

The GunnShot #54

Back to School edition



9th February 2023

From: David Stogdale – President of Gunnamatta SLSC

This week's GunnShot has:

1. Patrols this weekend
2. Congratulations to the Raffle winners
3. Members with new qualifications
4. See the table of forthcoming courses
5. Committee meeting at the Clubhouse this coming Sunday morning.
6. Pink Patrol – 18th February 2023; Zoe McKenzie MP to attend.
7. Patrol times reminder
8. Club Calendar – use the link to view it in real time.

Patrols this weekend - Saturday 11th Feb and Sunday 12th Feb

Saturday 11th February – Hooded Plovers; Arrive 12.30pm for 1pm start. Patrol ends 6pm.

Sunday 12th February – Young Gunns; Arrive 9.30am for 10am start. Patrol ends 6.00pm

Contratulations to the Raffle winners

Some lucky winners have already collected their prizes at Trigger Bros.

The Richards Family have already made their choices courtesy of Phil Trigger and the team at Trigger Bros – Point Leo.

We are VERY lucky to have Phil and his team provide such an excellent prize.

Trigger Bros have been long standing supporters of Gunnamatta SLSC.

If you ever need some thing for your surf needs please visit Phil and team at their Point Leo shop to get the best service and deals on the Peninsula.



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New qualifications

Congratulations to six members that updated their HLTAID 009 (CPR) unit of competency last weekend and also to Geoff Toogood, who qualified as an IRB Driver. Well done all.

Other courses on offer from now to mid year via LSV training

A number of members have had their first aid and advanced Resus qualifications lapse due to the replacement of old units for the current units. If you hold the old units, it is time to update yourself at one of the many courses that LSV is offering. There are many dates on offer.

Our Club goal is to have over 50% of our patrollers holding current First Aid and Advanced Resus qualifications before the start of next season.

Date	Location	Course
18 February 2023	LSV State Centre	ART & First Aid – ARTFA
25-26 February 2023	Frankston LSC	Training Officers Certificate
4 March 2023	LSV State Centre	Side By Side Vehicle Operator – 2 Sessions Available
4-5 March 2023	LSV State Centre	Training Officer Certificate
18 March 2023	LSV State Centre	ART & First Aid – ARTFA
15 April 2023	LSV State Centre	ART & First Aid – ARTFA
22-23 April 2023	LSV State Centre	Training Officer Certificate
06 May 2023	LSV State Centre	ART & First Aid – ARTFA
13-14 May 2023	LSV State Centre	Training Officers Certificate
20 May 2023	LSV State Centre	ART & First Aid - ARTFA
03 June 2023	LSV State Centre	ART & First Aid - ARTFA
17 June 2023	LSV State Centre	ART & First Aid - ARTFA
17-18 June 2023	Club Location TBA	Training Officers Certificate
26-27 June 2023	LSV State Centre	Training Officers Certificate (Monday & Tuesday)

To see the full circular with all the dates and other information go to:

<https://lsv.com.au/wp-content/uploads/Circular-227.01.23-State-Run-Course-Calendar-to-end-of-June-2023.pdf>

All of these courses are open now. If you wish to attend one of the Training Officer courses please give me a call and we can discuss. The Club will run SSV courses at the end of the season for those that need to upskill to the new qualification.

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Committee meeting this Sunday morning at the Club

One of the rare meetings of the Committee at the Club will occur this Sunday morning. We will commence at 10am. We should be done by 12.30pm or so. Please feel free to come and have a chat after we have managed the affairs of state.

Pink Patrol 18th Feb 2023

Pink Patrol is happening on 18 Feb 2023.

Pink patrol is an initiative of Surf Lifesaving Australia, celebrating the contribution that female lifesavers provide to our fantastic patrol teams.

This year, the Club has via Georgia Ryan, provided activities for our female members commencing at 11.15am on Saturday 18th Feb.

The Club is pleased to support this activity and encourages patrollers as well non patrollers to join in the day.

We have just received news that **Zoe McKenzie, the Federal Member for Flinders would join us for a visit around 3.30pm (or so)**. This is excellent news as Zoe has taken over from Greg Hunt, the former local Member and supporter of the Club. It is also great to have a female Member of Parliament attend the Club on Pink Patrol day.

Already we have over twenty female patrollers attending. Why not join them?

Come and meet our female patrollers and join in on the fun of the day.

It is also the last patrol of the Lifeguards schedule, so there will be plenty to celebrate.

The Club will provide a wide selection of nibbles at the end of the day from 6pm to compliment the Trap's ridiculous bar prices. Soft Drinks will be provided FOC.

The TRAP will be OPEN from end of Patrol. Parents and friends are all invited attend.

GUNNAMATTA SLSC

PINK PATROL 2023

SAT FEB 18TH

11:15 am
ARRIVE AT THE CLUBHOUSE

11:30 am
BEACH YOGA/PILATES & SWIM

12:15 am
BRUNCH - ACAI BOWLS

1:00 pm
PATROL

6:00 pm
NIBBLES & DRINKS

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Patrol times Reminder:

Peak season dates: 25th of December-26th of February.

Saturday Peak season 1:00pm flags up - 6:00 flags down (take over from lifeguards)

Sunday peak season 10:00am flags up - 6:00pm flags down

Post peak season dates: 27th of February- 25th of April.

Saturday post season 1:00pm flags up - 4:30 flags down

Sunday post season 10:00am flags up - 4:30 flags down

Always aim to be there at least half an hour (30 minutes) before flags up to set up for patrol.

Club Calendar – go to the soft copy for ALL the information.

Go to this link:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1D2M73ZDfHvZZ_CjGRYYKk1E5c68Ho0PFpnMP60QTboQ/edit?usp=sharing

See All the patrol lists, Nipper dates, Training Schedule, Social Calendar, Sport team dates and of course the whole season dates. This is in a spreadsheet format and will be updated as needs be. We will advise of updates, but you should copy the link into your device and keep it handy.

To see the hard copy of the Club Calendar – go to the face book page or Team App.

See you soon,

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