



Welcome to what is now almost the start of season 21/22 with our first patrol of the season less than 1 month away. The new patrol roster has been posted in the Patrolling members Facebook group and can be found [here!](#) We recently had our Season 21/22 Annual General meeting at which we saw just a couple of changes. Notably we welcome Peter Cockerham to the role of Vice President, while Bruce Hosking has now taken on the role of Club house Manager. Thank you to all who nominated for the many large volunteer roles with in the club, we look forward to another successful season.

Diary Dates

Sat 18th Sept- Annual Brighton Club Dinner

Sunday 26th Sept – Come&Try IRB Crewing (Youth and Female Moana Beach

Sat Oct 9th- Patrol Season 21/22 Commences

Sun Oct 10th - Current Nipper pre-season registration and swim proficiencies (weather pending) 2pm

Sat 16th Oct- Nippers 21/22 begins 1.30pm

Sat 23rd-Sun 24th Oct- State Board Riding Champs location TBA

Sun 31st Oct- Kozii Enduro (under 12s-Masters) Westlakes

Sat 6th Nov OR Sun 7th Nov- Surf Boat Carnival location TBA

Sat 20th OR Sunday 21st Nov- Junior Branch Carnival location TBC

Sun 28th Nov- SA Surf League, Round 1 South Coast Venue TBC 10am-12.30pm

Fri Dec 3rd -Sun Dec 5th – Australian Pool Rescue Champs, Gold Coast

Sat Dec 4th – Senior Water and Surf Boat Carnival Robe

Come and Try Brighton Nippers

Starting Sat 16 October, 1.30pm - 3.30pm

The first 2 come & try sessions are free
Children 5 to 14 years of age
Season runs from October to March
Participation, Competition and Community
See you on the beach!

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Nipper Start Date

By now many of you will have seen that our Nipper season will start on October 16th, kicking off with two free come and try sessions. Please feel free to spread the word to all, it would be great to see many new nippers joining us this season.

This year, for something a little different, we are inviting our current nipper families to come down to the club on Sunday October 10th from 2pm to register prior to the season start. Weather pending, we will also conduct competition swim proficiencies. Please feel free to stay at the club when the bar opens at 3pm and start getting excited about the coming season.

Congratulations Michelle

Congratulations to Brighton Member Michelle Blewitt on her very prestigious nomination of Pelzer Prize, Green Heroes, featured recently in The Advertiser. Michelle is a prominent face around our club as she is a prolific volunteer, particularly in our junior division.

Michelle has recently joined the Environment Advisory Committee for Surf Life Saving South Australia where we know she will make terrific contributions.

Youth High Performance Squad

Congratulations to the following nippers and Youth who have been invited to join the Youth High Performance Squad:

- U13 Eden Brown
- U13 Mitchell Carr
- U13 Benjamin Maher
- U13 Nelson Meehan
- U13 Grace Norman
- U13 Hunter Wood



- U14 Louis Aberline
- U14 Joseph Corbett
- U14 Holly Fanning
- U14 Isabella Notridge
- U15 Lucinda Carr
- U15 Noah Saunders

U15 Daisy Snell
U15 Flynn Whelan
U15 Chloe Wright
U16 Lilly Jackson
U16 Henry Miller

U16 Sophie Whiting
U17 Courtney Bailey
U17 Ellie Morgan
U17 Thomas Whittle

This is the first time that Under 13s have been included in this group and it's wonderful to see their outstanding performance level recognised.

Skills Maintenance 20/21

By now patrolling members should have received an email outlining the allocation of skills maintenance theory for 21/22 from Surf Life Saving SA. Please check carefully through all of your email folders (Including Spam) and if you have not yet received this email, please email Ingrid Cobiac.

Brighton Jetty Sculptures 2022

The Sculpture event will be held, next year, from the 20th to 30th of January 2021 for the 15th year in a row. Over the 11 days many volunteers are needed for 2 hour shifts along the Esplanade and in the 2 marquees on Bindarra Reserve to meet and greet people as well as assist with enquiries. The committee is asking if you or perhaps a family member or friend might enjoy being involved. Please contact Kathryn Casey on 0400 833 582 or email Andrea Bodie, bod25@hotmail.com for further information.

Support our Sponsors

Club sponsors Brighton Foodland and Patritti Wines have the following promotions. Please support those who are so generous with our club.



Patritti Winery: Register your interest in the Urban Vineyard Collection to have first access to our pre-release allocations. We will be releasing 5 unique expressions from these 3 different urban vineyards so stay tuned as there will be limited stock.

You can register [here](#)

Newsletter Editor

We are looking for a new newsletter editor. If you fancy yourself as the new Brighton SLSC Newsletter Editor, compiling all of our information, highlights and stories each month, please contact Kat secretary@brightonsurfclub.com or Sam verricharmed@gmail.com

Thank you to all the members who continue to volunteer behind the bar. You can add your name to the roster [here](#).

Contact Burgo at the club for Bar or Duty manager training.

Interested in Supporter membership? Contact Ted Clark supportermembers@brightonsurfclub.com

Social Media

If you haven't already discovered it, now is the time to jump on board with our social media.

You can keep up to date with current news and all the action as well as support your favourite club by following BSLSC on Facebook ([@brightonsurfclub](#)) and Instagram ([@brighton.slsc](#)).

To contribute to social media or newsletter please contact Sam Verri verricharmed@gmail.com



**YOUTH (15-17yrs) & WOMEN'S
COME & TRY sessions at MOANA BEACH**
<https://www.trybooking.com/BTSYO>

Come and join one of our 2hr sessions during the school holidays

- Experience IRB crewing in a fun and safe environment
- Driver and trainers working at YOUR pace so you have the best experience
- 2 or 3 participants per driver
- Hours count towards your IRB Crew Award if you chose to pursue it
- All members & clubs welcome! Must be a proficient Bronze Medallion holder

Sunday 26th & Monday 27th September, Moana Beach
(back-up metro beach tbc if the waves pick up too much)
2 hour sessions starting at 9am, 12pm and 3pm both days

Please let your Club Trainer or IRB Captain know if you are participating; this helps us coordinate the accredited training hours for your IRB Crew Award.

Any questions? Please contact Julie Quimby: development@surflifesavingsa.com.au
<https://www.trybooking.com/BTSYO>

Thank you Community/Supporter Members, a Message from Ted Clark

Whether you are a community/supporter member or long standing or a recently joined member, you are very much appreciated. Your attendance at the BSLs Club, your annual membership subscription and your volunteering efforts all contributed to a very successful past season for the Club. The Club especially appreciates your friendship and goodwill.

All club memberships are tied to the annual surf lifesaving cycle so your membership expires on 30 September each year. To ensure that you can continue to enjoy the benefits of membership you are invited to renew your membership for the 2021/2022 season. Of course, your subscription can be likened to a donation but there are some specific benefits, e.g.

- Being a member of a great community club
- Being able to volunteer in club activities, e.g. the bar, the 7Brighton Jetty Classic Swim, the Brighton Jetty Sculptures
- Being covered as a club member by the club's insurance policy
- Being welcome at club functions
- When Covid-19 restricts numbers in the club house, being included as a member when the public are locked out

If you have questions about volunteering you could talk to any Board or Committee member, fellow experienced Supporter member or the Club's supporter member coordinator, Ted Clark. You can also email questions to supportermembers@brightonsurfclub.com

Meanwhile new membership application forms will be available at the bar from Friday 10th September. You'll be pleased to know that all membership fees remain unchanged for the new season, i.e. \$30 for Community/Supporter members.

Here's hoping that COVID-19 is kind to everyone and we can enjoy many get-togethers over the coming season.

IRB Come and Try

Surf Life Saving is holding a come and try for IRB crew aimed at women and youth over two days. See the flyer for all the details. And how good are our Brighton girls role modelling for their sport!

This is a great opportunity to find out all about the fun our IRB teams have.

Club Dinner Reminder

Don't forget our annual club dinner is this coming Saturday 18th September. Canapes will be served from 5.30pm with a welcome address at 6.15pm. This night has been a long time coming and we can't wait to celebrate.

Club Contacts

Season 2020/21 contacts are as follows: CLUB PRESIDENT – JOHN CVETKO
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All other general enquiries can be sent to Katrina Meehan at
info@brightonsurfclub.com



It's time to renew your Brighton SLSC Membership for 2021/22

This can all be done online via your Member Account. You can now renew your membership for the coming season. We have kept it simple this year and there is no additional paperwork required.

SURF LIFE SAVING AUSTRALIA MEMBERS AREA

Sign-in to your SLSA Members account for access to Patrols, Awards, Renewals and more

EMAIL

PASSWORD

SIGN IN

Forgot your password?
Click here to reset your confirmation code.
Click here to enter your SMS confirmation code.

Not a member of a surf club? [Click here to join](#)
Don't have a Members Area account yet? [Click here to create one.](#)

1. Simply log into your [SLSA Members Area](#)
2. Click **Renew**
3. Check the season fields shows the correct season
4. Update your member information (If you are renewing your family group please ensure that you check all their information too)
5. Tick the check boxes for the declarations and select **Submit**
6. Click on the box to **Make a Payment**.

For parents renewing memberships for Nippers and Youth please ensure you update all medical details as Health forms will not be requested for this season and not provided to Age Groups Managers.

If you have any difficulties, or enquiries, please email the registrar.bslc@gmail.com.