



# Mudjimba Surf Life Saving Club Newsletter

APRIL 2023

## PRESIDENTS REPORT – DARRIN EDWARDS.

### Easter wishes

With a big, busy Easter vacation period and Easter long weekend we would like to wish all our members a visiting public a safe, reflective, and enjoyable Easter holiday. Our vigilance and service on Mudjimba Beach is highly regarded by our community.

### Anzac Day

As with previous years Mudjimba SLSC will play an active role in the Mudjimba RSL Anzac Day services. We will have First Aid and club representatives at the Dawn Service and the Town March. We would love to have some people volunteer to march in the Town March if you are available, please contact us on [admin@mudjimbasurf.com.au](mailto:admin@mudjimbasurf.com.au) if you can represent our club to our community on the Anzac Day service.

Dawn Service is held in Power Park at 530am (assemble at 520)

The Town March assembles at Cottonwood Street at 1045 (assemble at 1030)



### MUDJIMBA FSLSC host the National Tour de Cure

It was wonderful to host the National Tour de Cure this month. These cyclists utilised our club as a meal break station on the tour from Sydney to Noosa whilst raising funds for cancer research.



**The Strategic Priorities for this Season remain as published.**

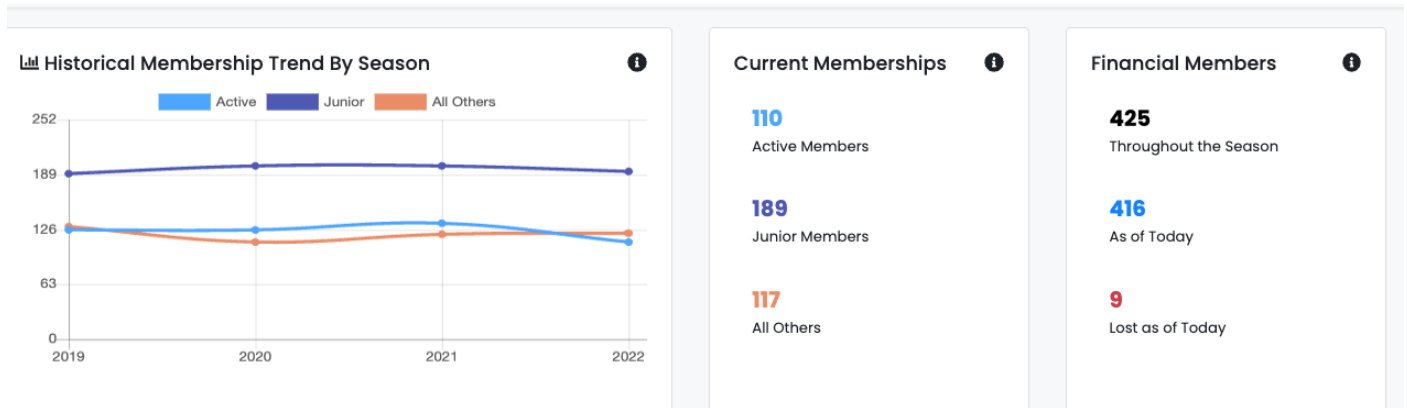
Your Board of Directors is focused on implementing the 2022-2025 Strategic Plan to guide our future developments and priorities. Our SLSQ Core Purpose is: Zero Preventable Deaths in Queensland public waters. We value: Leadership, Community, Safety, Trust, Respect and Teamwork. Our Clubs Goal is: To be a local community club, bringing safety and family friendly fun to all involved. Our priorities for the season are: Club Leadership succession planning; Open and transparent communication and decision making; Youth and member development; Full-time Administrative support for our club; Regular and timetabled surf sports team coaching and increased competition participation. We are still looking for passionate members who would take on being on a Social Committee to help organise a few more social events across the season.

**Mudjimba Spring Club Fundraiser**

A small group of members are organising a Mudjimba Spring Club Fundraising Event to coincide with the 2023-2024 season launch on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> September from 530pm – 1030pm. The Board discussed the proposal at last month’s Board Meeting and have given our support. Stay tuned for the premiere Mudjimba function details later in the year but put the date in your calendar now.

**Membership Update**

The current membership of our club continues to remain relatively stable (See Membership Dashboard for specific details).



The President's Challenge for this season was for every member to invite a new community member to join our club. Congratulations on those who have brought new members into our club. There is a new Bronze Medallion Course starting very, very soon so..... **My challenge is for every member to bring one new member to our club, have a go, many people are just waiting for a little bit of encouragement!!!**

### **SLSQ Branch 'Priority Club' Status/ SLSQ Life Membership**

A subgroup of Directors has been working on a SLSQ Questionnaire regarding Priority Club Status for Mudjimba SLSC. As a Board we strongly believe that smaller clubs need to receive priority support to ensure sustainability of the broader Life Saving organisation. The Board has also nominated Guy Tanner for SLSQ Life Membership for his outstanding service to our club, the Sunshine Coast Branch and SLSQ.

### **2022/2023 Season Awards Presentation and Annual Dinner**

We are after small band of members and executive to assist with organising the 2022-2023 Season's Awards Presentation Afternoon and Awards Presentation Dinner.

As with every event we host or organise, we value your feedback and input into future planning. Please discuss the implementation of last season's events and provide feedback back to your Board of Directors to allow them to provide member informed direction to our Social Committee for the upcoming season's events.

The Board has reviewed the Award structure for the 2022-2023 season but welcome any feedback to ensure a successful event. We will be recognising our own Guy Tanner and his Order of Australia Award at our Awards Functions this year so please make every effort to be in attendance. The Awards will be held on 27<sup>th</sup> May and the Evening Function will be a Cocktail evening to celebrate our season.

### **Key Dates for 2022-2023**

Patrol Season Final Date	1st May 2023
Awards Presentation	27 <sup>th</sup> May 2023
2022-2023 AGM	17 <sup>th</sup> June 2023
Mudjimba Spring Club Fundraising Event	2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2023



## **DEPUTY PRESIDENT – PHIL DANIELS**

Thank you to all members who gave up their time for the Mooloolaba Mile Water Safety. It was much appreciated.



## **DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION AND TRAINING – GUY TANNER**

An ART course has been scheduled for the 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> April – Wednesday and Thursday.

The next Patrol Captains course is planned for 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> May.

Bronze/SRC Courses are tentatively planned for August/September – dates to be confirmed.

Please email [training@mudjimbasurf.com.au](mailto:training@mudjimbasurf.com.au) if you are interested in any of these courses or call 0419 707 169.

Guy Tanner.  
Director of Education and Training

# DIRECTOR OF YOUTH AND MEMBER DEVELOPMENT – KAMEN BURNS

MUDJIMBA



## OCTOBER 2022

29 ~ HALLOWEEN HORROR MOVIE NIGHT (15+ as will be scary/gory)

## NOVEMBER 2022

11-13 ~ PULSE Advanced Lifesaving Program (18+)

12 ~ MUDJIMBA IS. BOARD PADDLE & SNORKLE (depending on weather)

24-27 ~ Leadership Excellence Program (18-30yrs)

27 ~ PAINTBALL 15+

## DECEMBER 2022

17 ~ CAROLS FOR CLUBBIES

## JANUARY 2023

9-11 ~ Camp Commando (U14-U15s)

29 ~ MT COOLUM WALK

## FEBRUARY 2023

18 ~ HIGH ROPES (height restrictions)

Date TBC ~ SLSA National Leadership College (18-30yrs)

## APRIL 2023

16 PM - BREAK UP AQUA FUN PARK

10-16 ~ Lifesaving Development Program (16-20yrs)

## MARCH 2023

24 PM ~ LAZER TAG

## MAY 2023

13-14 ~ YOUTH CAMP (HABITAT NOOSA)

Date TBC ~ Youth Ball (13-17yrs)

**UPDATED OFFICE HOURS FROM 11 APRIL 2023**



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<b>Monday</b>	<b>8:45am - 12:45pm</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>8:45am - 12:45pm</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>8:45am - 12:45pm</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>8:45am - 12:45pm</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>8:45am - 12:45pm</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Closed</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Closed</b>

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