFFICE BEARERS

LIFESAVING COMMITTEE

Mick McGoldrick
Martina Murrihy
Peter Artis
Leonie Boyd
Dean Dwyer
Helen Finnigan
Danny Van Engelen
Rachael McMahon
Ted Phillips
Scott Hetherington
Steven Watty

ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

Abbie Artis
James Kelly
Paul Nash
Ilona Carson
Lucy Lehne
Peter Artis
Nicole Dwyer
Paul Buchanan
Bree Ryan
Tara Trickey
Ian Powell
Melinda Kemp

DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

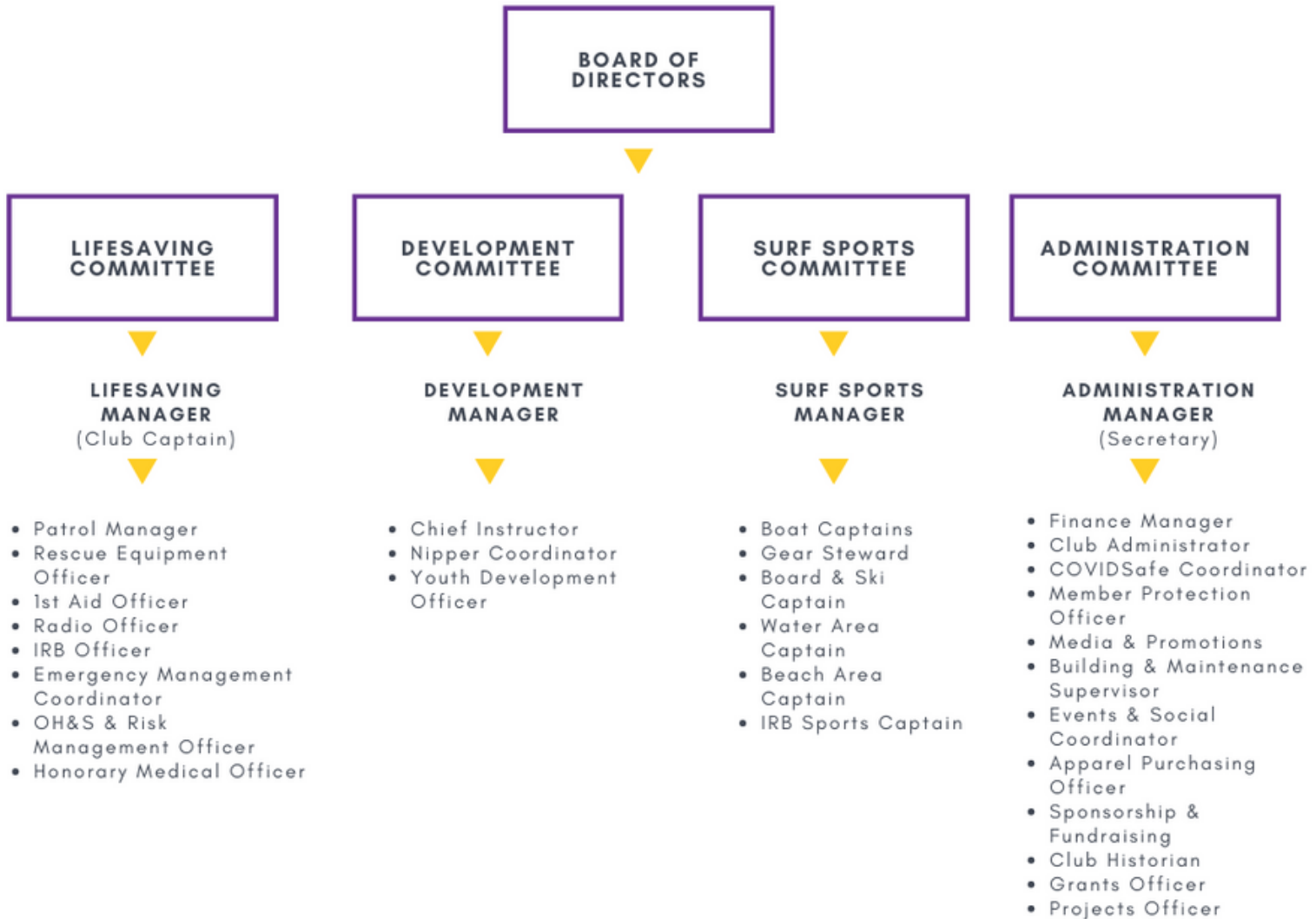
Nicole Dwyer
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Lucy Lehne
Helen Finnigan
Danny Van Engelen
Mick McGoldrick

SURF SPORTS COMMITTEE

Andrew Lehne
Brooke Green
Greg Dalton



CLUB STRUCTURE





PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The Port Fairy Surf Life Saving Club has a proud and established history serving the Port Fairy community on the sands of the Pyipagil Gundidj for over 98 years and this year, our 2021/22 season, was one of our safest on record thanks to our amazing volunteer lifesavers. First aid incidents were down 21% with our patrolling team providing an increase in patrolling hours to over 3000 hours this year! A 13.15% increase on last season. What an incredible volunteer service we have provided to the local community.

Also this year we have seen the continuing amazing success of our Nippers program, the swim series with increased participation numbers, our surfboat crews winning medals and our ever popular summer Duck Derby yet again being another great success for our Club!

Combined with these amazing efforts from our volunteers, our Board of Directors are even prouder to present a strategic direction to our members that we have been working hard on since last year

Our Strategic Plan has been developed by our newly shaped Board of Directors, with input from many of our 700+ members, to assist us in shaping the future direction and priorities for our Club. It aims to not only set the overarching direction for the Club's management for the next five years, but also provide a long-term strategic vision to guide the Club further into the future.

This means there is a lot to look forward to in the next five years, and lots of work to be done.



We will identify and prioritise new clubhouse projects, celebrate our 100th anniversary serving the community, build on our patrolling member base and provide more opportunities for our members to learn, socialise and better connect with one another. We will also engage with key stakeholders to safeguard our facility and adapt our operations to address the challenges of our changing environment.

Our strategic plan aims to reinvigorate the Club through a focused vision, strategic framework and direction to guide priorities aligned to the strategy. It is vital that we continue to develop and maintain an active membership base and provide more opportunities for participation, development and socialisation for the growth and sustainability of our Club, all while maintaining our primary focus on keeping our beach safe for the community.

Finally, I would like to acknowledge our Board (Abbie Artis, Nicole Dwyer, James Kelly, Mick McGoldrick, Shaun Murrhly and Andrew Lehne,) together with John Dalton and Bree Ryan for their hard work in developing the strategic plan. I also commend the Board on their absolute commitment and excellence in their roles this year. In addition, their excellence could not have been achieved without the amazing help and dedication of the various committees that work with them. Thank you once again.

We take great pride in our role within the life saving movement and local community and I can't wait to see everyone's smiling faces again in the 2022/23 season.

President
Adam McCosh



AWARD WINNERS

President's Award

Abbie Artis

SFR Hedditch Memorial Trophy

Club Person of the Year

Lucy Lehne

Mick McGoldrick

Pickles Maloney Perpetual Trophy

Lifesaver of the Year

Bree Ryan

Anthony Dixon

Tracey Trimby Cup

Best Cadet (13 - 15 yrs)

Adam Lee

Boyce Le Coutier Award

Best Junior (15 - 18 yrs)

Grace McPherson

Champion Nipper

Adam Lee

Graham Woodrup Memorial Award

No nominations received

Michael Lockett Memorial Trophy

Most Patrol Hours

Andrew Lehne

Moyneyana Ocean Swim

Fastest Club Members

Annabelle Bamford

Mark Collette



AWARD WINNERS

Patrol Captains Awards

Patrol 1 - Liam Kelly

Patrol 2 - Scott Cooper

Patrol 3 - Brad Mullins

Patrol 4 - Lucy Lehne

Patrol 5 - Adam Lee & Declan Kelly

Jr Club Champions

Lorna Stokie Memorial Trophy, Junior Female - Kirra Beardsley & Bella Rayner

Stokie Family Perpetual Trophy, Junior Male - Toby Watkinson

Open Club Champions

K Brennan & J McCarthy Shield, Open Female - Tara Trickey

Manniche Family Shield, Open Male - Andrew Lehne

Masters Club Champions

Female - Tara Trickey

Male - Andrew Lehne

Patrol Hours Awards - Cadets

Female Winner - Eadie Gleeson - 34.5 hrs

Female Runner Up - Bella Rayner - 32.0 hrs

Male Winner - Adam Lee - 47.5 hrs

Male Runner Up - Jamieson Mueglitz - 44.3 hrs

Patrol Hours Awards - Junior Active

Female Winner - Grace McPherson - 42.0 hrs

Female Runner Up - Lekaya Carson - 39.5 hrs

Male Winner - Declan Kelly - 49.5 hrs

Male Runner Up - Fionn McGoldrick - 43.0 hrs

Patrol Hours Awards - Senior Active

Female Winner - Lucy Lehne - 105.0 hrs

Female Runner Up - Nicole Dwyer - 87.5 hrs

Male Winner - Andrew Lehne - 115.3 hrs

Male Runner Up - Dean Dwyer - 84.5 hrs



LIFESAVING COMMITTEE

Lifesaving Committee

Lifesaving Manager (Club Captain) -	Mick McGoldrick
Patrol Manager -	Martina Murrhiy
Rescue Equipment Officers -	Dean Dwyer
	Danny Van Engelen
1st Aid Officer -	Helen Finnigan
Radio Officers -	Leonie Boyd
	Rachael McMahan
IRB Officer -	Peter Artis
Emergency Management Coordinator -	Scott Hetherington
OH&S & Risk Management Officer -	Ted Phillips
Honorary Medical Officer -	Steven Watty

Emergency Management Call Out Crew

Scott Hetherington	Nicole Dwyer
Adam McCosh	Bob Beekhoff
Peter Artis	Paul Buchanan
Dean Dwyer	Shaun Murrhiy
Leonie Boyd	





LIFESAVING MANAGER'S REPORT

2021/22 has been another successful season. As we emerged tentatively from the pandemic and opened up, our wonderful team of volunteers ensured a safe and happy season for all visiting patrons. This season was longer than normal due to patrolling requirements from LSV extending to Anzac Day weekend. Patrolling numbers were strong for the season with new BM holders and a fresh crop of SRC's joining our established patrolling members. This season saw us extend our patrolling groups to five with Anthony Dixon stepping up to the role of Patrol Captain, joining Helen Finnigan, Sami Zehir, Danny Van Engelen and Adam McCosh. As a club we completed a total of 3019 patrol hours, which is a credit to each and every one of you who turned up during the season. We also received a snap audit from LSV during the season. Our crew passed with flying colours receiving 1000 points out of 1000.

Our stats for the season were:

- Patrolling Members: 108
- Patrol Hours: 3,019
- Beach Attendance: 13,907
- Preventative actions: 156
- Minor 1st Aids: 15

This season also saw our second Pink Patrol. Pink Patrol seeks to celebrate and highlight the contribution to our Club by all our female members, to promote gender equality, to increase the number of women on patrol, to provide positive role models for future generations and to create an environment that encourages networking and positive, supportive relationships.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our Patrol Captains - Danny Van Engelen, Helen Finnigan, Adam McCosh, Anthony Dixon and Sami Zehir as well as Assistant Captains Shaun Murrhy, Dean Dwyer, Bob Beekhof and Scott Hetherington for their tireless work throughout the season.

Valuable training opportunities with Marine Rescue popped up again this season including the Moyneyana Ocean Swim and training with the Air Ambulance.

Pete Artis again oversaw the maintenance and running of the IRBs. Pete is an extremely knowledgeable and proactive member in ensuring our most valuable lifesaving assets are in working order at all times. Pete also took on the role of Maintenance Officer within the club.



Ted Phillips took on the role of OH&S officer this year. Ted brings a wealth of knowledge to the role and continues to advise us on our OH&S obligations. Leonie Boyd & Rachael MacMahon continued to ensure our radios are maintained to a high professional standard. Helen Finnigan continued again this year as First Aid Officer. Helen ensured our first aid room and supplies met LSV's high level of standard.

Our Rescue Equipment Officers were Dean Dwyer & Danny Van Engelen. Dean and Danny maintained our patrol rescue equipment throughout the year, ensuring that all our equipment is fit for purpose and ready for use as and when needed. They also procured 6 additional rescue boards and an additional Defib for the start of next season.

Scotty Hetherington is our Emergency Management Coordinator. Scott maintains our Emergency Callout team and keeps them fighting fit and ready for action at very short notice. Our call out crew have attended several incidents over the last year, including the rescue of a 400kg turtle trapped in netting off Killarney. We are hopeful that training opportunities continue to present themselves in the off season for the call out team with Marine Rescue, Victoria Police and Ambulance Victoria.

Martina Murrphy has continued as Patrol Manager, producing and maintaining our patrol groups and rosters. This is no simple task. The entire recording process was changed this past season with very little notice or support. Registering hours and managing patrol lists will continue to be streamlined in future with electronic recording and we continue to look for ways to improve. Thank you again for supporting me with these arduous tasks.

To Steve Watty, our Honorary Medical Officer, thanks for agreeing to be there as an important resource for our Club.

To our Life Saving Committee - Pete, Dean, Martina, Ted, Leonie, Rachael, Danny, Steve & Scotty, thank you for all you do in the pivotal roles you fill and in making this Club what it is. Your professionalism and commitment make it a pleasure to be involved with Port Fairy SLSC. Hopefully you will all put your hands up again next season and we can all continue to take our Club to new heights.

Club Captain
Mick McGoldrick



LIFESAVING STATISTICS AND HOURS

100+ PATROL HOURS

Andrew Lehne - 115.25

Lucy Lehne - 105

75+ PATROL HOURS

Nicole Dwyer - 87.5

Dean Dwyer - 84.5

Bree Ryan - 76.9

Adam McCosh - 76.6

50+ PATROL HOURS

Mick McGoldrick - 67.5

Martina Murrhiy - 66

Abbie Artis - 61

Helen Finnigan - 60.5

Shaun Murrhiy - 58

Fiona McCosh - 57.75

Anthony Dixon - 54.25

Elle Seath - 52.5

Amy Cooper - 51.75

Danny Van Engelen - 50.5



35+ PATROL HOURS

Ted Phillips - 49.75

Declan Kelly - 49.5

Liam Kelly - 49.5

Angela Hipwell - 47.5

Adam Lee - 47.5

Susan Adamson - 47.5

Linda McPherson - 46.5

Ilona Carson - 46.25

Jamieson Mueglitz - 44.25

Liam McGoldrick - 44

Fionn McGoldrick - 43

Scott Cooper - 42.5

Grace McPherson - 42

Peter Artis - 41.25








Robert Lang - 40

Lekaya Carson - 39.5

Bradley Mullins - 35.5

Ewan Haldane - 35

Paul Buchanan - 35

Categories	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	12 Month change
 Beach Attendances	14692	24202	13907	-42.54%
 Preventive Actions	149	85	156	83.53%
 Minor First Aids	33	19	15	-21.05%
 Major First Aids	1	0	0	N/A
 Rescues	0	1	0	N/A
 Patrol Hours (members)	2018.08	2668.78	3019.76	13.15%
 Average Hours Per Active Member	22.18 hours per member	28.09 hours per member	30.81 hours per member	9.69%



ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

Administration

Administration Manager (Secretary) -
 Club Administrator -
 COVIDSafe Coordinators -
 Member Protection Officer -
 Media & Promotions Managers -
 Building & Maintenance Supervisor -
 Events & Social Coordinator -
 Club Historian -
 Projects Officer -

Abbie Artis
 Paul Nash
 Tara Trickey & Mel Kemp
 Ilona Carson
 Nicole Dwyer & Abbie Artis
 Peter Artis
 Lucy Lehne
 Ian Powell
 Paul Buchanan

Finance

Finance Manager (Treasurer) -
 Apparel Purchasing Officer -
 Fundraising Coordinator -
 Shipwreck Coast Swim Series Coordinator -
 Sponsorship Coordinator -
 Grants Officer -

James Kelly
 Nicole Dwyer
 Lucy Lehne
 Lucy Lehne
 Nicole Dwyer
 Bree Ryan



ADMINISTRATION MANAGER'S REPORT

I would like to extend a heartfelt thanks to every single member of the 2021/22 Administration Committee. This amazing group of people have worked extremely hard, largely behind the scenes, putting in countless hours to help our Club and it's members thrive.

Although the year had it's ups, downs and uncertainties, I am proud of what our committee has been able to achieve. This season we have largely been focused on solidifying our reporting & communication, streamlining our processes, increasing our use of online technologies and improving our internal documentation. It is hoped that these changes not only result in improved member experiences, but also serve to reduce our volunteer workload and provide role clarity for future committee members.

The 2021/22 season saw four new members join the Administration Committee - James, Tara, Mel & Bree. I would like to thank them for putting their hands up & taking their involvement with the Club to a new level. I hope you all found it rewarding.

To those committee members who returned to their roles for yet another season, a massive thanks. Many of you wear more than one hat in our Club, and I am extremely appreciative & grateful for all the time and energy you give, and all the positive support you continue to provide to me.

I also wish to acknowledge and thank Paul Nash, our Club Administrator, for his tireless efforts. As our committee continues to implement changes and improvements, and as we adjust to evolving SLSA & LSV technologies, processes & protocols, Paul's work in keeping our ship on a steady course is much appreciated.

I encourage everyone to consider taking on a role within our Club. We have a wide variety of roles needing a varying range of skill sets, so if you have some time to give, please put up your hand. It is satisfying, rewarding and really makes a difference!

With our Strategic Plan to guide us and a positive group of willing volunteers on the Board and on our Club Committees, I feel certain that great things are in store for our Club and it's members in the coming years.

Secretary
Abbie Artis





FINANCE MANAGER'S REPORT

2022 has been another financially successful year for our club. COVID has impacted all aspects of the community however our finances remain strong as we move forward to hopefully more normal business conditions.

Thank you to Paul Nash for his continued excellent work with bookkeeping and accounting. This is our first full financial year using the Xero accounting software, which is helping reduce the need for hardcopy documents and making it easier to share information. Thank you also to our auditor Felicity Melican at Sinclair Wilson, her guidance throughout the year should make the end of year audit relatively quick and painless!

Regarding the audit we have moved the date of our AGM to September, which will allow the financial audit to be complete and presented at the AGM.

The strategic planning process has provided important guidance for the Club's finances. The plan will help us identify short and long term expenditure goals, and then seek to match these to income sources, which includes the targeting of specific grants.

We continue to work closely with Charlies on East, who lease the restaurant area from our Club. Thank you to proprietor Bill Foran for his flexibility over the last 12 months, as we recognise hospitality as one sector most affected by COVID. We are pleased to offer members increased opportunities over the next 12 months to socialise at Charlies, both after patrols and for Club events.

I'm looking forward to seeing the progress our Club makes as we move forward with our strategic plan. See you on the beach!

Treasurer
James Kelly



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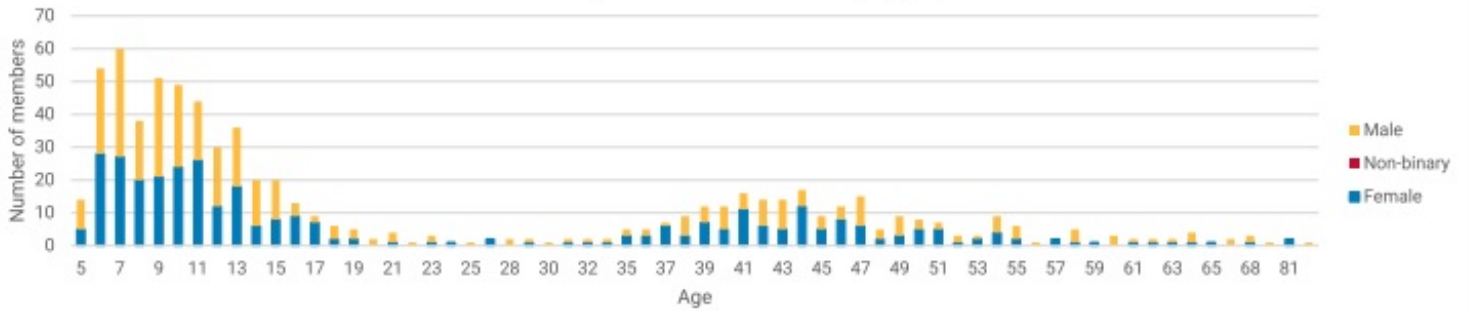
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VILLAGE BAKEHOUSE
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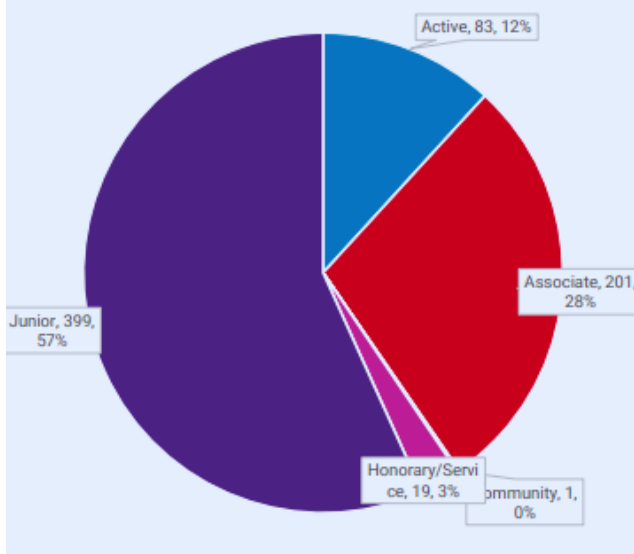
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MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS

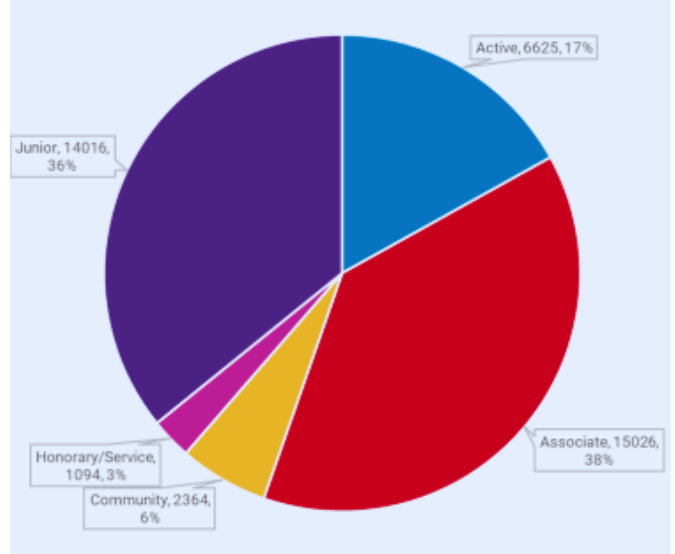
Port Fairy 2021/22 Membership by Age



Port Fairy 2021/22 Categories



Victorian 2021/22 Categories



Categories	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	12 Month Growth
Junior Activity Members	403	399	374	-6.27%
Cadet Members (13-15)	40	17	25	47.06%
Active (15-18)	24	39	31	-20.51%
Active (18+)	152	58	52	-10.34%
Life Members	18	18	17	-5.56%
Associates	87	199	116	-41.70%
Other	0	0	88	0.00%
Total Members	724	730	703	-3.70%



DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Development Manager -

Nicole Dwyer

Chief Instructor -

Shaun Murrhiy

Nipper Coordinator -

Nicole Dwyer

Assessors -

Paul Buchanan
Shaun Murrhiy

Training Officers -

Danny Van Engelen
Mick McGoldrick
Paul Buchanan
Lucy Lehne
Shaun Murrhiy
Helen Finnigan
Ilona Carson



DEVELOPMENT MANAGER'S REPORT

The Development Committee serves two main functions for our Club; training of members in a range of lifesaving awards, and Junior development. We aim to encourage participation and to ensure our patrolling members are well trained and highly qualified. Our committee is focused on providing more opportunities for our members to get involved and be a major part of the Club's future.

Throughout this season the Development Committee has worked closely with the Lifesaving Committee to ensure that our patrolling members have the skills and awards we need.

Despite the impact that COVID had on our ability to run award training programs, our Chief Instructor was able to organise several courses and opportunities which both added to our volunteer patrol numbers, and upskilled the patrolling members we have.

Our Development Committee encourages not only the participation of our younger members via our Nippers program, but also provides an avenue to further develop their surf life saving skills. Our Nippers program continues to attract high participant numbers and is well regarded around the state.

I want to thank Shaun Murrphy & his team of Trainers and Assessors for overcoming various obstacles again this season, and to all the helpers at Nipper, Cadet & Junior level, our Club is in a better place because of you all.

We hope season 2022/23 allows us more scope to offer training & development opportunities for all of our members, as we continue to develop and grow our great Club.

Development Manager
Nicole Dwyer





CHIEF INSTRUCTOR'S REPORT

Another busy season in the Training Department saw many awards gained by new & old members.

The year started with close to 90 participating in Skills Maintenance which then enables those members to patrol.

Not all take up the chance to be part of a patrolling group so there is a challenge coming up this season to get all involved in wearing the red & yellow.

We are very fortunate to have doctors, nurses & paramedics in our Club & I thank them for their guidance & help. Over the past two seasons they have been put under extreme pressure & whenever I have asked for assistance it is never a problem.

Paul Buchanan once again has been amazing with his knowledge & time & I look forward to his ongoing help.

Congratulations to those members who gained their SRC (Surf Rescue Certificate) & Bronze Medallion. We managed to get two groups of SRC through this season, the 2nd group being trained during Nippers sessions.

We aim to utilise our new Training Officers in the coming season; Danny & Lucy gained their TOC in the off-season.

The new ART/FA course organised by Paul was a great success; this award is recognised throughout Australia, and we hope to run more later in the year.














Once again I sincerely thank Martina for her patience & help, it makes my job so much easier.

Thanks everyone.

Chief Instructor
Shaun Murrhly



TRAINING & AWARDS

	Categories	No. of Candidates	% Completed	Courses Booked
	Surf Rescue Certificate	22	68.18%	2
	Bronze Medallion	18	94.44%	0
	Silver Medallion Beach Management	0	N/A	15
	Gold Medallion	0	N/A	0
	Radio Operator Certificate	0	N/A	0
	Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation	0	N/A	0
	First Aid	0	N/A	0
	Advanced Resuscitation Techniques	0	N/A	2
	Advanced Resuscitation Techniques and First Aid	16	100.00%	1
	All-Terrain Vehicle	0	N/A	0
	Inflatable Rescue Boat Crew	0	0.00%	0
	Inflatable Rescue Boat Driver	0	N/A	0
	Training Officer Certificate	0	N/A	0



NIPPER COORDINATOR'S REPORT

Our Nippers season was once again a success, with East Beach filled with nipper boards, volunteers, rescue boards, rescue tubes and smiles from ear to ear as the nippers learned & practiced their surf skills in the water and on the sand.

Planning for the season started very early in August 2021 with on-line meetings and collaboration between LSV and all the Victorian Surf Life Saving Clubs, to overcome the COVID unknowns. After many months of preparation our COVIDSafe Nipper Program commenced on 12th December, 2021 and concluded on 27th February 2022, with 13 sessions in total. Our Nippers totalled 399 across the various age groups, which was amazing considering the uncertain circumstances we were facing yet again.

We were blessed with perfect conditions for our sessions which contributed to the large numbers of enthusiastic youngsters taking part. East Beach was again a sea of pink, green and orange as our Nippers were joined by great numbers of both qualified and trainee water safety personnel.

Our Program

Throughout the season, our team of age managers, water safety and other volunteers ran 13 Nippers sessions. These sessions covered all of the prescribed theory and practical sessions required under the LSV Nippers program including;

- Basic first aid skills, including a CPR demonstration and hands-on practice
- Identifying rips and different types of waves
- Understanding the hazards on our beach
- Sun safety
- Signals
- Learning about lifesaving patrols
- Tour of club rooms

Most importantly, we also had the fun activities on the beach and in the water (which the Nippers all love) -

- Board paddling technique and races
- Swims - short and long
- Ironman / Ironwoman events (individual swim/run/board event)
- Aqua Cameron events (team events including wade/board/swim/run legs)
- Beach flags
- Beach sprints and relays
- Long beach runs

A special thanks must go to our Nipper Age Managers for their dedicated and energetic approach to our program. For those first timers who stood up when everyone else wouldn't, high five to you. For the old timers who have retained their enthusiasm and improved their skills each year, thanks to you too. I hope we can rely on many of you next season to both support and guide the kids but also to mentor the new volunteers as they come through.



NIPPER COORDINATOR'S REPORT

Age Managers

Under 6 Abbie Artis

Under 7 James Kelly

Under 8 Andrew Lehne

Under 9 Grace Macpherson

Under 10 Ed Thomas

Under 11 Mick McGoldrick

Under 12 Amy Cooper

Under 13 Greg Goode

Under 14 Linda McPherson & Denise Maguire

To the water safety crew, well we couldn't have done it without you. It all looks very nice out there on warm calm days with clear water but when it isn't postcard perfect, you certainly earn your free sausage. We've had a few kids coaxed and encouraged round the cans fighting their own fears. These kids would not have gotten round and back without you.

This season's champion Nipper award went to Adam Lee who was rewarded for a great year overall, including a dominant effort at our local club championships. (All other age results on the next page.)

Thanks to our set-up crew, merchandise stall volunteers, BBQ cooks and servers and to anyone that assisted our age managers, washed and put away boards and to anyone else that lent a hand on behalf of our Nippers THANK YOU.

We're still looking to fill a few spots next season and I'd love to see some new faces put their hand up to lend a hand. I've always said over the years of being involved in sporting clubs that MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK. We are always in need of more volunteers for various roles, so please reach out to us at nippers@portfairyslsc.com.au if you can assist in any way - whether it is on the beach, in the water, or behind the scenes helping us with social events, the BBQ, ordering supplies and various planning and administration type tasks.

Thanks to all members on the PFSLSC Board for your help and support. We can't wait to see you all again for our next 2022/23 Ripper Nippers Season!!



Nipper Coordinator

Nicole Dwyer





NIPPER AWARDS

	Under 8- Girls		Under 8- Boys
GOLD	Lottie Stuart	GOLD	Harrison Stenhouse
SILVER	Tilly Hetherington	SILVER	Jaxon Reichman
BRONZE	Lilly Roberts	BRONZE	Ari Taylor
		BRONZE	Conor Sheehan
	Under 9- Girls		Under 9- Boys
GOLD	Clare Haldane	GOLD	Angus Reid
SILVER	Freya Clift	SILVER	Charlie Green
BRONZE	Carter Quarrell	BRONZE	Luke Rayner
	Under 10- Girls		Under 10- Boys
GOLD	Ivy Condon	GOLD	Hugo Thomas
SILVER	Zia Taylor	SILVER	Seamus McDonald
BRONZE	Della Lonergan-Hrast	BRONZE	Royce Sheehan
	Under 11- Girls		Under 11 - Boys
GOLD	Lily Goodman	GOLD	Hugo Perrin
SILVER	Charlotte Versace	GOLD	Austin Price
BRONZE	Sophie Satchell	SILVER	Charlie Stenhouse
		BRONZE	Oscar Foran
	Under 12- Girls		Under 12- Boys
GOLD	Lexie Dwyer	GOLD	Lachlan Reid
SILVER	Lexi Lee	SILVER	Paddy Duus
BRONZE	Sophie Ryan	BRONZE	Lucas Harper
	Under 13- Girls		Under 13- Boys
GOLD	Ava Murrhly	GOLD	Riley Thompson
SILVER	Sarita Mueglitz	GOLD	Harrison Lu
BRONZE	Lola Payne	SILVER	Charlie Murray
		BRONZE	Max Dance
	Under 14- Girls		Under 14- Boys
GOLD	Sophie Spence	GOLD	Adam Lee
SILVER	Bella Rayner	SILVER	Sam Graham
SILVER	Pepper Bowes	BRONZE	William Sinnott
BRONZE	Maisie Henderson		

Overall Nipper Club Champion = Adam Lee

SURF SPORTS



COMMITTEE

Surf Sports Manager - Andrew Lehne
Boat Captains - Greg Dalton & Brooke Green
Gear Steward - Vacant
Board & Ski Captain - Vacant

Water Area Captain - Vacant
Beach Area Captain - Vacant
IRB Sports Captain - Vacant

MANAGER'S REPORT

Surf sports is a developing area of our Club, with varying opportunities for patrolling and non-patrolling members to be involved. The Club are working hard behind the scenes to grow and develop in this area and we encourage all members to reach out and show some interest in any of the Surf Sports areas of our Club. Here's what's been happening this year:

Surfboat Rowing

Firebirds - After an amazing season last year the Firebirds decided to take a break from competitive rowing. Still plenty of early morning training sessions and some new recruits, and by all reports Greg Dalton put them through some tough training sessions.

Shearwaters - The lads worked exceptionally hard during pre-season training, taking every opportunity to hone their skills and it certainly paid off. They had an impressive season, showing other clubs time and time again not to underestimate a small club like Port Fairy.

Feb - Victorian Surf Rowers League Carnival - Anglesea 4th Overall

Feb - Masters VIC Champs - Lorne - 2nd Place, taking home a Silver Medallion

Feb - Australian Surf Rowers League - Elouera NSW

Mar - Victorian Titles - Warrnambool - 3rd place in the final taking home a Bronze Medallion

April - Aussies - North Kirra Qld - Just missed out in the finals, placed 7th overall

Shearwaters

Dean Dwyer

Adam McCosh

Shaun Murrhiy

Scott Hetherington

Paul Buchanan (sweep)



The 2021/22 season has seen some new upcoming surf boat rowers that have been honing their skills with both of our superstar boatie crews. We look forward to seeing what our boaties get up to next season.

Aussies 2022

Special mention to Nicole Dwyer who, unable to sit still and spectate at the Aussies whilst there to support the Shearwaters, took on the Masters Beach Sprints. Nicole placed 2nd in her heat and made it through to the final. She ran a strong race in a very close final, finishing 5th overall, narrowly missing out on a podium position. Outstanding effort well done!

Club Championships

Generally held towards the end of the season, the Club Champs are an opportunity for patrolling members to battle it out in an epic, fun filled swim/board/run challenge to claim the title of Iron Man/Iron Woman. This year's event was a great all-inclusive day with all ages and abilities encouraged to have a go. Thanks to Lucy Lehne in Events for organising the day and thanks to Dean Dwyer for taking on Water Safety. It was also great to see some of our patrolling members children, the "Patrol Pups", get involved & have a go this year. A list of our Club Champions can be found on page 6.

Shipwreck Coast Swim Series

The PFSLSC once again hosted the 1st swim of the Shipwreck Coast Swim Series. A 1.2km ocean swim held in early January. Also offering a 500m swim, I would encourage everyone to think about giving this a go! East Beach put on her best for this year's event and a record number of participants took part. Well done to our members for not only swimming in the event but all those volunteers who work behind the scenes on the day to ensure our Club was well represented.

Swim Series Results - PFSLSC Swimmers

Melinda Kemp - Champion 60 + Super Veteran & 25th Overall

Jessica Condon- 27th Overall

Billy Sinnott - 39th Overall

Anna Jane Henderson - 43rd Overall

Amy Cooper - 52nd Overall

Danny Van Engelen - 57th Overall

Congratulations to these swimmers for completing all four swims!

My sincerest thanks to everyone who volunteers their time for our Club, not just in Surf Sports but across the many avenues in which our Club provides opportunities for everyone to be involved.

Stay salty!



Surf Sports Manager
Andrew Lehne

VALE - KEVIN CROUCH

LIFE MEMBER

1992

PRESIDENT

1986-87

1987-88

1988-89

VICE PRESIDENT

1985-86

SECRETARY

1982-83

1983-84

1984-85



THANK YOU FROM THE BOARD

The Board of Directors wishes to thank every single member of our Club for their dedication & participation in season 2021/22. As a Board we feel proud of the roles we play and privileged to serve this great Club, and we hope that each of you feel the same.

It is with a sense of excitement that we look forward to season 2022/23. With a Strategic Plan to guide and unite us, we feel certain that our Club will continue to go from strength to strength.

We look forward to seeing you all on the beach, in the water and around the Club!

