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SCARBORO ECHO

Annual General Meeting This Friday 22nd June 2012 7pm in the club hall

From the President

This Friday night sees the official end to our club year which will culminate with our AGM.

The AGM will commence at 7pm and all members must be financial at that time for their nominations to be successful and to retain their voting rights as per our constitution. We will endeavour to keep the meeting as short as possible and our Annual Report will be available from Friday night for all members. The bar will be open from 6pm and we can take memberships then but would prefer if possible for payments to be done on line or through the office during the day. Glenda has agreed to make us some of her very special hamburgers which will be available after the AGM.

I'd like to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to all members for the great year we've had, I thank all members who have taken on committee and appointed positions and I'd like to acknowledge the outstanding contribution of members who have told me they are standing down from their current positions.

Firstly Dave (Tommo) Thomson, much to the delight of Deb I'm sure is standing down from Club Captain, Dave has been a popular figure on our beach and the go to man at Scarboro, he will be sorely missed on the Executive Committee.

Jody Ballard is stepping down from Lifesaving, I think everyone will agree that Jody has been an outstanding Lifesaving Officer and the improvement in our patrols under Jody's guidance has really been outstanding. Jody has nominated for the position of Club Captain and I look forward to working with Jody in that role.

Alan Carville has decided not to continue in the role of Competition Officer, we will miss his acerbic wit and formidable styling at our carnivals, and some say our lack of competitors may have been due to the pressure of keeping up with Al in the GQ category. Thank you Alan for persisting through a tough competition year last season.

John Snook has relinquished the Ski Captain role this year after helping to build our too few paddlers into something resembling a small squad. Well done on your efforts John and I'm sure you will still remain involved in developing this area.

Karen O'Connor has also decided to have a break after a few years as Membership Officer, thank you Karen for helping us deal well with our new members. Karen has made all new members feel welcome and given them a great introduction to the club.

Janet Hall has decided she will no longer be able to run the canteen over the summer period; Janet has been involved in the canteen for as long as I can remember and really will be missed.

Thank you again to all members, and I look forward to seeing you all on Friday night.

Elise Irwin

Club Captain

I thought I would take a quick opportunity to let people know (if they already didn't), that I will not be standing for the position of Club Captain this Season.

I would also like to thank all the people, Club members, Committees and Exec Members for all their help and support over the past 5 seasons as Club Captain.

With the seasons ultimate change to the Club's Executive Committee I believe the Club is in a healthy state of affairs and looks very sound heading towards our future endeavours.

I would especially like to acknowledge my family Lauren, Sean and to thank my wife Debbie for her constant support and encouragement.

I will still be around this season just taking up a position on the back bench for now.

Thanks to all once again who have helped me manage my way through.

Cheers

Tomo

Swim Training

Days:	Monday & Wednesday		
Time:	5:30-6:30pm		
Location:	Bold Park Aquatic Centre		
Open to:	All active members aged 13 and over		
Cost:	Adult (over 15 years)	$5.00	
	Child (5 - 14 years)	$3.70	
	Student *	$4.40	* valid concession cards must be shown every time
	Multi-passes available		
Equipment:	BYO fins, kick board & pull buoy		

Club Bar

The club bar is now open every Friday night from 6pm.

Lifeguard applications now open!

2012/2013 Lifeguard applications are now open on line at www.lifeguards.com.au and will be open until the 31 August 2012.

If the are any queries please get them to email me at cbowley@mybeach.com.au.

Kind regards

Craig Bowley Lifeguard Services Coordinator, Surf Life Saving Western Australia

Swimming development clinic

When: Sunday 24 June

Who: Greg Towle, National Open Water Coach from Swimming Australia will be running this Clinic.

Samantha has included all the details for the coach and athlete session but would like to encourage interested members to register for the session so we know what numbers we are expecting. Members can register by emailing Samantha (sfarrow@slsa.asn.au) their name, surf club and the session they want to attend or ringing me (02 9215 8074) with their details.

The athlete session is open to all surf athletes 14 years and over. The coach session is open to all surf coaches regardless of their area of expertise, all coaches are encouraged to stay on for the athlete session so that they can watch Greg in action.

If there are any questions then please let Samantha know. Please refer to the attached flyer.

Kind Regards,

Patrick Allin I Sports Development Officer

Surf Life Saving Western Australia

Officials Pool Rescue Development session

Russell Green - Australian Pool Rescue Coach

6pm-8pm Friday 22nd June 2012

@ SLSWA, Samuel Way, North Beach WA,6020

Please for this RSVP ASAP

Pool Rescue Relay Development session

Russell Green - Australian Pool Rescue Coach

9am-12pm Saturday 23rd June 2012

@ Challenge Stadium, Stephenson Avenue,
Mt Claremont WA 6010

Registration: Please Enter via your clubs entry system via the office

Pool Rescue Practice Carnival

1pm-5pm Saturday 23rd June 2012

@ Challenge Stadium, Stephenson Avenue,
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