



World's First Surf Club
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Weekly Newsletter

20th October 2005

Welcome back to Bronte SLSC e-news for the 2005/2006 season. It is planned that there will be regular e-news during the season, possibly on a weekly basis but certainly fortnightly. It will take the format of last season and any contributions regarding surf club news and those supporters/sponsors of the Club will be gratefully accepted

Patrols

Things are a little different this season compared to last. If you have any problems or questions please contact either David Stone private1@bigpond.com or Cameron Miles c_miles@tpg.com.au

If you are going to miss a patrol organise a sub or if unable to do this let your patrol captain know. It's only common courtesy. If you miss 2 patrols without informing anyone or without a reasonable excuse you will be suspended from the Club. If you miss 3 patrols your membership will be cancelled.

This coming weekend's patrols are:

Saturday 22nd October

Patrol 1, 10am — 1.15pm

Patrol 5, 12.45pm — 4.00pm

Sunday 23rd October

Patrol 13, 10am — 1:15pm

Patrol 18, 12.45pm — 4:00pm

Remember Cadet patrol members do their last 2 hours of the patrol to which you are rostered. Any queries in this regard should be directed to Club Captain David Stone or Vice Captain Cameron Miles.

Proficiency Dates

Remember all active members must be proficient. No proficiency, no hours credited. Dates are scheduled as per below.

- Sunday 20th November
- Sunday 11th December
- Sunday 18th December
- Note — there will be no proficiency on 4th December due to Bondi to Bronte

Bronze & SRC proficiencies start at 10am sharp.

ARC proficiencies start at 12 noon.

There will be no additional proficiencies run after 18th December so get in early.

******* Incentive - if you attend the first proficiency on 20th November you will go into a draw for 2 tickets to a 2006 Wallabies Test or a \$50 voucher for dinner at a local restaurant of your choice.*******

Bondi to Bronte

The 5th Bondi to Bronte is only 6 weeks away and once again we will call on all Club members to help out with the event. We will advise of B2B meetings for helpers in the coming weeks. Water safety people are especially required as there will be about 1500 swimmers. Contact Graham Ford 0412 299 701.

Coolangatta Gold

This event was resurrected and held last Sunday. Congratulations to our competitors Scott Thomson who finished 9th overall, Tom Woodriff and Bruce Hopkins. Also our junior competitors John McCarthy and Troy Quinlan performed outstandingly well finishing 4th and 5th respectively. The event was filmed and will be shown in a few weeks time.

Melbourne Cup Lunch

Don't forget the Melbourne Cup day at the Club. Great value at \$45 a head which includes seafood and mixed buffet, all races shown from 10.30am, sweeps, have a punt, hat parade etc. Last year was great, this year will be better.

Cadet Events

All first year cadets note that a cadet program will be held each Sunday morning at 8.30am. Emphasis will be on fun activities and it starts this Sunday, 23rd October 2005.

Clothing Store

See Karen in the store this weekend for your new season cossies .

Training

Scott Thomson's surf squad trains every afternoon at 4pm and everyone is welcome. See Scott's program on the notice board.

Surf Race and Jog

Both these events have commenced. Results will again be posted in the newsletter.

Book of Bronte Sketches

A book of 14 drawings of the Bronte area with historical notes is available from Bronte Library in Denison Street. Publication of this book has been made possible by the financial support of the Friends of Waverley Library. For the small cost of \$6 you can acquire this book of sketches which show many historical and interesting views of the area. Send your order (and cheque for \$6 inclusive of GST and postage) to Waverley Library, 32-48 Denison Street Bondi Junction 2022.

Vale

Members will be saddened to hear of the passing of long time member Frank Egan. In addition Mike Stringer, long time Bronte supporter also passed away after a very sudden illness.

Worlds 2006 Meeting

Bronte will be sending a team of 6 females and 6 males to the World Lifesaving Inter-Club Championships in Lorne Victoria on February 13-14 2006.

Those interested in competing should attend the meeting at the Club next Sunday 23rd October at 4pm. If you can't make it call Graham Ford on 0412 299 701.

Warning

The Club takes every possible care and precaution re virus protection of its e-mails etc. We have quite sophisticated software and firewalls installed to protect against incoming viruses and worms that get into the system, as well as only opening emails that we believe are genuine. However you can't be too careful and if in doubt save to file or disc before opening.

Note: If you don't wish to receive Bronte SLSC e-news please advise the office. If there are members that you are aware that may wish to receive this e-news please let them know so they can provide us with their email address.