



Williamstown Swimming and Life Saving Club
2020 Annual Report



Office Bearers

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| President | Paul Sullivan |
| Vice President | Claire Howell |
| Secretary | Rod Seeber |
| Treasurer | Daria Hewitt |
| Club Directors | |
| - Lifesaving Operations | Alex Walton |
| - Training and Development | Joel Farrow |
| - Junior Activities | Christine Polgar |
| - Competition | Shaun Leith |
| - Building and Grounds | Gerry Schalkwijk |
| - Fundraising and Events | Sally Leung |
| - Future planning | Mark Frisby |
| Membership Protection Officer | Steve Schuurmans |
| Membership Registrar | Leonie Newey |
| Pool Lifeguard Manager | Andy Moffat |
| WOW Schools Water Safety Program | Sally Leung |
| Club administration officer | Simone Logan |

Life Members

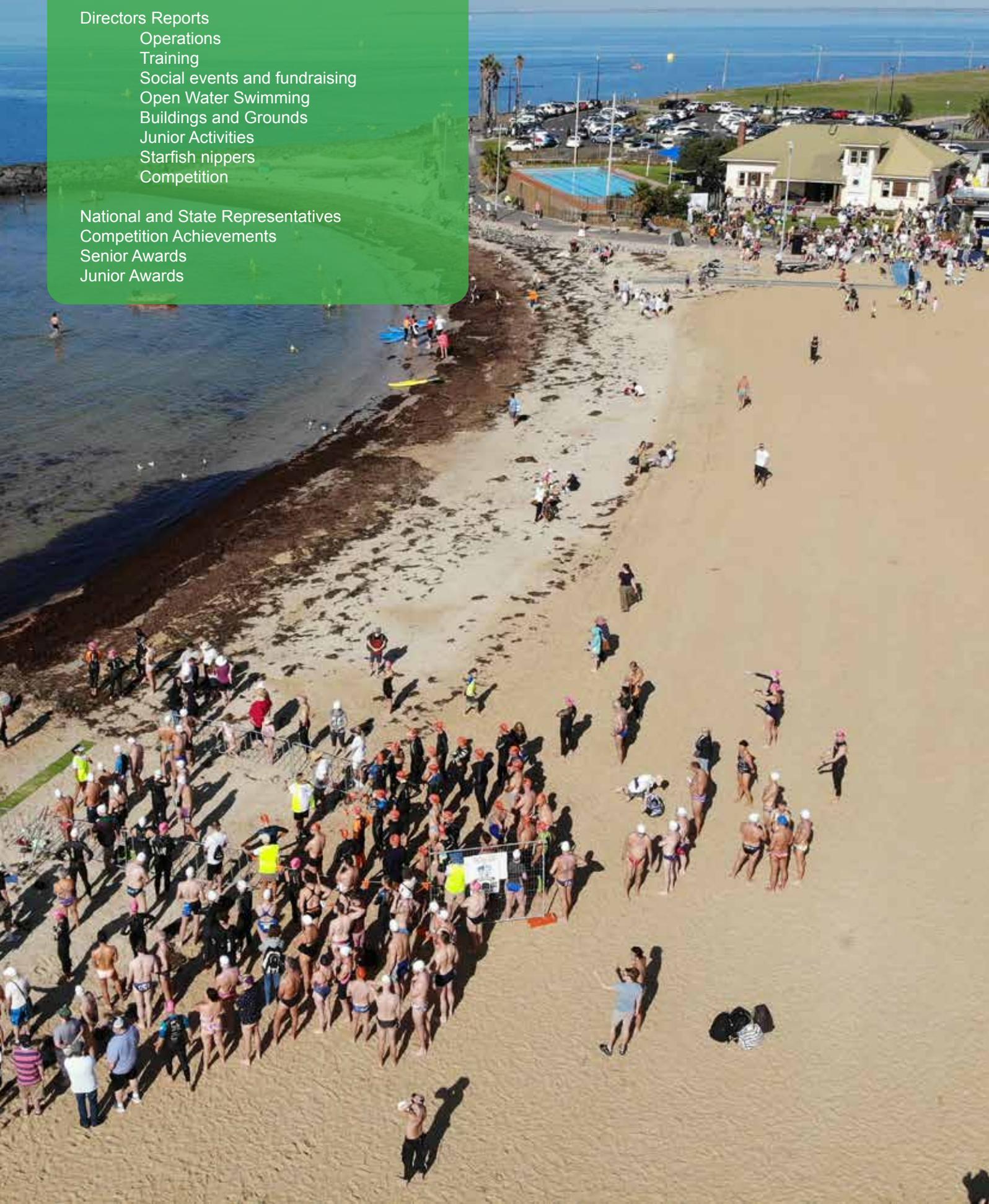
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| C Harsley | F R Perram |
| S Bradley | Mrs Hansen |
| J J Liston | Mrs Martin |
| E C Goldstein | F Thomas OAM |
| J A Dennis | T Webster |
| G Liley | S Tyle |
| T C Miller | D J Newington |
| R Bradley | E J OKeef |
| J H Fearon | A Briscoe |
| A McColl | Mrs L Elder |
| J G Meehan | E J Raffle |
| J R Bell | D W Crocker |
| F Gough | L M Ferguson |
| F R Tyler | P D Bright |
| Miss E Guildford | P Bright |
| Mrs A McColl | B Rowe |
| W G Tyrrell | R Cave |
| Miss A Brady | J P Dooley |
| F J Thomas | N J Emmett |
| Mrs L Miller | Mrs L Molineux |
| B Curry | F Zahra |
| W Dooley | L E Wood |
| T Nelson | P Hutchison |
| R Stewart | J Hogan |
| H Ellis | D McDonald |
| C R Blackburn | Mrs E Goga |
| F J McGee | Ms S Cockfield |
| A D Newgreen | Mrs M McTaggart |
| G W Thomas | S Ivey |
| Mrs G W Thomas | I R Dickson |
| Mrs P Newgreen | Mrs M J Dickson |
| T Marr | J Wyatt |
| J Doull | B Griffin |
| S Wookey | Mrs K Tomkins |
| Mrs Musicka | W Boyd |
| Mrs A Farr | Mrs G Schalkwijk |
| T V Farr | G Schalkwijk |
| Ms J Brooks | Ms J Hewitt |

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President Report

It is my pleasure to present the 2019-20 Annual Report of the Williamstown Swimming and Life Saving Club, in our one hundredth year as an organisation vested in providing safety for the swimming public of Williamstown Beach.

Season 2019/2020 was a season like no other. The impact of Covid19 upon society in general was far reaching and unprecedented in its consequences. Life Saving along with all parts of the community responded swiftly and appropriately to the situation and implemented strategies and protocols to deal with the challenges raised by the pandemic. We have all had to quickly adapt to new ways of operating - including lots of meetings via teleconference.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the members for their support in adhering to the changes and the level of shutdown that was implemented. As a group we were able to quickly implement government guidelines with great support from the membership. I also need to acknowledge the guidance and support of Hobsons Bay Council and Lifesaving Victoria during this period.

The season was well patrolled for the period available and once again no lives were lost at Williamstown. While Covid19 had a major influence on the season we can't forget that 2020 also started with the devastating impact of bushfires in many parts of the country. It has and continues to have a significant impact on many regional and beach communities affected attendance on the beaches and tourism. Williamstown Swimming & Life Saving Club acknowledges the superb efforts of all volunteers in fighting the bushfires during this period.

Our patrolling strength and exceptional standard of patrols remain to ensure that Williamstown Beach is a safe environment for our local community and all beach visitors. To all the Williamstown patrolling members thank you for your vigilance and service, your efforts have been outstanding, and your community dedication is greatly appreciated.

Education is the base of Lifesaving and our instructors have done another magnificent job during this season 2019/20 with 36 people completed their Bronze Medallions and added to our patrol roster. Further to these, 21 young members completed their Surf Rescue Certificate and have also joined our patrols.

Congratulations to our dedicated Nipper Team and Starfish program who again had a standout year with 330 kids on the beach every Sunday learning about surf safety and having fun. What could be more important than the future of lifesaving. The Nippers are our club's future so well done to all involved in making this programme the fantastic success it is.

Congratulations to all of our competitors proudly representing Williamstown Swimming & Lifesaving Club. Our competition nippers team all trained hard and were well prepared, achieving personal bests at the State Championships. Our Senior team also represented the club with great results but as we know State and National carnivals were unfortunately cancelled due to Covid.

Commercial activities provide strong support for the maintenance and upkeep of the club, but our sponsors input is invaluable in maintaining our programs to support members. Our sponsors allow us to maintain our school education programs, assist with vital First Aid Equipment, Nippers programs and general lifesaving operations. Thank you to:

| | | |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| Williams Real Estate | Orbit Logistics | Grace |
| Jim's Storage | Engine Swimwear | Beacon Lighting |
| Symmetry physio | Paul Sadler Swim School | FFLA |
| Peter Sadler Removal's | Stoneage Signs | CLP Architecture |
| Victorian State Government | Port Of Melbourne | Hobsons Bay Council |

I also acknowledge the great support of Life Saving Victoria thanking you for your ongoing support



As a club, we have also this year continued our objective to position our club to be the community's club. Our primary purpose will always be as a surf lifesaving club; however with approximately 1,300 members we can always do more, and I am very proud of the club's efforts this year off the beach with community engagement, by:

- Running the WOW Event, Big Bay Swim and the international IGLA Open Water event.
- The use of the Club facilities by working with local fitness and arts groups to offer activities and tours of the Club.
- Hiring out the hall to community groups and individuals.
- Enhancing communication through newsletters, upgraded website and also various social media formats to the wider community.
- Promotion of external groups events such as Beach Clean 3016
- Encouraging community participation to document the rich history of the Club's 100 years and promotion of the 100 Year event (postponed due to Covid-19).

A special thank you to the WSLSC Board for their hard work, commitment and resilience in a challenging year.



And finally thank you to WOW committee, WARC, sub-committee members, age managers, trainers, officials, coaches, assessors, active patrolling members, and all those who lend a helping hand around the club – our great club would not exist without you!

Paul Sullivan



WSLSC Significant achievements 2019/20 season

- 100 Years 100 Stories WSLSC history of the Williamstown Swimming & Life Saving Club compiled by Jacqui Hewitt and Kaye Tomkins celebrating our Centenary Year.
- Membership increased by approximately 15% w
- This year WSLSC have taken steps to improve general lifesaving performance, basing this of results from LSV patrol inspections. This has resulted in significantly better results in the LSV patrol inspections compared to previous season
- Member participation in subcommittees increased again this year with approximately 50 members actively involved in subcommittees such as Operations, Training, Junior Education, WOW, IGLA, Big Bay Swim and WARC / Awards and Recognition
- Over 850 participate in WOW Schools program in Water Safety education programs, extending to communities both local and regional.
- A focus was also put on the quality and quantity of training and assessment being completed at the club, with a increased number of courses being run compared to previous season.
- Continued development of sound governance practices, with another great year financially for the club.
- The preparation of a Master Plan to guide the redevelopment of the club. The Council funded project has seen a number of options developed with a preferred option subject to funding and input from members.
- WSLSC had several members travel to the Gold Coast to compete in the prestigious Coolangatta Gold, It has been several years since we have had athletes compete in this event.
- LSV Awards of Excellence 2020, WSLSC had 3 individual nominations, with our Joel Farrow receiving the LSV Trainer of the Year Award for 2020.



Secretary Report



From the Clubs beginning in 1920 we have seen such growth from a fledgling suburban club, to being one of the most respected and successful life saving clubs in Victoria. The Williamstown Swimming and Life Saving Club can hold its head high with any Club, celebrating so many successes from Junior level to Seniors. Be it patrolling through summer, IRB, State competitions, R&R, Nippers or Starfish Nippers we have enjoyed success in many facets of Lifesaving. And all in our Centenary year.

Our membership continues to grow with 1260 financial members in 2020, an increase of 166 (approx 15%) from 2019 including 305 Nippers and families, which bodes well for the future of our Club.

The events of this year cannot be understated, with members having to modify not only their lifestyles, but also their fitness training and leisure activities. The COVID-19 virus has changed forever, the many things that we take for granted. Like our Club being open through most summer weekdays and weekends, and of course the forced shutdown of the Club. I thank all members who have shown great patience and understanding over this period.

Your Committee this year have tried to open ourselves to the community of Williamstown by sharing many parts of our club. From the Gym, the pool, to the front lawn, many community members and non-members, have enjoyed our fabulous facility and the beach.

This year also saw us hosting the annual WOW swim, the IGLA games and the Big Bay Swim. All were successful, and our thanks go to Iain Dickson and his great organising committee for a flawless competition.

In any Club there is always a team of unsung workers who drop what they are doing to assist us, and it is always difficult to try to name them all, but I cannot conclude my report without thanking Mick Rourke and Neal Coulsen for their energy around the Club. If something needs fixing, Mick and Neal are usually the ones to do it, and without fanfare. Thank you, Mick and Neal.

Lastly, a thank you to all the hardworking Committee and Club Administration Officer Simeone Logan. Together we have steered the Club through a year none of us will forget, and I thank every Board member for giving their time and energy, and to our President Paul Sullivan for his great leadership in extraordinary times.

Rod Seeber
Secretary



Treasurer Report

The results show that 2020 was yet another good year for the Club with an operating surplus of \$97,644 (2019 \$92,935) and an increase in bank balances of \$114,679 to \$517,638.

The revenue sources were varied with a good result from the WOW swim, the schools program and venue hire along with an increase in membership revenue (from higher member numbers – our fees have remained steady for a number of years).

During the year the following major capital expenditure was possible:

- New training equipment \$9,959 purchased with grant money
- New chairs for the clubhouse at a cost of \$5,029 which will be invaluable for future training and events held at the Club
- New commercial grade fridge and freezer costing \$4,890 to replace our old domestic appliances

There were also smaller purchases of items for different areas of the club including a new gazebo (purchased under a government shade grant program), a loudspeaker system (for use at future events) and some items for the nippers area (a Starfish nipper mat and boards purchased using grant money). Of the \$50,400 of grant money received during the year there was \$3,400 from a Vibrant Community Grant and \$1,398 from the Shade Grant yet to be expended at year end.

Interest income from the term deposits was \$7,423 (2019 \$6,563). The Club has continued to roll the two term deposits for 12 month terms. Following the end of the financial year one term deposit has been rolled for 12 months with an additional \$25,000 (it matures in May 2021) and the second term deposit had been rolled for 12 months with an additional \$75,000 (it matures in August 2021). These monies are being set aside for the future redevelopment of the club.

Overall another very positive year for the club which puts us in a strong financial position given the unknown times ahead.

Daria Hewitt



Financial Statements 2020

Williamstown SLSC

ABN 82 994 577 626

For the year ended 30 April 2020

Prepared by Gerard Harrington Pty Ltd

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Committee's Report

Williamstown SLSC For the year ended 30 April 2020

Committee's Report

Your committee members submit the financial report of Williamstown SLSC for the financial year ended 30 April 2020.

Committee Members

The names of committee members throughout the year and at the date of this report are:

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|--------------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| Paul Sullivan (President) | Gerry Schalkwijk | Joel Farrow |
| Claire Howell (Vice-President) | Alexander Walton | Mark Frisby |
| Rodney Seeber (Secretary) | Christine Polgar | Sally Leung |
| Daria Hewitt (Treasurer) | Shaun Leith | |

Principal Activities

The principal activities of the association during the financial year were Life Saving Operations.

Significant Changes

No significant change in the nature of these activities occurred during the year.

Operating Result

The Profit for the year ended 30 April 2020 amounted to \$97,643.

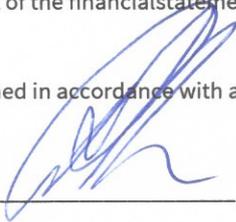
Going Concern

This financial report has been prepared on a going concern basis which contemplates continuity of normal business activities and the realisation of assets and settlement of liabilities in the ordinary course of business. The ability of the association to continue to operate as a going concern is dependent upon the ability of the association to generate sufficient cashflows from operations to meet its liabilities. The members of the association believe that the going concern assumption is appropriate.

Auditors Independence Declaration

Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 requires the company's auditors, Gerard Harrington Pty Ltd, to provide the directors with an Independence Declaration in relation to the review of the financial statements. The Independence Declaration forms part of the financial statements.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Members of the Committee on:



Paul Sullivan (President)

Date 4 / 9 / 2020



Daria Hewitt (Treasurer)

Date 4 / 9 / 2020

Auditors Independence Declaration

Williamstown SLSC
For the year ended 30 April 2020

To the Members of Williamstown Swimming & Life Saving Club

Under Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, in relation to the audit of Williamstown Swimming & Life Saving Club for the year there have been:

(a) No contraventions of the auditor independence requirements as set out in the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the audit;
and

(b) No contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.



Gerard Harrington IPA
Gerard Harrington Pty Ltd
11B Gell Street, Bacchus Marsh VIC 3340

Dated this 25th day of AUGUST 2020

Independent Auditor's Report

Williamstown SLSC

For the year ended 30 April 2020

Independent Auditors Report to the members of the Association

We have audited the accompanying financial report, being a special purpose financial report, of Williamstown SLSC (the association), which comprises the committee's report, the assets and liabilities statement as at 30 April 2020, the income and expenditure statement for the year then ended, cash flow statement, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the certification by members of the committee on the annual statements giving a true and fair view of the financial position and performance of the association.

Committee's Responsibility for the Financial Report

The committee of Williamstown SLSC is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report, and has determined that the basis of preparation described in Note 1 is appropriate to meet the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act (Vic) and is appropriate to meet the needs of the members. The committee's responsibility also includes such internal control as the committee determines is necessary to enable the preparation and fair presentation of a financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We have conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error.

In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the association's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report, in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the association's internal control.

An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the committee, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial report presents fairly, in all material respects (or gives a true and fair view –refer to the applicable state/territory Act), the financial position of Williamstown SLSC as at 30 April 2020 and (of) its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements, and the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act (Vic).

Basis of Accounting and Restriction on Distribution

Without modifying our opinion, we draw attention to Note 1 to the financial statements, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared to assist Williamstown SLSC to meet the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act (Vic) . As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose.



Gerard Harrington IPA

Gerard Harrington Pty Ltd

Dated: 25/08/2020

Income and Expenditure Statement

Williamstown SLSC

For the year ended 30 April 2020

| | 2020 | 2019 |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Income | | |
| Revenue | | |
| Revenue - Building Levy | 6,868 | 6,523 |
| Revenue - Club Merchandise | 9,361 | 9,964 |
| Revenue - Events | 87,156 | 86,018 |
| Revenue - Fees | 33,289 | 31,862 |
| Revenue - FOB Access | 3,477 | 3,191 |
| Revenue - Membership fees | 106,197 | 92,660 |
| Revenue - Sponsorship | 24,951 | 37,545 |
| Revenue - Venue Hire | 8,059 | 13,514 |
| Total Revenue | 279,358 | 281,278 |
| Grant Income | 50,400 | 53,213 |
| Donations | 16,099 | 17,274 |
| Fundraising | 5,950 | 7,537 |
| Total Income | 351,807 | 359,302 |
| Cost of Sales | | |
| Purchases - Club Merchandise | 3,480 | 6,234 |
| Purchases - Events | 25,090 | 35,842 |
| Purchases - Fees | 16,806 | 20,100 |
| Purchases - FOB Access | 4,527 | - |
| Purchases - Fundraising | 689 | 1,821 |
| Total Cost of Sales | 50,592 | 63,998 |
| Gross Surplus | 301,215 | 295,304 |
| Other Income | | |
| Interest Income | 7,423 | 6,563 |
| Profit/(loss) on sale of assets | 218 | (665) |
| Revenue - Other | 11,987 | 3,631 |
| Revenue - Rent Income KIOSK | 26,272 | 27,540 |
| Total Other Income | 45,900 | 37,069 |
| Expenditure | | |
| Administration Expenses | 7,059 | 117 |
| Advertising and promotional expenses | 696 | 2,755 |
| Audit Fee | 2,600 | - |
| Bank Fees - Westpac | 534 | 759 |
| Cleaning | 8,543 | 6,353 |
| Clothing expense | 57,256 | 62,671 |
| Depreciation | 78,739 | 77,914 |
| Subscriptions | 477 | 2,643 |
| Consumables | 1,088 | 932 |

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements. These statements should be read in conjunction with the attached compilation report.

| | 2020 | 2019 |
|----------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Council Rates | 2,298 | 2,233 |
| Electricity | 5,714 | 3,185 |
| First Aid expenses | 142 | 978 |
| Fuel | 1,395 | 2,132 |
| Gas | 4,058 | 4,747 |
| General Expenses | 2,467 | 7,028 |
| Insurance | 9,862 | 7,570 |
| Legal expenses | 709 | 1,030 |
| Minor Equipment Expenses | 2,250 | 3,715 |
| Motor Vehicles | 3,517 | - |
| Oxygen | 1,430 | 1,357 |
| Payment processing fees | 1,244 | 1,153 |
| Pool Lifeguard | - | 6,600 |
| Pool running costs | 1,800 | 2,555 |
| Postage | 256 | 287 |
| Presentation Expenses | 9,063 | 8,331 |
| Printing & Stationery | 2,600 | 2,923 |
| Registration fees | 1,830 | 1,973 |
| Rent | 3,291 | 3,248 |
| Repairs and Maintenance | 12,746 | 7,676 |
| Security Service | 1,318 | 416 |
| Superannuation | 263 | - |
| Telephone & Internet | 2,731 | 2,403 |
| Training costs | 5,978 | 4,329 |
| Travel Expenses | 919 | 1,428 |
| Wages | 7,695 | - |
| Water | 6,520 | 7,842 |
| Website | - | 154 |
| Workcover | 383 | - |
| Total Expenditure | 249,471 | 239,438 |
| Current Year Surplus/ (Deficit) | 97,644 | 92,935 |

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Assets and Liabilities Statement

Williamstown SLSC

As at 30 April 2020

| | NOTES | 30 APR 2020 | 30 APR 2019 |
|----------------------------------|-------|----------------|----------------|
| Assets | | | |
| Current Assets | | | |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents | | 217,638 | 152,959 |
| Trade and Other Receivables | 3 | 17,584 | 12,638 |
| Inventories | | 34,392 | 28,597 |
| GST Receivable | | - | 2,690 |
| Term deposits | | 300,000 | 250,000 |
| Total Current Assets | | 569,614 | 446,884 |
| Non-Current Assets | | | |
| Plant and Equipment and Vehicles | 5 | 237,694 | 270,105 |
| Land and Buildings | | 90,239 | 102,978 |
| Total Non-Current Assets | | 327,934 | 373,083 |
| Total Assets | | 897,548 | 819,967 |
| Liabilities | | | |
| Current Liabilities | | | |
| Trade and Other Payables | 6 | 11,330 | 32,633 |
| GST Payable | | 1,239 | - |
| Total Current Liabilities | | 12,569 | 32,633 |
| Total Liabilities | | 12,569 | 32,633 |
| Net Assets | | 884,978 | 787,335 |
| Member's Funds | | | |
| Capital Reserve | | 884,978 | 787,335 |
| Total Member's Funds | | 884,978 | 787,335 |

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Notes to the Financial Statements

Williamstown SLSC

For the year ended 30 April 2020

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The financial statements are special purpose financial statements prepared in order to satisfy the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act (Vic). The committee has determined that the association is not a reporting entity.

The financial statements have been prepared on an accruals basis and are based on historic costs and do not take into account changing money values or, except where stated specifically, current valuations of non-current assets.

The following significant accounting policies, which are consistent with the previous period unless stated otherwise, have been adopted in the preparation of these financial statements.

Property, Plant and Equipment (PPE)

Leasehold improvements and property, plant and equipment are carried at cost less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation.

The depreciable amount of all PPE is depreciated over the useful lives of the assets to the association commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use.

Leasehold improvements are amortised over the shorter of either the unexpired period of the lease or the estimated useful lives of the improvements.

Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the association has a legal or constructive obligation, as a result of past events, for which it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will result and that outflow can be reliably measured. Provisions are measured at the best estimate of the amounts required to settle the obligation at the end of the reporting period.

Cash on Hand

Cash on hand includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with banks, and other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less.

Accounts Receivable and Other Debtors

Accounts receivable and other debtors include amounts due from members as well as amounts receivable from donors. Receivables expected to be collected within 12 months of the end of the reporting period are classified as current assets. All other receivables are classified as non-current assets.

Revenue and Other Income

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable after taking into account any trade discounts and volume rebates allowed. For this purpose, deferred consideration is not discounted to present values when recognising revenue.

These notes should be read in conjunction with the attached compilation report.

Interest revenue is recognised using the effective interest method, which for floating rate financial assets is the rate inherent in the instrument. Dividend revenue is recognised when the right to receive a dividend has been established.

Grant and donation income is recognised when the entity obtains control over the funds, which is generally at the time of receipt.

If conditions are attached to the grant that must be satisfied before the association is eligible to receive the contribution, recognition of the grant as revenue will be deferred until those conditions are satisfied.

All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and services tax.

Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO). Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of the amount of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO is included with other receivables or payables in the assets and liabilities statement.

Accounts Payable and Other Payables

Accounts payable and other payables represent the liability outstanding at the end of the reporting period for goods and services received by the association during the reporting period that remain unpaid. The balance is recognised as a current liability with the amounts normally paid within 30 days of recognition of the liability.

| | 2020 | 2019 |
|-------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| 2. Cash on Hand | | |
| Petty Cash | 38 | 50 |
| Westpac Business Cash Reserve | 150,522 | 97,362 |
| WSLSC - Building Fund | 22,453 | 22,417 |
| WSLSC - Grants Account | 8,800 | 11,723 |
| WSLSC Main | 35,825 | 21,407 |
| Total Cash on Hand | 217,638 | 152,959 |

| | 2020 | 2019 |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| 3. Trade and Other Receivables | | |
| Trade Receivables | | |
| Accounts Receivable | 13,407 | 7,005 |
| Total Trade Receivables | 13,407 | 7,005 |
| Other Receivables | | |
| Receivables | 4,177 | 5,223 |
| Total Other Receivables | 4,177 | 5,223 |

Prepayments

These notes should be read in conjunction with the attached compilation report.

| | | |
|------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Prepayments | - | 410 |
| Total Prepayments | - | 410 |
| Total Trade and Other Receivables | 17,584 | 12,638 |
| | 2020 | 2019 |

Members Loan Accounts

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| | 2020 | 2019 |
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4. Land and Buildings

| | | |
|----------------------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Leasehold Improvements | | |
| Leasehold Improvements at Cost | 235,128 | 234,547 |
| Accumulated Amortisation of Leasehold Improvements | (144,889) | (131,569) |
| Total Leasehold Improvements | 90,239 | 102,978 |
| Total Land and Buildings | 90,239 | 102,978 |
| | 2020 | 2019 |

5. Plant and Equipment, Motor Vehicles

| | | |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Plant and Equipment | | |
| Plant and Equipment at Cost | | |
| Competition Equipment | 183,336 | 181,530 |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation on Competition Equipment | (136,208) | (111,910) |
| Fixtures & Fittings | 35,047 | 24,778 |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation on Fixtures & Fittings | (9,246) | (6,117) |
| IRBs & Motors | 172,854 | 172,041 |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation on IRBs & Motors | (147,393) | (133,613) |
| Life Saving Equipment | 67,714 | 47,512 |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation on Life Saving Equip | (32,521) | (23,833) |
| Office Equipment | 14,813 | 12,603 |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation on Office Equipment | (8,201) | (7,323) |
| Pool & Plant | 103,793 | 103,793 |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation on Pool & Plant | (52,126) | (44,526) |
| Vehicles | 53,176 | 60,264 |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation on Vehicles | (7,344) | (5,093) |
| Total Plant and Equipment at Cost | 237,694 | 270,105 |
| Total Plant and Equipment | 237,694 | 270,105 |
| Total Plant and Equipment, Motor Vehicles | 237,694 | 270,105 |
| | 2020 | 2019 |

6. Trade and Other Payables

| | | |
|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| Trade Payables | | |
| Accounts Payable | 4,999 | 23,073 |
| Total Trade Payables | 4,999 | 23,073 |

These notes should be read in conjunction with the attached compilation report.

| | 2020 | 2019 |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Other Payables | | |
| Other Amounts Payable | 1,533 | - |
| Unexpensed Grants liability | 4,798 | 9,560 |
| Total Other Payables | 6,331 | 9,560 |
| Total Trade and Other Payables | 11,330 | 32,633 |

These notes should be read in conjunction with the attached compilation report.

Statement of Changes in Equity

Williamstown SLSC

For the year ended 30 April 2020

| | 2020 | 2019 |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Equity | | |
| Opening Balance | 787,335 | 694,399 |
| Increases | | |
| Profit for the Period | 97,644 | 92,935 |
| Total Increases | 97,644 | 92,935 |
| Total Equity | 884,978 | 787,335 |

Statement of Cash Flows - Direct Method

Williamstown SLSC

For the year ended 30 April 2020

2020

Operating Activities

| | |
|-------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| Receipts From Grants | 54,964 |
| Payments to Suppliers and Employees | (75,092) |
| Interest Received | 7,423 |
| Finance Costs | (579) |
| Cash Receipts From Other Operating Activities | 356,203 |
| Cash Payments From Other Operating Activities | (250,837) |
| Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities | 92,082 |

Investing Activities

| | |
|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Proceeds From Sales of Property, Plant and Equipment | 90,530 |
| Payment for Property, Plant and Equipment | (52,214) |
| Payment for Investments | (50,000) |
| Other Cash Items From Investing Activities | (4,339) |
| Net Cash Flows from Investing Activities | (16,023) |

Other Activities

| | |
|---------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Other Activities | (11,379) |
| Net Cash Flows from Other Activities | (11,379) |

Net Cash Flows

64,679

Cash and Cash Equivalents

| | |
|--------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | 152,959 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period | 217,638 |
| Net change in cash for period | 64,679 |



Operations

Firstly, I would like to thank all the patrollers for the amazing effort put into making the season so successful!

Overall, the 2019/20 season went quite smoothly, with beach attendances being significantly lower than previous seasons (79,241 -> 43,472). Even though the beach attendance was down, we still noticed an increase in preventative actions (589 -> 992) and minor first aids (37 -> 93) being performed. This clearly highlights the importance and amazing work our teams do on the beach each weekend.

This season we focused on multiple initiatives to improve how we undertake patrol operations.

1 – Patrol subcommittee

Leading into the season, a focus was put on developing a subcommittee for patrol operations to spread the load of support work, as well as allow members to specialise in areas and take ownership of certain tasks. Thank you to Leonie Newey, Rhys Treloar, Ian Barclay, Andrew Canet and Andy Moffat for assisting and being part of the patrol subcommittee.

2 – Changes to how we roster patrols

We decided to trial a new approach to rostering patrols, moving away from consistent patrol teams, to a model that allows patrollers to decide the days they are rostered and not being rostered with the same members each patrol. Through adopting this approach, we saw a reduction in the number of patrol no-shows. I look forward to continuing this rostering approach next season.

3 – Tightening up our compliance around the pool operations

Over the past few seasons, we have identified many aspects of how we operate the club pool and set out a strategy to resolve these. This season saw the introduction of a requirement that all members in-charge of monitoring the pool had to hold their Pool Lifeguard Certificate and First Aid qualification, ensuring that we have qualified members in the role. For our paid pool lifeguards, we moved to a more formal employment model.

Next Season

Next season, I am keen to work closer with the patrol captains at looking for ways to improve our performance.

Some of the ways I would like to achieve this is by working towards:

- More collaboration and support for patrollers.
- Continuing to establish and grow the patrol subcommittee.
- Look at ways to improve succession planning of patrol leadership roles.

Alex Walton

PATROL HOURS

| Name | Hours |
|-------------------------|-------|
| Macayla Newey | 88.75 |
| Bruce Collins | 81 |
| Brydie Logan | 52 |
| Claire Howell | 47.5 |
| Dale Schalkwijk | 46.75 |
| Luke Newey | 46.5 |
| Joel Farrow | 45 |
| Craig Treloar | 43 |
| James Frisby | 42.5 |
| Freddie Graham | 42.5 |
| Alex Walton | 42 |
| Jose Manuel Blasco | 39 |
| Andy Moffat | 39 |
| Douglas Wright | 38.5 |
| Rhys Treloar | 37.5 |
| Daniel Burgess | 36.5 |
| Calum Dickson | 36.5 |
| Rachael Moloney | 36.5 |
| Katherine Canet | 35.5 |
| Jack Fishley | 35.25 |
| Abby Esdale | 34.5 |
| Clare Reushle | 34.5 |
| Madeline van Wayenburg | 34.5 |
| Gillian Schalkwijk | 34 |
| Alastair Thomas | 34 |
| Genevieve Edwards-Simes | 33.5 |
| Chloe Takac | 33.5 |
| Lachlan Thomas | 32.5 |
| Sally Leung | 31 |
| Christian Aquila | 30.5 |
| Shaun Leith | 30.5 |
| Damien Bull | 28.5 |
| Ella Cridland | 28 |

| Name | Hours |
|-------------------|-------|
| Kyalla Happ | 28 |
| Liam Keough | 28 |
| Gerry Schalkwijk | 27.5 |
| Leonie Newey | 27.25 |
| Craig Logan | 27 |
| Veronica Treloar | 27 |
| Mackenzie Bull | 26.5 |
| Tom Frisby | 26.5 |
| Emmet Keough | 26.25 |
| Rod Seeber | 26 |
| Glen Johnson | 25.25 |
| Mick Rourke | 24.5 |
| James Aquila | 24 |
| Simeone Logan | 23.75 |
| Erin Damen | 23.5 |
| Nicholas Franklin | 23.5 |
| Janet Moloney | 23.5 |
| Ann Dinham | 23 |
| Zac Edwards-Simes | 23 |
| Charlie Evans | 22.75 |
| Peter Bakker | 22.5 |
| Lizzy Bennett | 22.5 |
| Kara Falloon | 22.5 |
| Antonia Rayner | 22.5 |
| Claire Walton | 22.5 |
| Ian Barclay | 22 |
| Rebecca Cameron | 22 |
| Thomas Fishley | 22 |
| Nick Frisby | 22 |
| Angus Callow | 21.5 |
| Jasmine Happ | 21.5 |
| Dylan Jepsen | 21.25 |
| Sarah Meehan | 21.25 |

Training

The 2019/2020 season was an interesting season for Training and Development.

Life Saving Victoria introduced new changes to the accreditation process for trainers and assessors of all lifesaving awards, which required a lengthy application and submission of evidence to LSV for review. We managed to put through two trainers through the accreditation process (Jo Bramble & Joel Farrow), to allow us to run a huge SRC/Bronze Medallion course of over 30 participants. We also were lucky to gain some new and returning faces to the Training team, and without these people getting involved, we would not have seen the success we have had in this area this season.

I'd like to give a special thanks to the following members of the Training team:

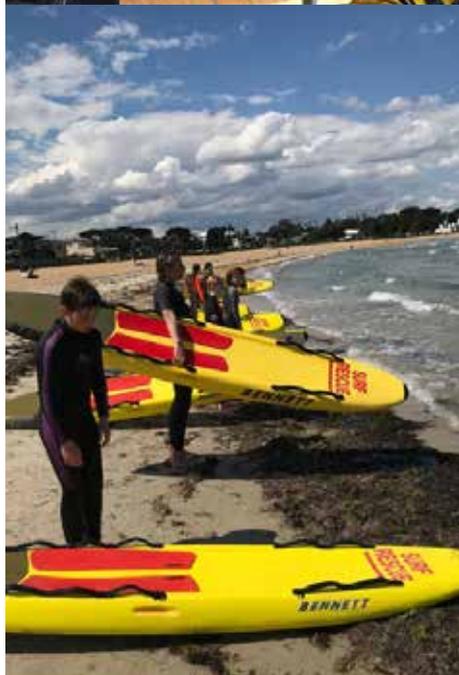
| | | |
|---------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Chloe Takac | Leonie Newey | Craig Logan |
| Alex Walton | Alastair Thomas | Jo Bramble |
| Sally Leung | Andy Moffat | Simone Trigger |
| Calum Dickson | Rachael Moloney | Rhys Treloar |
| Elena Parker | Lachy Thomas | |

During the 2019/2020 season, WS&LSC ran 3 Skills Maintenance sessions, 1 SRC/Bronze course, 2 IRB Crew courses, 1 IRB Drivers Course, and 1 Silver Medallion – Beach Management course. The SMBM course was the first of its kind to be run at the Club since 2011, and we were very grateful for the assistance of Pat Spinazzola to get us through it, and assist in the development of a further 4 facilitators for this award.

This season has also been a successful occurrence for the Club at both State and National levels in Member and Leadership Development. Up and coming youth member Macayla Newey attended the LSV U18 Leadership Development Camp, and has been successful in continuing her work through patrols and Starfish Nippers. Brydie Logan was successful in her nomination as a Club Representative in the LSV Junior (LSVj) form. Mackenzie Bull, another rising youth member nominated for the LSVj Committee and was shortlisted for this inaugural program. On top of these successes, the Club sent its first candidate (Joel Farrow) to the SLSA National Leadership College in Sydney, whereby he worked with some of the most respected members of the Australian lifesaving community, as well as a number of young, keen emerging leadership in the lifesaving movement from around Australia and New Zealand.

The busy schedule of the Club's activities, as well as timing with LSV events and competition limited the occurrence of further courses throughout the year, and the unfortunate issue of the COVID-19 pandemic further limited the Club in delivering some sought after First Aid and Advanced Resuscitation Techniques awards during the quieter months. However, once the capacity for the members new and returning to gather again, we will continue to build on this great work and build the Club bigger and better than ever!

Joel Farrow





Training Awards

Surf Rescue Certificate

Maya Brammer
Cooper Logan
Jake Smith
Sarah Trigger
Miram Soares-Jury
James O'Toole
Sinead Sullivan

Genevieve Edward-Simes
Alexandra Schulz
Xavier Snelling
Nalani Gough (Ocean Grove)
Ellie McMahon
Cody Williams
Natasha Rourke

Bronze Medallion

Mackenzie Bull
Will Edgoose
Kate Franklin
Zayne Galea
Kade Hughes
Michelle Nation
Liam Keogh
Jasmine Happ

Peter Bakker
Victoria Fisher
James Frisby
Finlay Gough (Ocean Grove)
Brydie Logan
Emma O'Donnell
Joanne Klemke
Zachary Edwards-Simes

Silver Medallion IRB Driver

Kyalla Happ

Stacey Cockram

IRB Crew Certificate

Peter Bakker
Angus Dart
Brydie Logan

Mackenzie Bull
Emmet Keough
Tess Muller

Silver Medallion Beach Management

Stacey Cockram
Elizabeth Bennett
Daniel Puglia

Bruce Collins
Ella Cridland

(others may have been awarded through external courses and may not be visible here, congratulations and well done!)



Awards & Recognition Committee

We met a couple of times this year, once via zoom. The outcome of these meetings were as follows:

Nominations were submitted for the Victorian Lifesaving awards

Joel Farrow for Volunteer Trainer of the year

Joel has come through our Club as a nipper and has gone on to gain many awards. He is currently Nippers Education Coordinator, a valued member of the IRB World Championship team, and this season has done more than 80 hours of patrol. He was also accepted into the 19/20 LSV 25 Mentor Program.

Joel's greatest satisfaction about being a volunteer within lifesaving is being able to provide meaningful engagement, education and security to his local community through his actions and efforts, as well as helping his club develop a positive direction and continue growing for the future. Congratulations Joel on winning this award.

Sally Leung for Coach of the year.

Sally had a successful season at the club winning Youth coach of the year for her work with the junior 2 person rescue and resuscitation, she also coached 6 State medal winners.

Club of the Year

The club was nominated for Club of the Year but unfortunately we were not successful. In this category.

The WARC committee has also started the process of catching up on our historical arm of the club with honour boards, photos and 100 year celebrations.

Kaye Tomkins



Social Events & Fundraising

With the growth in membership, our social and fundraising activities continued in small and larger events throughout the season.

Our regular fundraising activities of local tin rattles and Altona Bunnings BBQ started our "off" season, with the faithful and some new fundraising volunteers all putting sometime in to assist with turning a snag or rattling a tin.

Regular social drinks were conducted throughout the season (pre Covid-19 lockdown), with "Winter Solstice", "Xmas in July", "100 years contributors drinks" and BBQ nights held, as well the regular catch up drinks. A big thank you to our regular volunteer bar personnel – Andy, Gerry, Leonie, Sylvie, Jessie, Janice for giving up their time to ensure that no one went thirsty, and those that manned the ovens or brought in a plate to share. Also a big thanks to Andrew Martin for his Aperol assistance and Williamstown Fine Wines for their great recommendations and service.

We look forward to be opening the bar again when we can, and welcome any support with supply or RSA's to work on the bar.

Other special events held were:

- Movie night at the Sun Theatre showing "Once Upon a Time in Hollywood" – some loved it, some slept + thanks to Ruth for the extra raffle prizes
- The community screening at the club of "2040" the positive climate movie, with then mayor Jonathon Marsden bringing his family and taking the Q & A
- The tasty brisket BBQs from the Frisby and Logan families
- WSLSC hosting "Where land meets the water" HBCC art installation – tour and interviews by Jacqui and Neil

We hope that post pandemic we will all be able to enjoy these treats again.

The club also supported nominated members to attend LSV provided events including "International Womens' Day Breakfast", and several "Blue Connections" personal development sessions and Female Leadership Network evenings. My highlight would have to be listening to Brook Hansen describing her determination and success to make an Olympic team, and hearing Ahmed Kelly talk about his amazing and inspiring life.

Note these events are open to all members with regular event updates available when you subscribe to [lsv circulars](#)

Unfortunately until further notice, all social and fundraising activities are on hold until further directives from the Government are received.

Williamstown Open Water (WOW) Schools program

Our Schools Program continues to be a very successful part of WS&LSC community programs for both local primary and secondary students, and for many of our bronxies to practice their water safety skills and impart their knowledge. With the added bonus of our pool being ready this season, we were also able to offer lifeguarding shifts and a pool unit to the students, including our first assessments for the Victorian Water Safety Certificate held in March.

This season was once again full from November 18th until December 19th the end of 4th term. Our usual local schools and their teachers enjoyed themselves as well as learning and reviewing valuable water safety skills and knowledge. Williamstown High School year 7s returned for their surf sports program from the beginning of term 4, and braved the colder water and weather in October.

This season we were in high demand, also providing programs for organisations, including Wyndham PCYC, Salt Water College, St Lawrence Primary, Catholic Regional College. We were also booked to provide water





safety education to overseas students in April which unfortunately had to be canceled due to Covid.

To supplement our Schools Program, we applied and were successful in receiving a HBCC grant of \$5000 which went towards rash vests and water safety uniforms specifically for the program. The fluorescent yellow rash vests look fantastic and ensured that no students could go missing or get sunburnt!

For the upcoming season, once again we are full for term 4, with some added schools in term 1 already. Although we are unsure if our programs will be happening, we will plan for sessions as well as modified programs.

If your school doesn't have a lifesaving program and you think it should, please pass on the club email for inquiries admin@williamstownslsc.org.au

Sally Leung



Open Water Swimming

WOW and Victorian Open Water Championships

Congratulations WSLSC, again we successfully hosted 2019 WOW Challenge and Victorian Open Water Championships (VOWSC) which is Victoria's world class, championship distance, open water swim event. In addition to this we made a new home for the 'Big Bay Swim' and hosted the International Gay & Lesbian Aquatic Championships (IGLA).

A BIG thanks to our amazing members who volunteer hours of time and knowledge before, during and after these events and who without these people, we could not run these major events. In addition a special mention goes to

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| Race Director | Iain Dickson |
| Chief Marshall | Pip Grummet |
| Water Safety Co-ordinator | Alex Walton |
| Emergency Management Co-ordinator | Kane Treloar |
| Registrations Coordinator | Staeven Vallak |
| First Aid Officer | Marcus Stacey |

who were working together with our all our volunteers for both of these events.

It was great to see our WOW Ambassadors Australian Open Water Swimming Champion Sam Sheppard and Brazilian Olympian Lisandra De Carvalho won the 10km Victorian Open Water Championships in the Men's and Women's categories.

Combined these event attracted over 1000 swimmers that came from all over the World, Australia and of course Victoria. Our participants ranged from 8 years old right up to our oldest competitor this year was 78 years. With this year being the first year our multi-class event was open across all categories.

Our social media campaigns increased followers and likes with some fabulous footage of our club included in these posts, our new banners looked fabulous placed around the club in promotion of the event.

None of this would have been possible without our volunteer's dedication, our major sponsors including the Victorian Government, Port of Melbourne, Hobson's Bay City Council and Beacon Lighting. The WOW Committee would like to thank you all for your contribution.

WOW Committee

Williamstown Mussels

Hello WSLSC members,

For nine years continually, going now onto ten years - until these current Covid19 restrictions starting in March 2020 - the Williamstown Mussels have been a permanent fixture at WSLSC every Saturday morning encouraging swimmers of all ability's to join WSLSC and swim at their own personal pace and distance goals, with the Mussels moto being its never a race on Saturdays and to just have fun by swimming 50metres or 10km its your choice.

Many memorable experiences were had by Mussels swimmers in 2019 and into early 2020 and we were all keen to hear them at our weekly Mussels porch side carb buffet/s that followed in the weeks ahead during 2019 into 2020.

The year that was – up until March 2020 – saw some amazing achievements by Mussels swimmers, from those just starting out in open water swimming plus in events including the WOW swim events to some long time Mussels regulars taking on the Rottne island swim; with even a few taking on the English Channel in 2019.

With the Williamstown bay conditions varying weekly during 2019-2020 from Calm cloudy - high slack tide - warm waters, low-tide sandbanks under humid or bright blue skied sunshine with at times a gentle breeze on Williamstown's





golden sands - or a howling winter wind and storm gales. And this year's summer of mostly a seagrass laden shoreline greeting swimmers.

To Winters 2019 Saturdays of 8.5-degree water and even colder wind chill temps, grey cloudy skies plus regular rain sleet and thunder – or winter days of calm cold clear crisp waters under fantastic blue skies and winter sun!

On one particular spring 2019 Saturday morning after very heavy spring rains caused flooding the night before at Williamstown's deserted of public esplanade shoreline, large choppy swelled waters with botanical park's pine nettles and sea grass laden waters saw a small number of keen vaccinated Mussel swimmers swim a few laps of a 3km triangle course in the very cloudy grassy waters - which in parts felt like we were swimming through hay-bales whist spreading garden mulch! - perhaps? the most flora laden waters swam or experienced by Mussels at Williamstown in the past 9 years, noting backstroke was a good stroke on this day to keep the pine nettles out of your nostrils!

And speaking of swimming at Williamstown; an awesome WOW challenge day saw the Mussels open water swimming community partaking over many events at their own personal pace and goals equating to a memorable day of achievement's - "congratulations to all"! At the WOW swim - mostly overcast skies shone overhead, and water conditions were challenging in all sections creating good swells/troughs/currents offshore, keeping the journey bumpy and challenging awesome fun for all Mussels. The WOW swim course/s and markers were great with all course's marker buoys being seen easily. Thanks to all WSLSC volunteers from all the Mussels. Congratulations to all with Rottnest Qualification times at the 10km event, and all swimmers who partook in other WOW events including Merrins medal podium achievements at the WOW swim.

Well, that gives you a brief taste of the Mussels year that was up until March 2020 covid19 restrictions. In time - once group size c19 restrictions are eased - the Mussels will be back every Saturday as usual, looking forward to it! Find us now on Facebook to keep up to date with Mussels news, swims, and activities, see you at the beach, Cheers,

The Williamstown Mussels Team.



Junior Activities

The 19/20 Season maintained the previous years' format of a Sunday morning 1 hour session at 9am for all age groups, with this season tipping over 300 mark with a 306 Nippers enrolled. Overall the season ran smoothly over 11 sessions, starting the weekend after Cup Day. The WSLSC Championships were held on the final session on March 1st with the Presentation and Awards afternoon being held on March 14.

The season saw a number of special events woven into the program. On Emergency Services day, Ambulance Victoria, Paramedic Motor Cycle, Metropolitan Fire Brigade (2 units) and Highway Patrol paid Williamstown Beach promenade a visit and gave our Nippers the opportunity to check out the vehicles, equipment, and have First Aid tuition and ask any questions. Other special events included the Westpac Surf Rescue Helicopter and Santa.

The Starfish program was able to be offered again with a staggered start time to ensure participants were not overwhelmed with the commotion and noise of hundreds of Nippers all milling about. This program requires a 1:1 water safety ratio, and as such is testament to the dedication and generosity of our volunteer members.

The coloured age group caps were successful again, with the retention numbers of the caps, excellent. We do not anticipate having to top up supplies for next season.

Procedures formulated last season were reapplied with ease and success.

Age Managers were predominantly from last seasons' cohort, however there did seem to be broader engagement from families in general, something that needs to be expanded on for next season. Our aim is always to engage as many families as possible in the implementation of the program not only due to logistics but also to embrace the membership and encourage a sense of belonging and inclusion.

Nipper numbers engaged with the competition aspects of training were down on the previous season, with a total of 18 at the State Carnival in Warrnambool. The relatively large drop in numbers was primarily due to the large cohort of last seasons' U13s that transitioned to youth.

Regarding training for the Nippers participating at inter club Carnivals, a number of additional training sessions were offered on a weekly basis. This included but was not limited to Sunday mornings from 10.30 – 12pm, Mondays at 4.30 for run training and Wednesday afternoons for board training.

Looking to next season, the club needs to focus on building the Competition Nippers team.

The Nippers program is Co-ordinated and run by a fabulous group of volunteers. Special acknowledgement is given to the following members who have ensured that our Williamstown program is possible.

Joel Farrow: For being instrumental in the training of the age managers and the programming and delivery of the program as designed by LSV.

Veronica Treloar: For co ordinating and delivering the Starfish program.

Douglas Wright : For maintaining equipment, assisting with water safety & always being around to lend a hand.

Anthony Heazelwood & Marcus Cleary: BBQ & Milo co-ordinators.

Cara McMahon: Pre season Information Sessions and Swim Assessments.

Matt McCarroll & Paul Patrick: Wednesday afternoon water training.

Anita Harraway & Jose Blasco: water safety.

Fiona McCarroll : Technical training.

Damien Bull: Water setup.

All of these members in turn have further groups of Nipper Parents to assist in delivering all the various aspects of the Nippers program. Without these members stepping up and getting involved, our program would not get off the ground.

A thank you to you all.
Christine Polgar



Starfish Nippers

Starfish Nipper 2019-20 Season had 10 participants. Each keen to be part of in an inclusive & fun community environment at Williamstown Swimming & Lifesaving club this season. It provided each Starfish Nipper with an experience to learn and develop new skills when accessing their local beach.

The Starfish Nipper program ran between October 2019 to March 2020, providing each young person with a disability an introduction to a nipper's program. learning the safety & rules going to the beach.

The program was successful in a Community Grant from Hobsons Bay City Council that provided additional equipment that arrived prior to the end of the season in the form of an Aqua Mat. It provides a collaborative inclusive easily accessible, fun time for our independent active Starfish and high needs Starfish Nippers.

Starfish Nippers once again attended the Hampton Starfish Nippers 2nd Inaugural Carnival that provided a fun community spirit in partaking in activities on the sand and in the water making new connections and pertaining a participation medal at the end of the day.

Life Saving Westpac Helicopter came to visit the group and watch the Starfish Coordinator be winched in a training exercise. As the noise is quiet challenging for some of our Starfish Nippers, the experience and resilience was a great achievement for each to experience this visit.

Starfish Nippers were also filmed by the Health & Wellness show on Channel 7, due to COVID-19 we are waiting for this to be rescheduled. Its aim is to demonstrate our great program, we have it Williamstown Swimming & Lifesaving Club. This is anticipated to be aired closer to summer. I will keep the club up to date.

On behalf of myself and the families I would like to thank all the mentors/ volunteers that supported the Starfish Nipper Program for your dedication and ongoing commitment to attending Sunday Mornings. It is with your commitment and guidance in providing a safe and fun environment to Starfish Nippers, we have been successful.

The club look forward to Starfish Nipper program growing to provide many more opportunities for young people with disabilities in the community be engaged in their local Lifesaving Club.

Cheers 'V'

Veronica Treloar
Starfish Nipper Coordinator



Competition

2019/2020 season has been an unforgettable and memorable one which many of us will not forget. The competition team amongst all of the troubles that the world is currently undergoing has constantly demonstrated the ongoing commitment and support in building and maintaining a culture that is true to Williamstown, but also thriving to achieving their own personal best whilst having fun.

Firstly, I would like to thank all of my Team Managers, Rebecca Patrick (Junior Competition), Sally Dawson (Senior/Master Competition), Scott Ivey and Jodie Griffin (IRB Competition) and Ann Dinham (Surf Boat Competition). Without your direct assistance and guidance through your respective areas, I would not have been able to further my knowledge and assist each area to my fullest of ability in providing necessary equipment and support. A massive thank you to all our respective coaches, by passing on your knowledge and skill set, this allows our competition team to maintain a competitive edge and position within the state and national level. I would also like to say a massive thank you to all the family members and friends who assisted from the sidelines in officiating, water safety, organising equipment and providing food for our athletes to make them be able to do what they do on training and carnival days. Without your generosity, quiet frankly, we would not be able to do what we do each year. Leonie Newey, without your assistance and guidance through the inner workings of coordinating and organising LSV material, Surfguard and Carnival entries, I would not have been able to assist the competition area to my fullest of ability. Finally, I would like to thank all the athletes who participated throughout the season. Who trained for countless hours to improve themselves to be able to represent Williamstown in all levels of competition. I hope you enjoyed the season as much as I did, and hopefully come back stronger and eager next year.

Shaun Leith

IRB Competition

Scott Ivey

IRB season 2019 started with some old faces and some new faces, it took a bit of work to get the required hours logged for the newbies but once that was sorted we were all systems go. We had some injuries raise there head throughout the season which were disappointing to those involved but as usual the team rallied around them to keep their spirits high and all involved made their way to carnivals to continue to support the team with most making their way to Aussies, one of them on crutches. (Nice work Anna!)

We raced strongly in Victoria with our rivals pushing us all the way at every carnival. Some of our newer and younger members really started to improve their skills and are starting to give the older guard a run for their money. Some of our older members had a crack at new roles and showed great improvement throughout the season. We raced well at all the local carnivals and managed to get some fantastic results. We went into State Titles with a real struggle on our hands to beat 13th Beach for overall State honours but as usual our athletes stepped up to the plate when it counted and once again Williamstown came away with the Bob Anthony Trophy as State Title Winners on a beautiful winters day in Warrnambool. Even some really, really old members had to put in with yours truly having to step into a crewing role when a member rolled their ankle before finals..... sorry Rhys, I did my best. With our State success came the selection of the State Team with Williamstown members dominating the Open Team and myself being the coach.

We headed off to Kingscliff with high hopes of holding on to our National Title, unfortunately it was not to be, some really bad luck, a motor on fire, a couple of injuries and some very dubious officiating decisions left as out of the top three, that's racing. However we still managed to come home with a Gold Medal in the Female Tube and a Silver in the Relay. Both Leonie and I were emotional seeing Mikayla Newey receive an Australian Silver medal in her first year of racing, our latest member to graduate from Nippers to Aussie medal winner. Once again Abby and Rhys showed everyone why they are the most successful tube team in the history of IRB competition, Aussie Gold Medal number 5..... IN A ROW!

We have a fantastic group of people involved in IRB Competition and are looking forward





to more of our senior nipper members joining the team as they get old enough.

A massive thankyou to our team managers, helpers and officials as we literally cant do it without them. I'd also like to send a big thankyou to Craig and Veronica Treloar whose years of continued commitment (well over a decade) to the IRB area were honoured with the naming of our latest 2 IRBS after them. They have officiated, fed, handled, assisted and mothered the team like no others. Veronica and Craig have supplied food, drinks and home baked goodies to every single carnival in that time and refuse to take any money from me for it, and Craig's officiating is starting to be recognised at a State and National Level. All is good in IRB land

Junior Competition

Rebecca and April

What a fantastic 2019-20 season for our small but mighty WSLSC Junior Competition Team! It was amazing to see the growth and improvement in the kids over the season as they trained hard and competed over 6 carnivals. We had some wild weather over the season, starting with a bang in Ocean Grove, which was a real test for some competitors first taste of surf sports! Jan Juc later in the season had some very challenging conditions, and the kids all did a great job using the surf skills they'd learned in their training.

The season culminated in the Victorian Junior Life Saving Championships held in Warrnambool over 3 days in March, which we now know they were so lucky to experience, with all sports shut down less than a week later. Warrnambool lived up to its reputation, it was cold and windy and put on some challenging waves. The states campaign was led by our Captain u12 girl Luca Fraser, with the very wise words to the team of "Have fun"!

Some highlights of the team include:

U13 saw Lachlan competing in his last Junior season, good luck in for next season in U14s!

U12 girls fielded our biggest team and put in a great team effort. Highlights include Chelsea 8th in long run and making the semi in flags, and Simone making semi's in swim and board.

U11 boys were our fun and skilled duo

U10 boys put in a very brave effort, including some new team members along with their experience

U10 girls had amazing results at States, with all their training over the season paying off, resulting in medals in 3 team events and 6 individual medals.

U9 girls and boys saw Mieke & Mackinlee competing in their first States, and they came 5th & 4th in long run.

All our nippers pulled together as a team and gave it their best. The U10 girls came away with plenty of medals, but there were also some great results in other age groups and all the kids should be so proud of their efforts. It takes a lot to get a Junior team on the beach, so a big thanks to all the coaches, age managers, officials and water safety. We look forward to welcoming new members to the competition team in the coming season. Any member from U8 to U13 is welcome and the only qualifying criteria is the attainment of your S Badge – you'll learn all the skills you need and have a lot of fun!

Junior Presentation night was the final get together for our team, congratulations to the following Age Champions –

- U9 Girls Mieke Pretorius
- U9 Boys Mackinlee Carroll
- U10 Girls Mahli McCarroll
- U10 Boys Lucas Camenzuli
- U11 Boys Nathaniel Glover
- U12 Girls Simone Phelan
- U13 Boys Lachlan Wright

Junior Club Champions - Mahli McCarroll & Mackinlee Carroll

Surf Sports Award - Layla Pretorius & Lachlan Wright

Senior/Masters Competition

Sally Dawson

The senior comp season had a fantastic start, full of enthusiasm and great results, while unfortunately we were not able to complete the summer season with State Champs and Aussies.

The pool lifesaving season was very successful for our competitors. Tom Frisby competed at the Australian SLS Pool Rescue Championships on the Gold Coast, with



6 top ten finishes. The next event was Vic State Champs where Williamstown finished 6th overall, with Tom Frisby winning 3 gold, 2 silver and a bronze medal, and Brydie Logan won 4 gold and 2 silver medals. These results led to Tom and Brydie being selected for the Victorian State Team to compete in Perth in January where Tom won 4 medals, and Brydie won 2 medals. Tom was also named as a reserve for the Australian Pool Lifesaving Team.

The team then moved to the Gold Coast for the Coolangatta Gold, the first time Williamstown has had competitors. The Masters team comprising of Brad Cummins, Paul Patrick, Darren Minns and Travis Minns finished 3rd in the 140 + age group. Nick Frisby had a great result in the individual short course, finishing 14th in u19, and 30th overall, with the fastest individual 5.5k run time.

The next event was the Endurance Championships. We had fantastic overall results, finishing 5th overall, with medals from Claire Hodgart, Nick Frisby, Natasha Rourke, Alexandra Shulz, Sally Leung, Brad Cummins, Paul Patrick, Darren Minns, in freezing windy December weather!



We had competitors at all the Youth/Senior carnivals with excellent participation and a lot of success, and we are sure that there would have been many competitors doing their best performances at State Champs. However, there is always next year!!

Surf Boat Rowing Competition

Ann Dinham

It was a time of transition for the surfboat team last season. We farewelled long-serving sweep Marcus Stacey, leaving the ladies masters' crew and a group of novice rowers eager to get some time on the water. Into the fray came national champion Tim McFarlane, who has coached many top-flight crews across Australia. Tim and his family moved to Victoria for work and Williamstown lured him with the promise of a ladies crew eager to be moulded into a first-class unit. They trained over winter and spring, but unfortunately bad weather, injury and then Covid-19 curtailed all competition. However, they are poised to restart training as soon as restrictions are lifted and are on the look out for new rowers, spread the word.

Meanwhile, with three boats sitting on the verge next to the club, the Monica Dickson was gratefully received by Williamstown Primary School, where it will sit under the 'tree of doom', for many new adventures to come in the schoolyard.



R&R Competition

Sally Leung

This season we again sported a strong junior team with 6 teams (2 in each age group) in our 2 person R&R teams including 2 new teams, an U15 5 person R&R team, and for the first time in many years, an Open Women's 5 person team. The junior teams were coached by Sally Leung and Simeone Logan, and Open Women's by invited and long time coach – Max Collins who came with a myriad of experience and his famous stick!



Training started over winter for our Women's team, and spring for the juniors. The Women's team could often be seen training at 6am on a Wednesday morning, feet freezing in the sand, sun rising behind them. Follow up training sessions were held on the weekend and whenever else we could fit them in.

As well as competing at carnivals, we also held an exhibition competition for junior 2 person teams to showcase to the club nippers in February. Our carnival results proved the hard work that all the teams had done, with many placings, pennants and State Medals. It is important to note that R & R is a sport in which you are judged against set criteria, scoring points when you make an error. Hence the lowest score wins. The Open Women's team was blessed with a pennant in their first competition due to an Anglesea error but we were happy to take that. Most importantly we managed to reduce our score each carnival by 7-9 points, which would have put us in good stead for States and Aussies. Unfinished business to be continued in 20/21 season.

Victorian Representatives

2019 Victorian IRB Team

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| Christian Aquila | Ella Cridland |
| Kate Czeryn | Calum Dickson |
| Sophie Doro | Erin Damen |
| Abby Esdale | Shaun Leith |
| Rhys Treloar | Alastair Thomas |
| Scott Ivey (coach) | David Rylance (assistant coach) |
| Madeline Van Wayenburg (patient coordinator) | |

2020 Victorian Pool Lifesaving Team

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| Tom Frisby | Brydie Logan |
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Competition Achievements

Junior Victorian Pool Lifesaving Championships – June 2019 Greensborough

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| U8 Girls 100m Line Throw 6m | Gold | Mieke Pretorius |
| U8 Girls 100m Line Throw 6m | Bronze | Esme Titley |
| U9 Girls 50m Obstacle Race | Gold | Mahli McCarroll |
| U9 Girls 50m Obstacle Race | Bronze | Ava O'Toole |
| U9 Boys 50m Obstacle Race | Silver | Lucas Camenzulli |
| U9 Mixed 100m Med Tube Relay | Gold | Lucas Camenzulli, Mahli McCarroll, Hamish Nelson, Ava O'Toole |
| U9 Mixed 100m Kick Carry Relay | Gold | Lucas Camenzulli, Mahli McCarroll, Ava O'Toole, Layla Pretorius |
| U9 Mixed 100m Obstacle Relay | Gold | Lucas Camenzulli, Mahli McCarroll, Hamish Nelson, Ava O'Toole |
| U9 Boys 100m Line Throw 6m | Bronze | Aiden Wright |
| U9 Girls 100m Man Carry Fins | Gold | Mahli McCarroll |
| U9 Girls 100m Man Carry Fins | Silver | Ava O'Toole |
| U9 Boys 100m Man Carry Fins | Silver | Lucas Camenzulli |
| U9 Girls 50m Tow Clip Fins | Gold | Mahli McCarroll |
| U9 Girls 50m Tow Clip Fins | Silver | Ava O'Toole |
| U9 Boys 50m Tow Clip Fins | Silver | Lucas Camenzulli |
| U9 Girls 50m Manikin Carry | Gold | Mahli McCarroll |
| U9 Girls 50m Manikin Carry | Silver | Ava O'Toole |
| U9 Girls 50m Manikin Carry | Bronze | Layla Pretorius |
| U9 Boys 50m Manikin Carry | Bronze | Lucas Camenzulli |

IRB Victorian Championships – June 2019 13th Beach

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| Open Female Tube Rescue | Gold | Abby Esdale, Kate Czeryn, Rhys Treloar |
| Open Female Tube Rescue | Silver | Erin Damen, Soph Ivey, Kane Treloar |
| Open Female Mass Rescue | Gold | Kate Czeryn, Rachael Moloney, Abby Esdale, Christian Aquila |
| Open Female Mass Rescue | Bronze | Sophie Doro, Ella Cridland, Daniel Aquila, Rhys Treloar |
| Opens Male Mass Rescue | Silver | Calum Dickson, Alastair Thomas, Erin Damen, Abby Esdale |
| Open Male Mass Rescue | Bronze | Christian Aquila, Shaun Leith, Sophie Doro, Antonia Rayner |
| Open Female Teams Rescue | Bronze | Soph Ivey, Sophie Doro, Greta Curran, Ella Cridland, Daniel Aquila, James Aquila |
| Open Male Teams Rescue | Bronze | Rhys Treloar, Alex Walton, Kane Treloar, James Aquila, Kyalla Happ |
| Open Female Rescue | Gold | Kate Czeryn, Rachael Moloney, Abby Esdale |
| Open Female Rescue | Silver | Sophie Doro, Ella Cridland, Daniel Aquila |
| Open Male Rescue | Gold | Christian Aquila, Shaun Leith, Antonia Rayner |
| Open Male Rescue | Silver | Calum Dickson, Alastair Thomas, Erin Damen |
| Open IRB Relay | Gold | |

Australian IRB Championships

Williamstown SLSC Australian Champions

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| Open Female Tube Rescue | Gold | Abby Esdale, Kate Czeryn, Rhys Treloar |
| Open IRB Relay | Silver | |

Senior Victorian Pool Championships – September 2019 Greensborough

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| U15 Female 200m Obstacle Race | Gold | Brydie Logan |
| U15 Female 100m Man Carry Fins | Gold | Brydie Logan |
| U15 Female 200m Super Lifesaver | Silver | Brydie Logan |
| U15 Female 100m Mannequin Tow | Gold | Brydie Logan |
| U15 Female 50m Mannequin Carry | Gold | Brydie Logan |
| Open Female 100m Rescue Med | Silver | Brydie Logan |
| U19 Male 200m Obstacle Race | Silver | Thomas Frisby |
| U19 Male 100m Man Carry Fins | Bronze | Thomas Frisby |
| U19 Male 200m Super Lifesaver | Silver | Thomas Frisby |
| U19 Male 100m Mannequin Tow | Gold | Thomas Frisby |
| U19 Male 50m Mannequin Carry | Gold | Thomas Frisby |
| U19 Male 100m Rescue Med | Gold | Thomas Frisby |

Victorian Endurance Championships – December 2019 Mornington

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| u14 2k female run | Gold | Nathasha Rourke |
| u14 2k female run | Silver | Alexandra Schulz |
| u17 4k male run | Gold | Nick Frisby |
| Open 4k female run | Gold | Claire Hodgart |
| Open 2k female swim | Silver | Claire Hodgart |
| Masters 4k female run | Gold | Sally Leung |
| Masters 4k male board | Gold | Brad Cummins |
| Masters 4k male board | Silver | Paul Patrick |
| Masters 4k male run | Gold | Paul Patrick |
| Masters 4k male run | Bronze | Darren Minns |
| Masters 6k male ski | Gold | Darren Minns |

Victorian Masters Championships – February 2020 Lorne

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| 30-34 Male Beach Sprint | Gold | Daniel Burgess |
| 35-39 Male Beach Sprint | Bronze | Bradley Cummins |
| 35-39 Male Board Race | Bronze | Bradley Cummins |
| 35-39 Male Ironman | Gold | Bradley Cummins |
| 45-49 Female 2km Run | Bronze | Michelle Nation |
| 45-49 Male 2km Run | Gold | Paul Patrick |
| 45-49 Male Board Race | Silver | Travis Minns |
| 45-49 Male Ironman | Silver | Travis Minns |
| 35-39 Male Double Ski Race | Silver | Bradley Cummins, Paul Patrick |
| 50-54 Female 2km Run | Bronze | Sally Leung |
| 50-54 Female Surf Race | Bronze | Sally Leung |
| 60-64 Male Board Race | Silver | Andrew Breedon |
| 140+ Male Beach Relay | Gold | Daniel Burgess, Paul Patrick, Bradley Cummins, Travis Minns |
| 200+ Female Beach Relay | Bronze | Valerie Scholes, Michelle Nation, Claire Howell, Gillian Schalkwijk |

Victorian Junior Championships – March 2020 Warrnambool

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| U10 Girls Flags | Silver | Mahli McCarroll |
| U10 Girls Surf Race | Gold | Mahli McCarroll |
| U10 Girls Surf Race | Bronze | Madigan Carroll |
| U10 Girls Board Race | Silver | Mahli McCarroll |
| U10 Girls Run | Bronze | Madigan Carroll |
| U10 Girls Sprint | Silver | Madigan Carroll |
| U10 Girls Surf Teams | Gold | Ava O'Toole, Layla Pretorius, Madigan Carroll, Mahli McCarroll |
| U10 Girls Wade Relay | Silver | Ava O'Toole, Layla Pretorius, Madigan Carroll, Mahli McCarroll |
| U10 Girls Aqua Cam | Silver | Ava O'Toole, Layla Pretorius, Madigan Carroll, Mahli McCarroll |
| U12 RnR | Gold | Luca Fraser, Sahara Bull |
| U14/15 RnR | Gold | Natasha Rourke, Sinead Sullivan |
| U14/15 RnR | Silver | McKenzie Bull, Alexandra Schultz |

Senior Awards

2020 water / pool competition award

Female Brydie Logan

Male Tom Frisby

2020 beach competition award

Female Sally Leung

Male Daniel Burgess

Team of the Year

Paul Patrick, Bradley Cummins, Travis Minns, Darren Minns

Point to Point Swim

Not completed due to Covid 19

Best Junior Lifesaver

(Police Shield)

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Club Member of the Year

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Junior Awards

Junior Club Champion

Girls Mahli McCarroll

Boys Mackinlee Carroll

Age Champion

U9 Girls Mieke Pretorius

U9 Boys Mackinlee Carroll

U10 Girls Mahli McCarroll

U10 Boys Lucas Camenzuli

U11 Boys Nathaniel Glover

U12 Girls Simone Phelan

U13 Boys Lachlan Wright

Surf Sport Award

Girls Layla Pretorius

Boys Lachlan Wright

Pool Champions

Girls Mahli McCarroll

Boys Lucas Camenzuli

Nippers Coaches Awards

Under 6

Lana Budinoska

Richie Wynn

Under 7

Ruby Johnson

Kip Lear

Under 8

Bonnie McCarroll

Bailey Piper

Under 9

Jack Elmore

Under 10

Lily Nikolai

Lucas Camenzuli

Under 11

Madison Fletcher

Lachlan McQueeney

Under 12

Ruby Zabakly

Shaan Saini

Under 13

Ava Hemsley-Woolley

Lachlan Wright

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