SLSQ SNAPSHOT

3,894 RESCUES

35% INCREASE IN RESCUES PERFORMED

33,011 MEMBERS

158,585 ENGAGED VIA COMMUNITY AWARENESS PROGRAMS

65,133 FIRST AID TREATMENTS

12,865 TRAINED IN FIRST AID & CPR

319,101 VOLUNTEER PATROL HOURS

716,215 PREVENTATIVE ACTIONS
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- Ellis Beach
- Cairns
- Ezy Bay
- Mission Beach

North Barrier Branch
- Forrest Beach
- Arcadian
- Townsville Picnic Bay
- Ayr
- Eimeo
- Mackay
- Sarina

Wide Bay Capricorn Branch
- Yeppoon
- Emu Park
- Tannum Sands
- Agnes Water
- Moore Park
- Bundaberg
- Elliott Heads
- Hervey Bay

Sunshine Coast Branch
- Rainbow Beach
- Noosa Heads
- Sunshine Beach
- Coolum Beach
- Maroochydore
- Mudjimba
- Maroochydore
- Alexandra Headland
- Mooloolaba
- Kawana Waters
- Dicky Beach
- Metropolitan Caloundra
- Bribie Island
- Redcliffe Peninsula

South Coast Branch
- Point Lookout
- Coochiemudlo Island
- Southport
- Surfers Paradise
- Northcliffe
- Broadbeach
- Kurrawa
- Mermaid Beach
- Nobby’s Beach
- Miami Beach
- North Burleigh
- Burleigh Heads Mowbray Park

Point Danger Branch
- Tallebudgera
- Pacific
- Palm Beach
- Currimundi
- Tugun
- Bilinga
- North Kirra
- Kirra
- Coolangatta
- Tweed Heads & Coolangatta
- Rainbow Bay

Operations Support

Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Service
Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Drone Program
Rescue Water Craft service
SurfCom communications centres
State Operations and Communications Centre
Duty Officer program
Coastalwatch cameras
Brisbane Lifesaving Service
Emergency Response Groups
Gold Coast Dawn and Dusk Patrols

Australian Lifeguard Service

Servicing:
- Bundaberg Regional Council
- Burdekin Shire Council
- Cassowary Coast Regional Council
- Cairns Regional Council
- Council of the City of Gold Coast
- Douglas Shire Council
- Fraser Coast Regional Council
- Gladstone Regional Council
- Gympie Regional Council
- Hinchinbrook Shire Council
- Livingstone Shire Council
- Mackay Regional Council
- Moreton Bay Regional Council
- Noosa Shire Council
- Redland City Council
- South Bank Corporation
- Sunshine Coast Council
- Townsville City Council
- Whitsunday Regional Council

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Notice of SLSQ Annual General Meeting

The 2018/19 Annual Report will be presented at the 89th Annual General Meeting of Surf Life Saving Queensland, to be held at Surf Rescue House in South Brisbane on Friday, 23 August 2019.

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WHO WE ARE

Surf Life Saving Queensland (SLSQ) is the state’s leading authority on aquatic safety and surf rescue, and one of the largest volunteer-based community service organisations in Australia.

From humble beginnings, when the first official rescue was recorded on a Queensland beach in 1909, SLSQ has developed into a ground-breaking and highly innovative organisation encompassing 57 clubs and more than 30,000 men, women and children across the state.

Since its inception, SLSQ’s volunteer surf lifesavers and lifeguards have directly saved the lives of more than 130,000 people through in-water rescues, and educated in excess of 10 million people about surf and aquatic safety through targeted and grassroots community awareness programs.

SLSQ is directly affiliated with, and is part of, Surf Life Saving Australia (SLSA) and the International Life Saving Federation (ILS).

As a not-for-profit organisation, SLSQ relies heavily on community support and donations to continue our vital work both on and off Queensland’s beaches. It is the generous support of Queenslanders that enables us to help keep beachgoers safe.

WHY WE EXIST

SLSQ is built on a fundamental principle: to save lives.

Our organisation encompasses several diverse arms – lifesaving and lifeguarding services, community education, membership services, surf sports, fundraising, commercial training and member training – all supporting one overarching purpose.

Queensland’s mainland coastline is extensive, stretching more than 6,000 kilometres from the Gulf of Carpentaria in the west and Cape York in the north to Point Danger in the southeast. With more than 700 accessible beaches along this expanse, the state boasts some of the world’s most popular sandy stretches, attracting approximately 30 million visitors to our beaches every year.

Unfortunately, despite significant advances in technology, techniques and knowledge, people still drown on Queensland beaches.

SLSQ aims to set the benchmark in lifesaving service provision, rescue practices, emergency care and training and education as we strive to make our stunning coastline safer for everyone who uses it. A commitment to continuous improvement across all areas of our operation ensures we are highly regarded across Australia and around the world.

We are leaders in our industry, and are committed to maintaining this stance to ensure we are equipped for the future.

OUR VISION

Zero preventable deaths in Queensland public waters.

OUR MISSION

SLSQ will operate as a proactive and effective peak body, leading the way in lifesaving service provision, education, sport, beach safety advocacy and community leadership.

OUR STRATEGIC IMPERATIVES

Committed To Our Community
To advocate water safety management and continue to enhance the reputation of SLSQ as the peak body.

Connected To Our People
To recruit and retain the best people through support and development of their skills and knowledge.

Effective In Our Business
To plan and execute our day-to-day operations to an outstanding level of efficiency, with continuous improvement always in mind.

Sustainable For Our Future
To ensure SLSQ is equipped for the future through continuous growth, strong financial management and sound governance.
PATRON’S MESSAGE

For more than a century, the surf lifesaving movement in Queensland has been a symbol of sun, sand and safety as it watches with flying colours over the wellbeing of others.

As Governor and Patron of Surf Life Saving Queensland (SLSQ), I am incredibly proud of the many men and women whose brave actions have benefited millions of people, locals and tourists alike.

Unfortunately, the year 2018/19 saw a rise in the number of suspected drownings, with the vast majority occurring at unpatrolled locations or outside of designated patrol hours. More than 20 beachgoers tragically lost their lives, compared to seven last year. In the same period there was a significant jump in the number of first aid treatments, from approximately 35,000 to over 65,000.

These figures highlight the need to make people aware of the dangers. I am pleased that over the past 12 months, SLSQ’s community campaigns engaged with more than 150,000 people, helping to keep them and their loved ones safe in and around the water. The program complements a raft of other measures, including the use of extended patrols, the adoption of new technology such as drones and the ability to send safety alerts in seven languages via mobile phone.

On behalf of all Queenslanders, I would like to thank the SLSQ Board, staff and volunteers for their marvellous efforts and their continued commitment to SLSQ’s immensely beneficial cause.

I wish you all every success in the year ahead.

His Excellency the Honourable Paul de Jersey AC
Governor of Queensland

PREMIER’S MESSAGE

Surf Life Saving Queensland (SLSQ) is an essential and dependable part of our state’s beach culture.

During the 2018/19 patrol season, Queensland volunteer lifesavers rescued more than 1,300 people, performed 82,000 preventative actions and applied 22,974 first aid treatments.

The red and yellow army also launched two new safety campaigns, organised additional and extended patrols during peak holiday periods, and worked to keep people out of the dangerous swells generated by Tropical Cyclone Oma.

As Queenslanders adopt innovative practices from the classroom to the boardroom, SLSQ is keeping pace, embracing new technology to complement its activities on the sand and in the surf.

In the past year, SLSQ has partnered with Westpac to introduce 12 new Lifesaver Rescue Drones at locations from Cairns to North Stradbroke Island, and has trialled new Life-Fi technology – funded by the Department of Innovation, Tourism Industry Development and the Commonwealth Games – which delivers real-time, multilingual safety alerts to beachgoers.

Such progress would not be possible without strong leadership and I would like to acknowledge Mr John Brennan OAM, who earlier this year stepped down as CEO of SLSQ, following a quarter of a century of dedicated service to the organisation.

On behalf of the people of Queensland, I extend my gratitude to Mr Brennan, the SLSQ Board and the thousands of volunteers who devote their time to creating safe havens along our extensive coast.

Annastacia Palaszczuk MP
Premier of Queensland
Minister for Trade
BOARD BIOGRAPHY

Mark Fife OAM
President
Since joining Surf Life Saving in 1975, Mark has become the epitome of the iconic Aussie surf lifesaver. Mark is a former Club and Branch President, was the Australian Director of Life Saving for five years, and is the only person to have been recognised as both the Australian Surf Lifesaver of the Year and Australian Volunteer of the Year. He is a Life Member of Broadbeach SLSC, South Coast Branch, SLQ, and SLSA. In 2013 he received an OAM for his contributions to surf lifesaving and was inducted into SLSA’s National Hall of Fame in 2015.

Michael White
Deputy President
Michael has been involved in the surf lifesaving movement for more than 20 years. He is a former Director and Secretary of Alexandra-Headland SLSC, and a former member of SLQ’s Judiciary. He has been a patrol captain for 10 years and a helicopter rescue crewman for six years. An accomplished athlete, Michael has competed at the international level and has won 24 medals on the national stage. Outside of surf lifesaving, he is a barrister at the Sunshine Coast Barristers Chambers, and has also acted as an Independent Director to a number of community association boards.

Amanda Lawson
Director of Finance
Amanda has over 25 years of experience as a senior executive in business, professional services practices and listed companies. She holds a Bachelor of Commerce and has completed postgraduate studies in professional services and assurance. Amanda joined Point Lookout SLSC in 2010 as a Junior Activites parent and has served her local club in finance and fundraising roles since then, as well as being a member of the SLQ Audit, Finance and Compliance Committee since 2016. She is a chartered accountant, has previously served on numerous not-for-profit boards and currently runs her own consulting company.

Laurie Murphy
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Laurie joined the movement as a nipper in 1971 before completing his Bronze Medallion at Mooloolaba in 1974. While most of his seasons have been spent at Maroochydore SLSC, he has been a member of numerous clubs in Queensland and New South Wales, holding a variety of positions including Secretary, Captain and Boat Captain. Professionally, Laurie is the CEO of BGW Group, a large Australian-owned business operating through multiple locations in Australia and South East Asia. He also holds a number of directorships on boards of private companies.

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Kaitlyn is a Life Member of Mudjimba and has held operational and leadership roles at club, branch and state level. She is an active lifesaver, surf sports competitor, and a trainer/assessor. In 2010/11 she was awarded Queensland Surf Lifesaver of the Year. Off the beach, Kaitlyn leads people and strategy in commercial and government environments. She holds roles in the business community and working groups for the Sunshine Coast. Kaitlyn has an MBA, is a Fellow of AIML, AICD member, has a postgraduate certificate in Strategic Talent Management from Stanford, and Strategic Innovation and Sustainability Reporting with Harvard Business School.

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Independent Director
Warwick is currently the Director-General at the Queensland Department of Local Government, Racing and Multicultural Affairs. Warwick has senior executive and commercial experience in both public and private sectors. Over the past 20 years, his experience includes senior leadership positions in Queensland Treasury (including Queensland Treasury Corporation Board), Macquarie Capital, and Transfield Services. Warwick has a background in surf lifesaving and recently returned as a nipper parent at Metropolitan Caloundra SLSC in 2015.

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PATRONS AND HONOURS

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SLSQ offers its deepest respect and sympathy to the friends and family of members who have passed away this year. In particular, condolences are extended to the friends and family of Life Member Jack Paterson who passed away during 2018/19.

Condolences are also extended to the members of Surf Life Saving who have suffered bereavements in their families.

Australian Honours

Awarded Australia Day 2019:
Mr Allan Inwood AM – Officially made a Member (AM) in the General Division of the Order of Australia for significant service to surf lifesaving at a local, state and national level.
Mr Ian Hanson OAM – Awarded a Medal (OAM) of the Order of Australia in the General Division for service to media and communications, and to sport, including surf lifesaving.

Awarded Queen’s Birthday 2019:
Mr Wayne Cole OAM – Awarded a Medal (OAM) of the Order of Australia in the General Division for service to surf lifesaving.
Mr Daniel Stewart OAM – Awarded a Medal (OAM) of the Order of Australia in the General Division for service to surf lifesaving.
Mrs Beverley Walsh OAM – Awarded a Medal (OAM) of the Order of Australia in the General Division for service to surf lifesaving.

Life Members 2018/19*

Congratulations are extended to the following individuals, awarded Life Membership of SLSQ at the Annual General Meeting on 24 August 2018.
Scott Andrews
Lorraine Buhk OAM
Jean Couper
Shirley Holden
Peter Marshall

* A full list of SLSQ’s Life Members can be found on page 36.

Patron

His Excellency the Governor of Queensland, the Honourable Paul de Jersey AC.

Vice Patrons

Hon Annastacia Palaszczuk MP
Hon Jackie Trad MP
Hon Craig Crawford MP
Hon Mick de Brenni
Hon Cameron Dick MP
Hon Leeanne Enoch MP
Hon Di Farmer MP
Hon Dr Steven Miles MP
Hon Kate Jones MP
Hon Mark Ryan MP
Hon Curtis Pitt MP
Hon Steven Ciobo MP
Hon Peter Dutton MP
Mrs Deb Frecklington MP
Lord Mayor Graham Quirk
Mr Stephen Bennett MP
Mr Michael Hart MP
Mrs Brittany Lauga MP
Ms Fiona Simpson MP
Dr Jim Chalmers MP
Cr Matt Burnett
Cr Mick Curran
Cr Jack Dempsey
Cr Jenny Hill
Cr Mark Jamieson
Cr Ramon Jayo
Cr John Kremastos
Cr Bill Ludwig
Cr Bob Manning
Cr Allan Sutherland
Cr Karen Williams
Cr Greg Williamson
Ms Katarina Carroll APM
Mr Ian Stewart APM
Mr Jim McGowan AM
Mr Stephen Maitland OAM RFD
Mr Daniel Gschwind
On 2 December 2018, SLSQ’s South Bank Lifeguard Service received an emergency call for help after a member of the public collapsed within the parklands.

Responding immediately, lifeguards arrived on scene to find the patient unconscious, bleeding profusely, and showing no signs of life. They commenced treatment straight away, working with police officers to apply compressions and oxygen before using a defibrillator to deliver multiple shocks. This vital treatment continued until paramedics arrived and rushed the gentleman to hospital in a critical condition.

Unbeknownst to first responders at the time, the patient had suffered a major cardiac arrest, resulting in a period of up to 23 minutes where his brain was being starved of oxygen. Remarkably, and thankfully, he survived, however, if it wasn’t for the quick actions and expert care from two of SLSQ’s lifeguards that afternoon, it almost certainly would have ended differently.

A few months later SLSQ received a letter from the man’s family, thanking those involved for their amazing work and acknowledging the role our lifeguards had played in saving his life.

“To say it has been a difficult couple of weeks for our family is an understatement,” the letter read.

“But, thanks to those lifeguards that day we had the best Christmas present we could have hoped for – a recovering husband, father, brother, and son. You will never know how grateful we are.”

Those few lines say more than I ever could about the extraordinary impact our movement has had, and continues to have, on families and communities across the state. And yet, as remarkable as this story is, it’s important to note there are literally thousands of other individuals who have been rescued, resuscitated, treated, or otherwise assisted by our volunteer surf lifesavers and professional lifeguards over the years.

In fact, since SLSQ’s inception back in 1930, our lifesavers and lifeguards have combined to directly rescue 144,391 swimmers in distress. This is a remarkable figure, and something our entire movement should be extremely proud of.

From a personal perspective, it has been a tremendous honour to have served as President of SLSQ in 2018/19 – my third year in the role. We have taken some significant strides forward as an organisation over the past 12 months, and I truly believe we have laid a strong foundation for long-term growth and development.

This was underpinned by an extensive structural review, which was finalised and implemented this season. Change is inevitable within any organisation, and it’s important that SLSQ is constantly evolving and adapting to ensure we’re in a position to remain sustainable and service Queensland communities for the next 100 years and beyond. Importantly, the restructure process has done exactly that, and provides SLSQ with a framework to build upon our recent success and deliver the best possible outcome for all members.

Meanwhile, a review into our surf sports program was also completed, with the subsequent recommendations already beginning to filter down through to all levels. Competitive surf lifesaving remains an important tool for SLSQ when it comes to member recruitment, retention, and training, and I look forward to seeing our sporting programs continuing to grow in the years to come.

In closing, I would like to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to the SLSQ Board, Council, volunteers, and all staff members for their support across the past season. It has been a pleasure to have worked alongside such a passionate and committed group of people, all sharing a collective vision of saving lives.

I would also like to acknowledge and thank our former chief executive officer John Brennan OAM, who stepped down from the role in January. John departed SLSQ after 25 years of professional service, including the past eight as CEO. His commitment to the movement during this time was second to none, and he leaves behind a strong legacy for our organisation and its members. I also wish to acknowledge our former chief operating officer George Hill ESM for his 19 years of service to the organisation.

Thanks are also extended to Kris Beavis, who served as Acting CEO for five months, from February through to early July. His experience during a transitional period for this organisation was valued and appreciated by all.

As we head into 2019/20, I look forward to continuing our work both on and off the beach as we strive towards our vision of ‘Zero preventable deaths in Queensland public waters.’

Mark Fife OAM
President
Surf Life Saving Queensland
A busy beach, a summer’s day, and a treacherous flash rip; it could have been a recipe for disaster.

That was the situation facing a group of pioneer surf lifesavers at Greenmount Beach back on 21 February 1909, when a number of swimmers were swept out in the dangerous conditions.

As the patients struggled to keep their heads above water, the lifesavers sprang into action, using a traditional line and belt to successfully return four women and a man back to shore.

It was the first recorded rescue on a Queensland beach and, in reflection, proved to be a defining moment in our organisation’s history. The state’s first surf club was formed shortly after, which provided the foundation for SLSQ as we know it today.

Earlier this year we celebrated the 110th anniversary of that fateful day. The milestone provided us with a wonderful opportunity to look back on more than a century of saving lives and reflect on some of the remarkable developments we’ve seen over that time, both as a volunteer movement and an organisation.

As you would expect, the changes have been considerable. From relatively small beginnings, our movement has grown to span thousands of kilometres along Queensland’s coastline and encompass six branches, 57 clubs, and more than 33,000 members.

However, while SLSQ has grown and evolved over the years, our core intent of saving lives has never wavered. The vigilance and service displayed so valiantly back in 1909 continues to resonate strongly across our membership, within all regions of the state.

Our membership is diverse, but all share the same vision and patrol under the one cap. Some of their stories are shared within this report, which also provides a snapshot of key activities and initiatives rolled out across the past 12 months.

I encourage you to read on to learn more about our core developments in our 2018/19 season.

**Record season of patrols**

It was an incredibly busy year for our volunteer surf lifesavers and professional lifeguards, who combined to perform 716,215 preventative actions, treat 65,133 first aid patients, and rescue 3,894 swimmers. These are remarkable figures, which demonstrate the impact our patrols have had, and continue to have, on Queensland communities.

Tragically, despite these efforts, there was a significant increase in the number of reported drownings this season, with 21 people losing their lives at Queensland beaches. It goes without saying this is a devastating outcome, and our thoughts remain with the families and friends of those involved.

We also grieved for some of our own, with members feeling the loss of Port Campbell lifesavers Ross and Andrew Powell, and Ballina lifesaver Lyn “Rac” Burtonwood. Our deepest condolences go out to their families, friends, and club-mates.

Importantly, each loss of life serves to strengthen our resolve when it comes to increasing and improving surf safety for all. It’s also important to note there could have been significantly more drownings were it not for the bravery and dedication of our patrols across the state. To each surf lifesaver and lifeguard who watched over Queensland beaches this season, I say thank you; our organisation and our entire state owe you a great deal of gratitude.

**Developing our members**

We continue to focus on developing volunteers across all levels of the organisation. This ensures our members are provided with opportunities to upskill and further their personal development while, at the same time, boosting coastal safety and placing highly-trained lifesavers into Queensland communities.

In addition, the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Service remains a critical part of our operations, protecting Queensland’s coastline from the sky and providing vital support to patrols on the beaches. Meanwhile, our network of volunteer duty officers, operations support, and emergency response groups bolster our capacity to deliver a fully-integrated patrol and response service.

**World-class lifeguard service**

Now patrolling at almost 80 locations, the Australian Lifeguard Service Queensland has developed a reputation as one of the world’s finest. The service adds another dimension to our movement, providing opportunities for volunteers to transition into paid roles as professional lifeguards.

**Building a sustainable future**

There have been some considerable changes across SLSQ this season, as the Board worked closely with senior management to refine our strategic intent and roll out a new organisational structure to take us into 2020 and beyond.

Change is part and parcel of any organisation or movement that wants to move forward, and it’s not something we should shy away from. The surf lifesaving movement has a long and proud history in Queensland but with financial costs rising each year, we need to be effective and efficient with our operations to ensure we remain sustainable well into the future. I’m confident the positive steps we have taken over the past 12-18 months will do exactly that.

It is important to note we receive strong support from the Queensland Government and our corporate partners, and the work we do is only possible through this vital assistance. We thank our partners for their support and belief in us.
Celebrating 50 years of Nippers

Our organisation marked another milestone this year, with SLSQ’s iconic Nippers program notching up its 50th anniversary. As part of the celebrations, the 2019 Queensland Youth Championships returned to Burleigh Heads – the location of the inaugural event in 1969. While there, we paid tribute to the men and women who were instrumental in establishing Nippers all those years ago. It was a privilege to present special awards to Joan Lennox and the families of Ron Tallon OAM and Andy Frizzell OBE OAM, who drove and nurtured the program in its infancy. We also acknowledged the work of Ray Fien, who has been SLSQ’s Junior Activities Advisor since 2009.

Membership growth

In 2018/19 we focused on developing programs which maximise the recruitment, retention and engagement of members. These efforts have delivered strong results, including a 2.3 per cent increase in total membership across the season. This continues an upwards trend and marks the first season since 2010/11 that total membership has exceeded 33,000 members. This is a fantastic outcome, and I thank all respective staff and committees for their outstanding work in this area.

Sporting success

The sporting arena provided us with some wonderful action as members of all ages and abilities lined up to compete in a variety of carnivals. Our championship events continued to grow in size and stature, while our athletes contested the 2019 Australian titles on home turf. It was also exciting to see the Gold Coast officially announced as the host city of the 2024 World Championships, reinforcing our state’s reputation as one of the surf sport capitals of the world.

Acknowledgements

I would like to acknowledge the outstanding efforts and contribution of our Board of Directors, led by President Mark Fife OAM and Deputy Michael White. Their commitment is matched by our State Council, which plays a key role at an organisational level. Thank you also to our volunteer committees, who dedicate an enormous amount of time each year in their respective advisory roles.

In closing, I wish to thank our staff, who go above and beyond to promote our cause at every opportunity. In particular, I would like to acknowledge outgoing CEO John Brennan OAM and Chief Operating Officer George Hill ESM, who finished up their professional engagements at SLSQ this season after significant lengths of service. Both gentlemen have played key roles in shaping our movement and building SLSQ into the organisation it is today. It’s also important to recognise the sacrifices and support behind the scenes of their respective wives and children. Thank you.

Kris Beavis
Acting Chief Executive Officer (February-July)
Surf Life Saving Queensland
With a membership base of more than 33,000, SLSQ is one of the largest volunteer-based community organisations in Queensland. Control of SLSQ is vested in the Board of Directors which is accountable to the State Council which, in turn, represents the members.

The role of the State Council
The State Council comprises the SLSQ President and the six Branch Presidents. As the voting members of SLSQ, its duties include electing the Board and Life Members, and approving changes to the constitution. Representing the interests of the six branches and, ultimately the clubs, the Council met on four occasions throughout the year.

The role of the Board and Committees
SLSQ’s Board and Committee structure is critical to ensuring volunteer representation in key decisions and strategic planning. The various committees outlined on page 36 were established by the Board to assist SLSQ in the operational management of the volunteer members. Where necessary, the Board can establish special purpose committees and panels to oversee the management of projects, programs or other initiatives.

The primary function of the Board is to govern and provide leadership to SLSQ, members, affiliated branches and clubs in accordance with the aims and strategic objectives of SLSQ, its constitution, and the law. The Board is responsible for acting on all issues in accordance with SLSQ’s objectives. It operates for the benefit of SLSQ, its members and the wider Queensland community.

The role of Directors and management
SLSQ’s CEO is tasked with managing the day-to-day business requirements of SLSQ, under the direction of the Board. The President is the nominated head of SLSQ and the SLSQ Board is responsible for the appointment of a CEO to manage and administer the organisation. The CEO is accountable to the Board and reports to the Board at each meeting. The CEO ensures the resolutions of the Board are properly and efficiently carried out, and transacts all business of SLSQ between Board meetings and general meetings of the Council.

Board composition
SLSQ’s Board comprises the President, the Deputy President, the Director of Finance, four Directors, up to two Independent Directors and the CEO, who is a non-voting member. A Director must be a member of SLSQ, and Independent Directors may or may not be individual members of SLSQ.

Board meetings and access to management
The Board meets as often as is deemed necessary in every calendar year for the dispatch of business. At any time, five Directors may ask the CEO to convene a meeting of the Board and, subject to SLSQ’s Constitution, questions at any meeting are decided by a majority of votes by the Board of Directors.

### Code of conduct
Nominees for Director positions are required to agree to SLSQ’s ‘Code of Conduct’ for Directors. Candidates must sign their acceptance to comply with this code on their nomination form. The Code of Conduct is contained within the Directors’ Handbook, which is provided to all Directors upon their election at the annual general meeting.

### Independence
At the commencement of each Board meeting, the Chair asks for Directors to declare conflicts of interest in any agenda items.

The Council may elect up to two Independent Directors each year. Nominees for these positions shall be endorsed and recommended to the Council by the Board.

### Independent Advice
SLSQ’s Board and management are assisted in aspects of its operations with external advice.

Our auditors, BDO, conduct an annual audit, providing the Board with independent assurance and advice on financial management matters.

Other consultants engaged by SLSQ in 2018/19 include:
- AccessEAP (employee welfare and support)
- Capital Talent (IT personnel providers)
- CCIQ (HR and corporate advocacy and advice)
- Clubs Queensland (licensed club operations)
- Community Sports Management (government liaison)
- Corrs Chambers Westgarth (legal services)
- David D’Arcy Pty Ltd (Industrial Relations advice)
- Dean Hassall Consulting Pty Ltd (state facilities plan)
- Elite Evolve Pty Ltd (HR advisory services)
- Hall Computing (IT services)
- Jardine Lloyd Thompson Australia Pty Ltd (insurance advice and services)
- Lex Sportiva (legal services)
- Practical HR Solutions Aus (HR advisory services)
A number of staff changes across the organisation meant it was an extremely active year for SLSQ’s People and Culture division. There was a significant focus on talent acquisition, organisational development, team dynamics, and the ongoing refinement of processes and systems.

Some of the department’s key achievements and developments this season include:

- The need for new-starter documentation to be mailed out was eliminated for all roles excluding lifeguards, with new staff now provided all supporting material via an email and links back to SLSQ’s website.
- A number of policies were updated and/or communicated along with supporting compliance processes. This includes the Pecuniary Interests, Delegation of Authority (and subsequent updates), and Privacy Policies.
- Processes around employee performance reviews were refined and implemented in time for full-year reviews.
- The majority of SLSQ’s managers completed additional training in financial management through the Australian Institute of Management (AIM).
- Work continued on SLSQ’s first online pre-start induction program. While significant changes in structure delayed the rollout of this much-needed tool, the project remains on track to be completed by the second half of 2019.
- The Employee Assistance Program continues to be recognised as a vital support tool for staff, with strong feedback recorded along with year-on-year growth of usage as the service’s profile lifts.
- The team successfully facilitated SLSQ’s third annual Succession Planning Workshop.
- Where possible, SLSQ continued to maximise the use of its Human Resources Information System (ROCKFAST) and Employee Kiosk (ESKi). An update to ESKi access was completed this year, allowing users to have approved access via personal and smart devices.
- Research continued into the use of ROCKFAST’s recruitment and performance modules to ascertain if they are fit for purpose.
- The team continued to work with key departments to refine role descriptions and increase both clarity and accountability across the organisation.
- A field trip was organised for all new staff, providing them with exposure to key services and assets including the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Service and the State Operations and Communications Centre, while teaching them about patrol operations and beach safety.
- Staff members were provided with learning and professional development opportunities through AIM and other service providers.
- SLSQ worked with new and expecting parents to provide flexible, practical, and sustainable arrangements in support of family needs.

Staff snapshot

In 2018/19, SLSQ encompassed 557 staff members including full-time, part-time, and casual contract positions. The organisation continues to engage returning staff and new employees throughout the patrolling season to support high beach visitation, community education, and skills training. There was a slight decrease of approximately three per cent in the number of females employed by SLSQ. In total, 33.57 per cent of staff members this season were female, compared with 66.43 per cent male.

Recruitment and retention

Attraction and retention of good people at all levels remained a key focus area across the past 12 months. The People and Culture department continued to work in collaboration with departmental heads and frontline managers to identify, engage, and induct employees with a diversified set of skills and qualifications.

In 2018/19, SLSQ successfully hired 140 new employees, excluding lifeguards. Through this process, the department managed and facilitated a total of 2,779 candidates, conducted 301 phone screens, and 227 interviews and pre-employment checks. On average, it took 14 days from advertising a new position to offering a role, and approximately 15 days for a new hire to commence employment after being offered a role.

In addition, the retention of staff across SLSQ remains relatively high, with approximately 30.4 per cent turnover in permanent employees recorded across the year. Casual staff recorded a turnover rate of 14.15 per cent, while casual lifeguards were approximately 32.5 per cent.

Workplace Volunteer Program

A change in organisational structure resulted in SLSQ’s Workplace Volunteer Program transitioning into the Communication, Partnerships, and Community division. In addition, the headcount for the role moved inline with the function, and shifted from permanent part-time to full-time status. The purpose of this change was to move headcount directly into the team responsible for event and promotional-based activities and increase coordination support.

The People and Culture team continues to work with external parties regarding formal internships and host employment support.

My internship at SLSQ has been an amazing experience and I have learned so much from the People and Culture team. SLSQ is a wonderful organisation to work for, and I loved being part of the team. People and Culture provided me with the required support and the freedom to put my vision into projects. The internship was a highlight of my semester in Australia and beyond all expectations.

MARK JUNG
SLSQ intern
CLUB SERVICES

Lifesaving Services
Membership Development
Surf Sports
Regional Support
On reflection, the past 12 months proved to be a busy and challenging period of time for lifesavers and lifeguards alike, with record crowds flocking to Queensland beaches. In addition to crowd management, patrols were also faced with huge swarms of marine stingers and periods of unpredictable surf, which combined to place a strain on services at various times of the year.

Despite these challenges, the training and bravery of our men and women on patrol continued to shine through at all levels. In 2018/19, SLSQ lifesavers and lifeguards performed 716,215 preventative actions, treated 65,133 first aid patients, and pulled 3,894 swimmers from the water.

This represents a significant increase in patrol activity when compared to the previous season, including a two per cent jump in preventative actions, an 84.7 per cent surge in first aid treatments, and a 35.9 per cent spike in the number of rescues performed.

Swarms of bluebottles across South East Queensland over the peak summer months also led to a significant number of stings recorded. In total, 47,785 beachgoers were treated for minor marine stings in 2018/19, representing an increase of 176 per cent when compared to 17,307 stings in 2017/18.

Importantly, SLSQ remains more committed than ever when it comes to minimising coastal incidents and reducing drowning deaths across the state. With that in mind, a range of new initiatives, technologies and services were rolled out on Queensland beaches this season, while patrol coverage was also extended at identified high-risk locations.

Tragically, despite these efforts, there was an increase in the number of reported beach-related drowning deaths across the past 12 months. In total, 21 drownings were recorded on Queensland beaches in 2018/19, up from seven the year before. Unfortunately the vast majority of these occurred at unpatrolled beaches or outside of designated patrol hours, highlighting a broader and ongoing issue of concern for the organisation.

Moving forward, SLSQ will continue to focus on developing innovative programs and strategies in a bid to boost coastal safety within all regions across the state. Underpinning all of these efforts is an unwavering commitment to saving lives, breaking the drowning cycle, and delivering on the organisation’s overarching vision of ‘Zero preventable deaths in Queensland public waters.’
BLACKSPOT STRATEGIES

Each year SLSQ reviews data on drownings, rescues and other incidents to identify any particular high-risk locations requiring additional services and/or a more targeted approach to surf safety. In September 2018 SLSQ identified five coastal ‘blackspots’, which have been listed below, along with various initiatives implemented across the past 12 months.

Sunshine Coast – Peregrine Beach to Tea Tree Bay
- Mid-week jet ski patrols were implemented on weekends during the September, Christmas and Easter holiday periods.
- A fixed emergency response beacon at Alexandria Bay was upgraded to include new satellite phone technology, providing greater coverage and reliability.

North Queensland – Green Island
- SLSQ worked with tourism industry operators to increase supervision and protection of recreational snorkelers, and continued to advocate for mandatory and industry-wide use of life jackets for all snorkelers.
- Multilingual surf safety messaging was developed for display on passenger ferries travelling to and from the island.
- Drone technology was trialled within lifeguard operations.
- Life-Fi technology was trialled to engage with international beachgoers.

Sunshine Coast – Noosa River to Double Island Point
- Roving jet ski patrols were implemented from Noosa on weekends during the September, Christmas and Easter school holidays.
- SLSQ worked with Queensland Parks and Wildlife Services to distribute surf safety information with all permits to the area.
- A mobile emergency response camera and beacon was trialled at Double Island Point during the Christmas and Easter holidays.

Gold Coast – Surfers Paradise (Tower 33-35)
- Dusk patrols were rolled out during peak holiday periods, with lifesavers stationed on-site until at least 10.30pm.
- Community educational programs were delivered to proactively engage with beachgoers.
- SLSQ built upon the success of its Harbour Town Surf Crew program and clinics at Surfers Paradise.

North Stradbroke Island – Frenchmans Beach to South Gorge
- New and upgraded signage was implemented at Point Lookout Headland and Main Beach areas.
- Public rescue equipment was installed at high-risk areas around Point Lookout Headland.
- Surf safety messaging and multilingual videos were developed for display on passenger ferries travelling to and from the island.

OPERATIONAL INITIATIVES

Drone technology
SLSQ continues to seek out innovative new technology to protect beachgoers and reduce drowning deaths. As part of this commitment, remotely piloted aircraft systems, or drones, were integrated into SLSQ operations in 2018/19 following significant trials in recent years. This culminated in the launch of the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Drone Program in 2019, with 12 of the high-tech devices deployed for use across the state. Training has already commenced to upskill Queensland lifesavers and lifeguards to fly the drones in patrol, search and rescue scenarios.

The first official use of drones within lifesaving operations occurred in May 2019, when SLSQ deployed the technology to assist Queensland Water Police in the search for a missing jet skier at Mudjimba on the Sunshine Coast. Drones were also used in the same month to assist with a missing-person search at Wellington Point.

Life-Fi
World-first technology, known as Life-Fi, was trialled on several beaches this season, thanks to dedicated funding from the Department of Innovation and Tourism Industry Development. Life-Fi provides beachgoers with access to free Wi-Fi between the flags, capable of pushing out real-time multilingual surf safety messages. It is envisaged the lure of free Wi-Fi will encourage beachgoers to actively seek out the flagged areas, while the ability to communicate directly with international beachgoers in their primary language has already proven valuable.

Other initiatives and developments
- The number of taskings via SLSQ’s dedicated, 24/7 emergency response phone number recorded a significant increase of 24 per cent when compared to last year.
- SLSQ’s Brisbane Lifesaving Service grew to 63 members, who combined to spend 1,123.5 hours on patrol and a further 136.5 hours volunteering via operations support.
- Following a number of suspected Irukandji stings in recent seasons, SLSQ returned to Fraser Island over summer to conduct stinger drags and proactively engage with beachgoers, campers and boaters about how to protect themselves in and around the water.
- Mobile cameras and emergency response beacons were positioned at identified coastal blackspots.
- Extended patrol hours were implemented across Queensland during peak holiday periods.
- SLSQ maintained its network of coastal cameras, now totalling 47, at unpatrolled and/or high-risk beaches.
- Aerial patrols via the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Service were increased during ex-Tropical Cyclone Oma.
- The Surf Speak app was rolled out, providing patrols with a platform to engage with international beachgoers.
- SLSQ supported Queensland communities during times of need through its seat on the Local Disaster Management Group and State Disaster Coordination Group, with various briefings and meetings attended during significant weather events.
- Staff and members worked closely with the Department of Environment and Science with regards to crocodile management and safety.
LIFESAVING ASSISTANCE FUNDS

Queensland Fire and Emergency Services (QFES)

Many of SLSQ’s lifesaving services are delivered thanks to vital and continued support from the Queensland Government via QFES funding, including:

- Lifesaving Services Development Fund (Club Sustainability and Extension of Services Grants): This funding enables clubs and branches to apply for lifesaving equipment to grow patrols across Queensland.
- Volunteer Marine Rescue Support Package: This includes funding for all clubs and branches to maintain existing patrol and lifesaving services.
- Regional Development Fund: This provides funding to improve beach safety services for Queensland communities north of the Sunshine Coast.
- Dedicated funding to support SLSQ’s Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Service.

Federal Government Blackspot Funding

A number of projects in 2018/19 were made possible thanks to Federal Government blackspot funding, including:

- A three-year trial kicked off at Sunshine Beach to test the use of rescue water craft in volunteer surf lifesaving patrols.
- The Surf Crew program was extended to include a dedicated vehicle on the Sunshine Coast to engage with, and educate, beachgoers.

Other funding

SLSQ is also grateful for the support received through grants from other organisations across the year, which have allowed the organisation to increase and expand upon its lifesaving service delivery. This includes:

- Funding from The Cory Charitable Foundation helped SLSQ secure a new drone to assist with lifesaving operations.
- The Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Drone Program was launched in Queensland thanks to vital support from Westpac.
- SLSQ received funding from the Department of Environment and Science through the Crocwise Education program to roll out a drone program and various safety and community awareness initiatives.

SLSQ Lifesaving Services Quality Assurance

SLSQ has been certified under the Australian Quality Management Standard 9001:2015 for the provision of professional lifeguard services, operations support (including, but not limited to, rescue water craft, rescue boats and communication centres), helicopter surveillance and rescue services (for SLSQ and police operations), the support of club patrol services, community awareness programs and coastal risk assessments. This provides the communities in which we operate with the assurance that services meet current and future requirements, while ensuring that lifesaving services remain a clear leader in aquatic safety and rescue services. (Certification Number – QEC22945).

It was quite a shock to be recognised as Queensland’s Surf Lifesaver of the Year. I had only become involved in lifesaving for the friendship and fun that’s had around the club and at carnivals. Helping people on the beach was almost a second thought to what lifesaving is. But to be named Surf Lifesaver of the Year is definitely an accolade I will remember forever.

It is a little selfish I guess, but I think my proudest achievement in surf lifesaving would be my first rescue. I look at the kids that I have coached through to being lifesavers themselves, and the skills I have attained over my years involved both on and off the beach. But to see a mother and others looking to you from the call for help, the water to the beach, and the care you need to give before handing them over to the ambulance service. Seeing that person now and knowing I was there to help makes me proud to be a volunteer lifesaver.

MICHAEL HARDY (TOWNSVILLE PICNIC BAY SLSC)  
2017/18 Queensland Surf Lifesaver of the Year
MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

As a volunteer-based organisation, our members are the lifeblood of SLSQ. With that in mind, the membership development team plays a key role each year when it comes to developing and delivering programs which maximise recruitment, retention, and sustainability across the broader surf lifesaving movement.

Importantly, significant work behind-the-scenes has continued to pay dividends, with SLSQ’s membership recording strong growth across the past 12 months. In 2018/19 there were 33,020 members across the state, representing an increase of 2.3 per cent when compared to the previous year. This continues a recent upwards trend and marks the first season since 2010/11 that statewide membership has exceeded 33,000.

In addition, all six branches individually recorded an increase in total members, reflecting a concerted effort to boost recruitment and retention rates in all regions across the state. In a positive sign for the future, more than half of all clubs achieved an overall increase in the number of junior members and the number of active patrolling lifesavers.

KEY PROGRAMS

Junior Activities

In 2018/19 SLSQ officially celebrated the 50th anniversary of Nippers in Queensland and, half-a-century on from its launch, the program is proving stronger than ever. This season a total of 11,174 youngsters participated in junior activities across the state, representing solid year-on-year growth of 3.5 per cent when compared to 10,797 nippers in 2017/18.

Junior members now account for 33.8 per cent of SLSQ’s total membership, highlighting their importance to the future and sustainability of the surf lifesaving movement in Queensland. With that in mind, SLSQ continues to focus on implementing key structures and strategies to ensure the long-term growth and development of this crucial membership group.

This year SLSQ launched the ‘Nippers Newsletter’ to provide key information and updates to all clubs, branches, and JACs across Queensland.

With thanks to support from Breaka, SLSQ’s junior members were again recognised as a grassroots level this season through the ‘Breaka Nipper of the Week’ awards. These were presented in each branch across the season to young members displaying SLSQ’s core values.

50 Years of Nippers

Nippers was officially introduced in Queensland back in 1968/69 to educate children about surf safety while, at the same time, serving as a means to help strengthen clubs and boost membership numbers across the state.

While there was early resistance amongst some clubs, it wasn’t long before the benefits of Nippers began shining through for all to see, with the innovative idea of opening up membership to young children quickly proving a masterstroke.

In fact, Nippers has since developed into one of the most enduring and popular youth activities across Queensland, having directly educated more than 280,000 children about surf safety since its inception 50 years ago.

This season a number of special activities were rolled out to commemorate and celebrate its 50th anniversary, including:

- An interview series was filmed with high-profile former nippers including Trevor Hendy, Susie O’Neill, Matt Gillett and Shannon Eckstein, amongst others.
- Award-winning poet Rupert McCall was commissioned to write a commemorative poem marking the milestone, which he performed at the 2018 Awards of Excellence and Parliamentary Friends of SLSQ.
- The 2019 Queensland Youth Championships returned to Burleigh, 50 years after the inaugural event was held at the same location back in 1969.
• A special morning tea was held on the opening morning of the 2018 Youth Championships to celebrate some of the pioneers and founders of Nippers in Queensland.
• Various media and marketing activities were also implemented across the season.

The UQ SLSQ Leadership Excellence Program
The Leadership Excellence Program aims to develop the communication, teamwork, and management skills of future leaders within the movement. A total of 31 members from across Queensland, and a further eight from New South Wales, participated in the 2018 program held at the University of Queensland’s (UQ) St Lucia campus.

Breaka Youth Excellence Program
The Breaka Youth Excellence Program aims to engage younger members aged 15-17 and build upon their involvement and leadership within clubs and branches. A total of 146 members from 46 clubs participated in the 2018 and 2019 programs, both held at Lake Moogerah. SLSQ acknowledges Breaka for its support of this development program, which continues to provide opportunities and pathways for younger members across the state.

National Leadership Programs
Nine Queensland lifesavers travelled to Sydney in February to attend SLSA’s National Leadership College. The program aims to provide personal and professional development opportunities for future leaders across SLSQ. Delegates included Claudia Fien (Point Danger Branch), Daneeka Kent (Kawana Waters), Francesca McFarlane (Cairns), James McCarthy (Broadbeach), Joshua Crouch (Cairns), and Olivia Brighton (Noosa Heads). Samantha Fien (Point Danger Branch) and Simon Steinhofer (Dicky Beach) also attended as facilitators.

Meanwhile, six Queensland members attended the National Leaders Masterclass in Sydney from 13-16 September 2018, including Apryl Cordingley (Met Caloundra), David McLean ESM (Marcoola), Julie Davis (Moore Park), Kerri Barnes (Point Danger Branch), Sam Archer (Alexandra Headland), and Sharon Punter (Met Caloundra).

Awards of Excellence
The dedication, bravery, and actions of our members were recognised at the 2018 Awards of Excellence on 25 August 2018 at Brisbane City Hall. The evening was overseen by SLSQ’s membership development team, with more than 360 guests in attendance. A full list of award winners can be found on page 37.

Other projects
• SLSQ’s member app received strong feedback, and has developed into an important platform to communicate with volunteers across the state.
• The Peer Support Program provided vital assistance and emotional support to members during times of need, with a total of 66 people now qualified as officers.
• SLSQ continued to advocate the Child Youth Risk Management Strategy within clubs and branches to operate in line with the Working with Children (Risk Management and Screening) Act 2000.
• The Membership Sustainability Project delivered strong results across the state, with the Family Participation Program and Patrol Gap Calculator adding value to clubs and branches.

I’ve always loved the ocean, and my parents wanted me to learn the skills to stay safe, so they took me to my local club when I was about seven. Now I have my Surf Rescue Certificate and I’m looking forward to getting my Bronze Medallion so I can help others stay safe in the water (including my parents!).

I was so nervous on the Awards of Excellence night because it meant so much to me to be representing my club and my branch. I was surprised and really happy to have been named the Breaka Under-14 Junior Surf Lifesaver of the Year, and I’ve had such a great time with everything it has given me the chance to do. I’m now looking forward to getting my Bronze Medallion and having a great new season competing and patrolling – I can’t imagine not being on the beach!

MATILDA BEIKOFF-SMART (PACIFIC SLSC)
2017/18 Breaka U14 Junior Surf Lifesaver of the Year
Each year thousands of surf lifesavers from across the state line up and put their skills to the test at one of SLSQ’s diverse sporting carnivals. While the action may be fast and furious, the competition has a serious side, with all events specifically designed to test and refine the core lifesaving skills used to patrol and protect Queensland beaches.

Healthy sporting competition remains a cornerstone of the surf lifesaving movement, with the benefits of a strong and vibrant competitive program flowing down to all levels of the organisation through increased recruitment, retention, participation and engagement. With that in mind, SLSQ continues to focus on developing and delivering a broad range of events to cater for all members regardless of age, ability, and location.

SLSQ acknowledges the Queensland Government (Sport and Recreation Services) for its continued support of our sporting programs, and its support of clubs via the ‘Get in the Game’ initiative.

**SPORTS REVIEW**

In 2018 SLSQ completed an extensive review into its surf sports strategy in a bid to increase participation and engagement across all levels of competition. The six-month process involved considerable consultation with clubs, athletes, officials and the wider movement. A number of key recommendations were put forward to the Board as SLSQ seeks to build upon its sporting program for the benefit of all members. Recommendations include:

- Increase engagement between SLSQ and branches with regards to the annual surf sports calendar.
- Conduct pre- and post-season planning sessions with panels and working groups for each discipline.
- Review all SLSQ events with the objective of providing recommendations to increase the ‘wow’ factor.
- Work with internal stakeholders to maximise digital media around key events.
- Trial livestreaming within competition to enhance the experience for spectators and members.
- Benchmark innovation practices against other states and sporting organisations.
- Develop user-friendly templates for regular data collection and reporting to key stakeholders.
- Build strategic partnerships with other external organisations including the Queensland and Gold Coast Academies of Sport.
- Encourage succession planning for coaches, officials, and administrators to ensure an ongoing pool of talent.

Importantly, a number of recommendations have already been implemented across the state including livestreaming, which was trialled at the 2019 Queensland Surf Life Saving Championships.
QUEENSLAND
CHAMPIONSHIPS EVENTS

Queensland IRB Championships
A field of 264 competitors from 18 clubs lined up at Kurrawa Beach for the Queensland IRB Championships on 23-24 June 2018. Host-club Kurrawa made the most of the local conditions to finish on 96 points and seal the win ahead of Broadbeach (52 points) and Kirra (51 points).

Queensland Pool Rescue Championships
A total of 507 athletes from 30 clubs dived in to compete at the 2018 Queensland Pool Rescue Championships at the Gold Coast Aquatic Centre on 21-22 July. Northcliffe (712.5 points) took out the event ahead of Currumbin (487 points) and Maroochydore (415.5 points).

Queensland Endurance Championships
More than 500 lifesavers from 32 clubs lined up at Alexandra Headland to contest the Queensland Endurance Championships on 15 September 2018. After a gruelling day of racing, Noosa (224 points) took the top honours, ahead of Alexandra Headland (206 points) and Northcliffe (177 points).

Laerdal Queensland Surf Rescue Championships
Mermaid Beach played host to 161 competitors from 23 clubs at the Laerdal Queensland Surf Rescue Championships from 15-17 February 2019. Northcliffe (70 points) took the win ahead of Alexandra Headland (65 points) and Noosa Heads (44 points).

Queensland Board Riding Championships
A total of 135 lifesavers from 21 clubs lined up to contest the Queensland Board Riding Championships at Palm Beach on 12-13 January 2019. Alexandra Headland finished on 66 points, securing the title ahead of Currumbin (55 points) and Kurrawa (52 points).

Queensland Youth Surf Life Saving Championships
This year marked the 50th anniversary of SLSQ’s Queensland Youth Championships. To celebrate, the competition returned to Burleigh Beach, half-a-century after the inaugural event was first held there back in 1969. A total of 1,642 young lifesavers from 45 clubs lined up across three days of action from 8-10 March 2019. Currumbin (382 points) won back-to-back titles, ahead of Alexandra Headland (261 points) and North Burleigh (222 points).

Queensland Surf Life Saving Championships
A total of 1,045 of the state’s top athletes lined up at Broadbeach to contest the Queensland Surf Life Saving Championships over three days from 15-17 March 2019. Northcliffe continued its recent domination of the event, finishing on 524 points to win a 15th straight title, with Alexandra Headland (359 points) and Currumbin (332 points) rounding out the podium. A further 602 athletes competed at the Masters Championships, with Northcliffe (344 points) also claiming top spot ahead of Kurrawa (340 points) and North Burleigh (316 points).
OTHER SPORTING EVENTS

North Australian Championships
Almost 350 competitors from 28 clubs lined up in Mackay to contest the 2018 North Australian Championships across three days from 26-28 October 2018. Cairns (930 points) won its ninth consecutive title ahead of Tannum Sands (634 points) and Port Douglas (349 points).

Queensland Beach Series
Formerly Fastest Man on Sand, the revamped Queensland Beach Series saw more than 300 competitors from 25 clubs line up across three rounds of racing this summer. Alexandra Headland (666 points) took out the series, with Kurrawa (415 points) and Currumbin (352 points) rounding out the podium.

Interbranch Championships
The Interbranch Championships were held on the Sunshine Coast from 7-8 December 2018, with 193 junior athletes competing across the two days of action. The Sunshine Coast Branch (954 points) won its 11th straight title, with South Coast (920 points) and Point Danger (750 points) also finishing in the top three.

Ocean Roar Series
Kurrawa dominated this year’s Ocean Roar IRB Series on its way to winning a third straight title in the annual event. After five rounds, Kurrawa finished almost 100 points clear on top of the table, ahead of Kirra and Broadbeach.

Secondary School Surf League
Hundreds of high school students lined up to compete in the annual Secondary Schools Surf League series, before racing off at a championship event on the Gold Coast. Palm Beach Currumbin State High School won this year’s final, ahead of Varsity College and Marymount College.

Interstate Championships
Queensland’s best athletes raced off for gold and state pride at this year’s Interstate Championships. In the second-half of 2018, the Queensland Cyclones won the Interstate IRB and Pool Rescue Championships, before finishing 2nd and 3rd respectively at the 2019 Interstate Ocean and Surf Boat Championships. A full list of all interstate representatives can be found on page 39, and congratulations are extended to all athletes selected.

Surf Boat competition
Queensland crews continued to compete in various surf boat competitions including the Navy Surf Boat and Queensland Cup series. A number of competitors also lined up at the ASRL Open, Ocean Thunder, and other key carnivals across the country.

SPORTS DEVELOPMENT

In 2018/19 SLSQ continued to focus on developing surf sport competition at all levels across the state. This included a number of key initiatives targeting athletes, coaches and officials.

• SLSQ partnered with the Gold Coast Academy of Sport to roll out a dedicated surf lifesaving program, focusing on enhancing performance and preparation.

• A Sport Performance Forum has been developed in partnership with the Queensland Academy of Sport, providing key information on a range of areas critical to sporting success.

2024 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS
Significant work behind the scenes helped Queensland secure the 2024 Lifesaving World Championships. The event, last held in Queensland in 1988, will split competition between Kurrawa Beach and the Gold Coast Aquatic Centre over 17 days of action in late August and early September. The championships are expected to attract more than 12,000 competitors and spectators from around 50 countries, injecting some $15 million into the local economy.
REGIONAL SUPPORT

With six branches and 57 clubs, SLSQ’s operations extend far and wide along Queensland’s coastline, from Port Douglas down to Rainbow Bay. With that in mind, the regional support department plays a key role when it comes to coordinating and supporting clubs and members across all corners of the state. This includes overseeing localised operations, managing potential issues, and working with clubs to deliver lifesaving services.

One of the department’s key achievements this season was the management and delivery of five Memorial Day services across the state. The annual Memorial Day provides clubs and members with an opportunity to pay their respects to beachgoers who have lost their lives in the surf over the past year, and remember those from within the lifesaving community who have passed away. Services were held at Mission Beach, Forrest Beach, Tannum Sands, Kings Beach, and Coolangatta.

A number of regions embraced innovative fundraising opportunities through SLSQ’s partnership with Envirobank, celebrated the 50th anniversary of Nippers, and trialled new technology in the form of Life-Fi and drones. In addition to ‘business as usual’ programs and operations, key regional achievements include:

**North Queensland**
- Regional staff worked with the Clontarf Foundation to run a special Bronze Medallion course for young Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander men.
- SLSQ continued to focus on providing branch and club support where needed.

**North Barrier**
- A rise in total and junior membership was recorded across the region, with the goal now to transfer that into an increase in active patrolling members.

**Wide Bay Capricorn**
- The WBC Branch Camp Commando Program was rolled out to engage with junior members across the region.
- SLSQ was involved in localised community crime prevention and backpackers meetings, providing an opportunity to communicate key surf safety messages.
- Trainers and assessors from across the region travelled to Bundaberg in April and May this year where they completed requirements to achieve the TAE50210 and the TAE41111 units.

**Sunshine Coast**
- A new, intensive Lifesaving Development Program was delivered to 30 participants, providing opportunities for members to gain new awards over a week-long camp.
- The Surf Crew program was introduced and rolled out on the Sunshine Coast.

**Gold Coast**
- An increased take-up from clubs of SLSQ’s sustainability programs led to a rise in total membership across the region.
- SLSQ built on its relationships with the Gold Coast Water Police and Volunteer Marine Rescue, and embraced its partnership with City of Gold Coast lifeguards to coordinate joint drone training initiatives.
- Temporary facilities at the Southport Spit were upgraded, pending permanent redevelopments at the site.
COMMERCIAL

Australian Lifesaving Academy Queensland
Australian Lifeguard Service Queensland
Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Service
SLSQ’s Commercial division is comprised of the Australian Lifeguard Service, the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Service, and the Australian Lifesaving Academy Queensland. The division is primarily responsible for growing and delivering SLSQ’s profit-for-purpose offerings to ensure the long-term sustainability of the surf lifesaving movement in Queensland.

AUSTRALIAN LIFESAVING ACADEMY QUEENSLAND

The Australian Lifesaving Academy Queensland (ALAQ) is the trading name for SLSQ as a Registered Training Organisation, established to deliver vital education to internal members and the broader community.

Through the ALAQ, SLSQ remains committed to providing world-class educational programs to increase lifesaving and emergency care knowledge and, ultimately, help reduce drowning deaths.

PUBLIC EDUCATION

Each year ALAQ trainers equip thousands of Queenslanders with the necessary skills, awareness and knowledge to respond accordingly and administer basic life support in the event of an accident or emergency situation.

From nationally-recognised first aid and CPR courses, through to industry-specific training, the ALAQ aims to transfer more than a century of lifesaving experience from the beach into schools, organisations, communities and homes across the state. Importantly, all trainers are highly-qualified surf lifesavers in their own right, often bringing decades of personal and hands-on experience to each session.

The ALAQ continues to support and enhance SLSQ’s work on the beach, with proceeds raised injected straight back into supporting lifesaving services up and down the coast.

Key achievements from across 2018/19 include:

- An overall increase in commercial sales was recorded across the year, boosted by the acquisition of a local training company.
- In total, 12,865 people were trained in first aid and CPR.
- SLSQ remains an active member of the Australian Resuscitation Council (Queensland Branch) and was represented at the national conference in Sydney.
- A professional development course was run in Brisbane for commercial trainers and partners, featuring a presentation from QPS on treatment techniques for severe bleeding, and a representative from Australia Zoo presenting on dangerous creatures.
- SLSQ is working toward commercial delivery of TAE40116 Certificate IV in Training and Assessment in 2019/20.
- SLSQ is also working towards delivery of Pool Lifeguard Skillset training next year, along with Mental Health First Aid (CHCCCS019 Recognise and Respond to Crisis Situations).
- Helicopter Underwater Escape Training (HUET) was delivered to 40 rural firefighters, with the potential for further training next season.
- SLSQ will continue to invest in paperless and online enrolment options for all courses to reduce administration burdens around national data reporting requirements.

MEMBER EDUCATION

The ALAQ is directly responsible for educating, training and upskilling SLSQ’s volunteer surf lifesavers and professional lifeguard services across Queensland.

With thanks to funding from OFES and the Federal Government VET Surge Fund, an inaugural conference specifically developed for Chief Training Officers was held in Brisbane across three days from 10-12 August 2018. It marked the first time in SLSQ’s history that a dedicated conference for CTOs had been delivered, with the event receiving strong feedback from all involved.

Other key highlights from across the past 12 months include:

- The ‘On-beach Assessor App’ was rolled out for the first time this season, streamlining processes and continuing a broader strategy of implementing a paperless skills maintenance system by 2020/21.
- SLSQ has developed, and is preparing to roll out, member training around bleeding control kits including the use of arterial tourniquets.
- Following a decision last year, SLSQ banked all nationally-recognised training for members against their training transcript and unique student identifier numbers.
- Upgrading for all assessors and facilitators was rolled out in Queensland, in line with legislative changes to the training and education package.
- From January 2019 onwards, all Learner Unique Identifiers (LUI) have transitioned to online, with SLSQ moving away from paper versions for Queensland students between 15-18 years of age who are studying full-time.
- With thanks to Federal Government funding via VET Surge, SLSQ employed an Education Development Coordinator to increase education and training across the North Queensland and North Barrier regions.
- SLSQ was represented at the SLSA national education meetings in Tasmania and South Australia.
- Both levels of government were engaged regarding changes to legislation and the ongoing needs of volunteer trainers and assessors. SLSQ also engaged with government regarding the Commonwealth Register of Institutions and Courses for Overseas Students (CRICOS).
A day out at the beach nearly ended in tragedy last year when a 25-year-old woman went for a swim at an unpatrolled and highly-dangerous area of North Stradbroke Island known as South Gorge.

She was quickly knocked over in the difficult conditions and pulled out to sea in a strong rip. A number of nearby beachgoers tried to assist, but they too were swept out and unable to make it back to shore.

Panicked onlookers managed to attract the attention of Michael Bates, one of SLSQ’s senior lifeguards on patrol at a nearby beach. He raced to assist and arrived on scene to find a female patient unresponsive in the water, along with three other swimmers in considerable distress.

Using his 12 years of experience and training as a professional lifeguard, Michael worked in the challenging conditions to assist and return each patient to shore. A second lifeguard soon arrived and the two immediately commenced treatment on the female patient. Working together, they cleared her airways, removed water from her lungs and provided oxygen therapy until paramedics arrived and transported her to hospital in a stable condition.

Their efforts saved four lives and prevented an almost-certain mass drowning from occurring. Importantly, the same bravery and training is reflected across SLSQ’s entire professional lifeguard arm, the Australian Lifeguard Service Queensland (ALSQ), which provides world-class aquatic safety services to governments, councils, and land managers.

In 2018/19 the service was comprised of 353 lifeguards, including 46 permanent employees and eight supervisors. Collectively, the team boasts more than 1.67 million career patrol hours, highlighting the significant wealth of experience that ALSQ lifeguards bring to Queensland communities when they raise the flags.

This season lifeguards combined to perform 633,786 preventive actions, treat 42,159 first aid patients, and rescue 2,513 swimmers in distress.

The outstanding efforts of ALSQ lifeguards were recognised at various times across the year, with a number of individuals receiving Lifesaving Excellence Awards and Rescue of the Month Awards for their actions. Please refer to page 38 for a full list of winners.
I’ve grown up and been around the beach and the ocean my entire life, and I’ve done many things over the years. I was a builder but that work slowed down, and I’d joined a surf club with my partner a few years earlier and they mentioned there was some casual lifeguard work going over the summer period. So I did that, really enjoyed it, and one thing led to another and here I am now.

I was always around the beach anyway, so to have a job where you get paid to keep fit and do what you love doing is great, especially in Port Douglas. It’s the best job in town by far. And at the end of the day, it’s really satisfying to know that you’re making a difference to people and giving them the reassurance that they’re being watched over by lifeguards.

CONNOR O’SULLIVAN
2017/18 Queensland Lifeguard of the Year
On Wednesday 5 June 2019, SLSQ’s Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Service (WLRHS) was tasked to join the search for a light aircraft reported missing off the coast of South Stradbroke Island.

While on route to the search area, the pilot and crew were notified of a tinny that had rolled over in the Gold Coast Seaway, leaving its four passengers clinging to the overturned vessel. Quickly changing course, Lifesaver 45 arrived on scene and lowered a rescue crewman down to assess the situation.

After checking on the health and welfare of each patient, crews worked to winch one of the men back to shore, and provided overhead support as Queensland Water Police assisted the remaining three. Once all four patients were safely back on land, Lifesaver 45 returned to join the initial search.

Just a few days later, the WLRHS assisted a fixed-wing aircraft which had experienced an electrical failure while flying in the North Stradbroke Island area. Working with Brisbane Air Traffic Control, Lifesaver 45’s pilot and crew were able to locate the aircraft and manoeuvre close enough to help guide its pilot safely to the nearby Dunwich aerodrome.

While highlighting the experience and training of pilots and crew, it is worth noting these operations are just some of the thousands completed by the service since its inception back in 1976. Since then, the WLRHS has flown high over Queensland’s coastline, providing vital support to beachgoers below and forging a reputation as one of the world’s finest aerial search and rescue services.

Today the WLRHS is a full-time service, operating year-round, with hangars on the Gold and Sunshine Coasts. Pilots and crews work closely with SLSQ’s surf lifesavers and lifeguards to identify and mitigate potential dangers, and respond accordingly to assist patients in distress.

In 2018/19, the WLRHS was comprised of 20 professional staff including five full-time air crew, six lifeguards, eight pilots, and one administration assistant. The service also encompassed a further 24 highly-trained volunteer surf lifesavers, including six air crew and 18 rescue crew.

The training and bravery of the service’s men and women continued to shine through at all levels across the season, with 18 lives saved and a further 325 beachgoers assisted to safety through proactive and preventative actions.

Key achievements and developments:

- Aerial patrols were extended across the state’s south east during peak periods to provide greater protection for beachgoers and additional support for SLSQ’s on-beach patrols.
- The service worked with SLSQ’s training academy to deliver HUET training to 40 rural firefighters.
- All southern Gold Coast patrols were again expanded this season to include coverage of Fingal Head and Dreamtime beaches in northern New South Wales following a number of major incidents in recent years.
- Approval from CASA as a Training and Checking Organisation was expanded to cover a greater range of operational aspects.
• A Memorandum of Understanding was signed with the Queensland Water Police regarding WLRHS involvement in search and rescue operations moving forward.

• The first crew member successfully completed Night Vision Goggle training through the WLRHS as a Training and Checking Organisation.

• Six new volunteer crew members completed training as Rescue Crew, including one as a returning crewperson.

• One lifeguard and one volunteer surf lifesaver completed Air Crew training.

• A strong focus on upskilling resulted in staff and volunteer crew successfully completing a wide range of courses including fitness and helicopter underwater escape training. A number of pilots also attended Safety Investigation Courses.

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SAFETY FOCUS

The WLRHS continued to work closely with the Civil Aviation Safety Authority (CASA), surf life saving clubs, councils, and industry bodies this season to advocate for increased safety around remotely-piloted aircraft systems (RPAS), or drones.

An RPAS collision was first identified as a potential risk back in 2014. Since then, the WLRHS has invested a considerable amount of time and resources into proactively boosting safety, increasing public education, and minimising associated risks for pilots, crew, and members of the public. This concerted and industry-leading approach has significantly boosted public safety and ensured the WLRHS achieved its target of zero RPAS collisions.

Other safety targets achieved across the year include zero cable management injuries and zero observation and occurrence links to complacency.

POLAIR

For the past eight years, the WLRHS has successfully operated two Polair helicopters on behalf of the Queensland Police Service (QPS). This relationship helps SLSQ build safer communities across Queensland and broadens the organisation’s experience, expertise and reputation within the aviation industry.
SLSQ’s media, marketing, sponsorship, fundraising and community awareness activities were realigned in 2018/19 under the broader Communication, Partnerships, and Community division. The inclusion of community awareness is designed to ensure consistency across external messaging, while maximising opportunities to engage with potential beachgoers, members, sponsors, and donors.

MEDIA AND MARKETING

SLSQ’s media and marketing departments play a key role in delivering proactive and reactive messaging across the state, while working with all departments to facilitate communication requirements. A number of projects were rolled out across the year to support and enhance SLSQ’s target achievements.

LIFE-FI

Life-Fi provides beachgoers with free Wi-Fi between the flags, along with a live feed of multilingual information on conditions and beach safety. Life-Fi was trialled on several Queensland beaches thanks to funding from the Department of Innovation and Tourism Industry Development.

SURF SAFETY CAMPAIGNS

SLSQ’s media and marketing teams developed two key campaigns this season to promote surf safety:

- An online campaign was rolled out to highlight the risks of leaving young children unsupervised at the beach. It was developed after data revealed more than 1,200 children aged 12 and under were rescued from the surf over the previous two seasons. The campaign generated strong traction online and significant media coverage across Australia.
- A second campaign was launched ahead of Australia Day to reinforce safety messaging and encourage all beachgoers to exercise caution in the water. The accompanying video sought to draw parallels with our daily road safety choices, highlighting how a single error in judgement can have fatal consequences for those involved.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS AND DEVELOPMENTS:

- There was an increased focus on surf sports coverage, with a dedicated website built for this year’s Queensland Championships and extensive promotion of IRB racing.
- SLSQ worked with North Queensland and North Barrier clubs to develop targeted membership recruitment campaigns.
- Significant media coverage was achieved around key events including season launch, SOS Week, Summer Surf Program, end of season, and Awards of Excellence, amongst other events and programs.
- SLSQ worked with outlets and journalists to maximise coverage, and responded to more than 1,000 individual media enquiries across the year.
- SLSQ worked with key stakeholders to officially launch the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Drone Program in Queensland.
- There was an increased focus on internal, member, stakeholder, and government communication across the season.

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FUNDRAISING

SLSQ delivered a number of key initiatives this season to raise much-needed funds for surf lifesavers and clubs across the state. These ongoing efforts ensure SLSQ’s volunteers have the necessary resources to protect beachgoers and save lives along the coast.

SOS WEEK FUNDRAISING APPEAL

The annual SOS Week fundraising appeal encourages Queenslanders to ‘Support our Savers’ and recognise the vital work of SLSQ’s volunteers up and down the coast. The 2018 appeal ran from 15-21 October, with corporate donations and on-street collections raising a combined total of $268,988. SLSQ thanks the Queensland Government for its donation of $50,000, and our corporate partners including Brisbane Airport Corporation, JLT, Transit Australia Group, and The Star.

SUMMER SURF PROGRAM

Since its inception in 1964, SLSQ’s Summer Surf Program has developed into an iconic fundraising and member-development program, injecting almost $17 million back into the movement. Seven female ambassadors participated in this year’s program, raising a combined total of $290,380 for their respective clubs.

Congratulations are extended to Sophie Gerry (Mermaid Beach) for winning this year’s program. Emma Angel (Mooloolaba) was named runner-up and also received the Innovation Award, while Zoe Breitkreutz (Arcadian) was this year’s highest fundraiser. SLSQ thanks Zupps Mt Gravatt Holden for its continued support of the Summer Surf Program. Thanks are also extended to this year’s judging panel of Ken Clark, Courtney Hancock, Shelley Roberts and Jordi Blanco.

COMMUNITY FUNDRAISING

An increased focus on fundraising this season resulted in a jump in the number of public donations to support surf lifesaving services. In addition, SLSQ worked with partners and benefactors on a number of other opportunities.

- More than 380 guests attended the second annual Heli Lunch at the Queensland Cricketers Club on 7 September 2018, raising vital funds for the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Service.
- The Flannery Foundation generously donated $50,000 to support lifesaving services.
- A dedicated sale day was run by Zupps Mt Gravatt Holden to support SLSQ, generating more than $1,700 to support lifesaving services.
- A number of special events were organised in collaboration with Newstead Brewing Co., including Australia Day and beer yoga fundraisers.
- SLSQ was named as the official charity partner of the Gold Coast 600.

SURF LIFE SAVING FOUNDATION

SLSQ continues to receive support from the Surf Life Saving Foundation (SLSF) through various programs including workplace giving, bequests, lotteries, and grant seeking. SLSQ acknowledges and thanks the SLSF for its ongoing support in this capacity.

It was an honour to be announced as the overall winner of the 2019 Summer Surf Program, and it definitely wasn’t something I expected. This was the first ever Summer Surf Program win for Mermaid Beach AEME SLSC, making it an extremely special achievement.

There were a lot of highlights throughout the program. Meeting inspiring and influential members from all areas of lifesaving was incredibly uplifting and motivating. Achieving goals and challenging myself to do more than I thought I was capable of, such as becoming a Patrol Captain and a Bronze Trainer, were also highlights. So was watching the club come together, and the overwhelming love and support I had backing me the entire way.

Taking part in the Summer Surf Program has ignited my passion for surf lifesaving even more. Looking forward, I am excited to challenge myself further and put the skills and knowledge I have learnt over the past season into place.

SOPHIE GERRY (MERMAID BEACH SLSC)
2019 Summer Surf Program winner
PARTNERSHIPS

SLSQ’s efforts on the beach and out in the community would not be possible without an equally passionate and committed group of partners behind the scenes. Building long-term and mutually-beneficial relationships with likeminded organisations helps SLSQ enhance its profile, disseminate key information and, ultimately, support our volunteer members on the frontline.

In 2018/19 SLSQ welcomed new partners and strengthened existing relationships, allowing us to expand on many of our surf safety, educational, sporting and fundraising initiatives. Key highlights from across the past season are outlined below.

NEWSTEAD BREWING CO.

In August 2018 SLSQ announced a new partnership with Newstead Brewing Co., which has already delivered strong benefits to clubs and volunteers across the state. The agreement is underpinned by the launch of a dedicated coastal ale, Nineteen 09, which pays tribute to the first recorded rescue in Queensland on 21 February 1909. The beer is stocked in various liquor stores across the state and can also be sold within individual supporters clubs. Importantly, a percentage of funds raised through the sale of Nineteen 09 is poured straight back into supporting volunteer lifesavers. SLSQ thanks Newstead Brewing Co. for this unique fundraising opportunity, and its ongoing support of our members.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

- Westpac extended its support of the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Service in Queensland, and provided additional funding to launch the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Drone Program across the state.
- SLSQ partnered with Sea World and assisted with the development of its Sea Jellies Illuminated exhibit, providing a strong platform to educate beachgoers about stinger safety.
- Partnerships were launched with the Sunshine Coast Daily and Gold Coast Bulletin to promote 50 years of Nippers in Queensland.
- SLSQ entered into new partnerships with Sea Life, IOR, and the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries Queensland.
- SLSQ signed a partnership with Envirobank to help benefit clubs and lifesaving services through the recycling scheme, while Envirobank also sponsored nippers at the 2019 Youth Championships.
- SLSQ renewed its relationships with Engine Swim, Grant Broadcasters, Harbour Town, Kracka, Queensland Health, Star Outdoor, The Star Gold Coast and Zupps Mt Gravatt Holden.

To view a full list of SLSQ’s partners, please refer to inside back cover.
COMMUNITY AWARENESS

SLSQ’s frontline services are supported by a concerted effort behind the scenes to educate communities about surf and aquatic safety. A number of key programs were delivered across the year as SLSQ directly engaged with, and educated, 158,585 potential beachgoers.

**SURF CREW PROGRAM**
Initially launched on the Gold Coast last season, the Surf Crew program was expanded in 2018/19 to include coverage on the Sunshine Coast. As part of the initiative, lifesavers travel to blackspots in a dedicated surf vehicle to proactively educate members of the public about surf safety. The Gold Coast program, proudly supported by Harbour Town, reached a total of 25,225 beachgoers this season. A further 4,148 people were educated on the Sunshine Coast. Crews also travelled to North Stradbroke Island across the Easter long weekend, engaging with more than 500 beachgoers.

**INLAND WATERWAYS BLACKSPOT PROGRAM**
In addition to beaches, SLSQ has widened its focus in recent years to encompass community education around public waterways. The Inland Waterways Blackspot Program, presented by Queensland Health, was launched this season, with lifesavers visiting various dams, rivers, lakes, public pools and other aquatic environments to educate swimmers about water safety. In total 5,127 people were reached through the initiative. An inland tour from Townsville to Winton also saw lifesavers visit seven schools, conduct ten presentations, and run a dedicated water program.

**ON THE SAME WAVE**
SLSQ’s On The Same Wave program aims to educate migrants, refugees, and other people from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds about aquatic safety. A total of 12,512 people were reached through the program this season. SLSQ acknowledges the Department of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships, and the Department of Communities, Child Safety and Disability Services for their continued support.

**QUEENSLAND HEALTH BEACH SAFE SCHOOLS PROGRAM**
The Queensland Health Beach Safe Schools Program educates thousands of students each year about surf safety, marine creatures, and sun safety. Through the program, lifesavers educated 46,275 students via classroom sessions and a further 4,386 via on-beach programs.

**OTHER PROGRAMS AND ACHIEVEMENTS**
- A total of 601 youngsters were introduced to the basics of surf safety and survival through SLSQ’s award-winning Little Lifesavers program.
- Experienced lifesavers travelled to some of Queensland’s most rural and remote communities as part of the 2018 Breaka Beach to Bush initiative, educating 17,651 students from 105 primary schools. SLSQ thanks Breaka for its support of this vital program.
- Community awareness teams returned to Cairns and Sunshine Coast airports to greet passengers and provide them with critical surf safety information. The program directly engaged with 15,346 potential beachgoers, and SLSQ acknowledges the support of both airports.
- Almost 3,500 students were reached through SLSQ’s involvement in the Sporting Schools program.
- More than 21,000 potential beachgoers were reached through various events and community programs.
- The second annual Water Safe Month was rolled out, with lifesavers educating 1,820 people via onsite activations and pop-up clinics.
- SLSQ worked to develop the International Student Water Assessment in partnership with the Queensland Department of Education, with a goal of expanding the program to include all state schools.
CORPORATE SERVICES
A number of projects were delivered across the past 12 months, as SLSQ worked to streamline and improve its procedures, systems and operations across all levels of the organisation.

A dedicated Finance Summit was held in Brisbane from 25-26 August 2018, in conjunction with SLSQ’s annual Awards of Excellence. The summit was specifically developed to help clubs and committees improve their financial understanding and compliance, while providing them with the knowledge and skillset to help manage their financial responsibilities. A total of 155 people attended the event, which included presentations on fraud, ATO compliance, and financial basics for committees.

Another significant project in 2018/19 was the development and delivery of the Deputy rostering system within all lifeguard services across the state. The e-system allows supervisors to manage rosters online, with lifeguards receiving automated, mobile notifications about their allocated shifts. Timesheets can now be automatically transferred into SLSQ’s payroll system which saves time, minimises double handling, and reduces the risk of handling errors.

Developments and initiatives:

- SLSQ was represented as a member of the Queensland Family and Child Commission Blue Card System Implementation Reference Group.
- Substantial behind the scenes work and negotiation resulted in a significant reduction in WorkCover premiums for members.
- SLSQ’s Risk Appetite Statement was updated, reflecting an ongoing, organisational-wide commitment to managing and mitigating potential risks.
- SLSQ continued to receive industry recognition for its enterprise risk management processes, receiving invitations to present at the Chief Risk Officers Conference, and various sessions run by QFES, QAS and QPS.
- A new iteration of the club constitution template was developed and rolled out across the year.
- SLSQ continued to work closely with all clubs regarding financial responsibilities and compliance, and directly assisted 24 clubs undergoing ATO audits.
- Through SL5A, SLSQ tendered for insurance broking services which resulted in the reappointment of JLT, and ensured the organisation was receiving greater value for money.
- Business and project analysis frameworks were introduced to formalise processes across the organisation, including new initiative forms and business case templates.

Key focus areas:

Moving forward into 2019/20, SLSQ will continue to work on developing and implementing an effective club compliance regime across all branches and regions. Other key areas for the upcoming season include:

- Establishing metrics and key performance indicators for SLSQ’s enterprise risk management framework.
- Rolling out frameworks and training around grievance and member protection for clubs across the state.
- Implementing sub-leases for Supporters Clubs, particularly clubs which have a trustee lease managed by the Council of the City of Gold Coast.
- Increasing organisational focus on information security.

The Corporate Services division is responsible for overseeing governance, risk management and information systems, while ensuring the efficient administration of SLSQ and its affiliated clubs, branches and supporters clubs. The department also works closely with stakeholders to ensure SLSQ remains compliant with all relevant regulatory and legislative requirements.
COMMITTEES AND PANELS

SLSQ Council
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Surf Sports Committee
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Audit, Finance and Compliance Committee
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Membership Services Committee
R. Campbell (Chair), F. Grant., K. Phillips, T. Sealy, R. Fien, N. Palmer (Sec)

Officials and Assessors Finance Committee
R. Campbell (Chair), F. Grant., K. Phillips, T. Sealy, R. Fien

Membership Services Committee
R. Campbell (Chair), F. Grant., K. Phillips, T. Sealy, R. Fien, N. Palmer (Sec)

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IRB Competition Panel
T. Carle, S. Thornton, C. Tuohy, S. Urban, S. Stephenson, A. McAuliffe, D. Homer (Sec)

State Judiciary Committee
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Junior Activities Committee
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Education Panel
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Operations Support Panel

Lifesaving IRB Advisory Panel
A. McAuliffe, J. Kinneally, S. Wheeler, C. Taylor, T. Burgess, T. Carle, P. Lawlor

Meritorious Awards and Lifesaving Selection
R. Campbell (Chair), C. Swanton, C. Melloy, K. Phillips, J. Palmer, K. Akers, N. Palmer (Sec)

R&R Competition Panel
C. Melloy (Chair), B. Heyer, N. Parker, G. Crawford, H. Williams, G. Shaw, N. Huth, S. Byrnes

Officials Advisory Panel
C. Melloy (Chair), D. Mathison, F. Grant, K. Grant, G. Miller, W. Massey, G. Rice, S. Della Bianca, S. Byrnes

Lifesaving IRB Advisory Panel
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Officials Advisory Panel
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Sport Selection Panel
C. Melloy (Chair), R. Fien, A. Moore, D. Short, D. Homer (Sec)

SLSQ LIFE MEMBERS


*S denotes deceased
AWARD WINNERS

2018/19 AWARD WINNERS

Clive Hammond OAM Silver Medal
- North Queensland – Brian McElhinney (Etty Bay)
- North Barrier – Jason Wells (Townsville Picnic Bay)
- Wide Bay Capricorn – John Sunner (Emu Park)
- Sunshine Coast – Craig Law (Sunshine Beach)
- South Coast – Colin Sloane (Coochiemudlo Island)
- Point Danger – John Hamrey (Bilinga)

Operations Support Awards

Gold Coast:
- Operations Support Person of the Year – Peter Anderson
- Duty Officer of the Year – Brenden Scoffell
- Rescue Water Craft 1 – Brian Hurley
- Rescue Water Craft 3 - Damian Hillard
- Rescue Water Craft 4 – Ryan Iezzi
- Rescue Water Craft 5 – Bryden King
- Rescue Water Craft 6 – Adam Lawton
- Rescue Water Craft 8 – Gil Rhodes

Sunshine Coast:
- Operations Support Person of the Year – Jill Hamilton
- Duty Officer of the Year – Nathan Steer
- SurfCom Operator of the Year – Allan Davidson
- Rescue Water Craft 12 – Robert Schwartz
- Rescue Water Craft 14 – Damian Collins
- Rescue Water Craft 15 – Paul Robinson
- Rescue Water Craft 16 – Matthew Baldock
- Rescue Water Craft 17 – Ben Campbell
- Rescue Water Craft 18 – Doug Gould
- Rescue Water Craft 19 – David James

Wide Bay Capricorn:
- Operations Support Person of the Year – John Gillard

Sports Club Champions
- 2018 Queensland IRB Championships – Kurrana
- 2018 North Australian Championships – Cairns
- 2018 Queensland Pool Rescue Championships – Northcliffe
- 2018 Queensland Endurance Championships – Noosa Heads
- 2019 Laerdal Queensland Surf Rescue Championships – Northcliffe
- 2019 Queensland Board Riding Championships – Alexandra Headland
- 2019 Queensland Youth Surf Life Saving Championships – Curumbin
- 2019 Queensland Surf Life Saving Championships – Northcliffe
- 2019 Queensland Masters Surf Life Saving Championships – Northcliffe

2019 Summer Surf Program
- Winner – Sophie Gerry (Mermaid Beach)
- Runner-Up – Emma Angel (Mooloolaba)
- Innovation Award – Emma Angel (Mooloolaba)
- Highest Fundraiser – Zoe Breitkreutz (Arcadian)

2017/18 Award Winners*
- Breka U14 Junior Lifesaver of the Year – Matilda Beikoff-Smart (Pacific)
- U18 Junior Surf Lifesaver of the Year – Emily Glithero (Yeppoon)
- U18-25 Young Surf Lifesaver of the Year – Jessica Simpson (Dicky Beach)
- Queensland Surf Lifesaver of the Year – Michael Hardy (Townsville Picnic Bay)
- Volunteer of the Year – Sam Milfull (Yeppoon)
- Clive Hammond OAM Gold Medal – Graeme Boothe (Ellis Beach)
- Lifeguard of the Year – Connor O’Sullivan
- Club of the Year – Yeppoon
- Andy Frizzell OAM, OBE Award for Services to Junior Activities – Sam Milfull (Yeppoon)
- Operations Support Person of the Year – David James and Scott Burgess
- Assessor of the Year – Michael Stevens (Ellis Beach)
- Trainer of the Year – Rachael Clark (Pacific)
- Youth Development Club of the Year – Moore Park
- Junior Athlete of the Year – Ava Usher (Currumbin)
- 15-18 Youth Athlete of the Year – Tayla Halliday (Alexandra Headland)
- Peter Lacey Athlete of the Year – Harriet Brown (Northcliffe)
- Masters Athlete of the Year – Lee Vrolyks (Northcliffe)
- Rookie Coach of the Year – Josh Minogue (Sunshine Beach)
- Coach of the Year – Nathan Greig (Maroochydore)
- Rookie Official of the Year – Mary Russo (Mudjimba)
- Ron Talon OAM Official of the Year – Barry Leek (Noosa Heads)
- Sport Team Manager of the Year – Alex Rogers (Cairns)
- Sport Team of the Year – Open Female Taplin Relay Team (Noosa Heads)
- President’s Cup – Alexandra Headland
- Community Education Program of the Year – Albatross Nippers Program (Nobbys Beach)

* These awards were announced at SLSQ’s 2018 Awards of Excellence Gala Dinner, after the 2017/18 Annual Report had been produced.
LIFESAVING EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Each year SLSQ’s Lifesaving Excellence Awards recognise the efforts of clubs, individuals and members of the community for their bravery and/or lifesaving actions. In 2018/19, awards were presented to:

- Max Tapp for the successful resuscitation of an adult male who collapsed at Currumbin Boat Ramp on 12 July 2018†;
- Ronald Thomas for the successful rescue of a young child in trouble at Torquay Beach on 12 July 2018;
- Mitchell Knight, Michael Stevens, Chris Smith, John Goodman and Moses Hannett-Wade for the outstanding rescue and treatment of two patients who had fallen from a cliff-face at South Mission Beach on 21 July 2018;
- Gillian Fleming, James Fripp, Archer Shields, Zyah Timpano-Hair, Matilda Yates, Roger Dibden and Brett Beutel for the successful resuscitation of a male beachgoer, after he was pulled unresponsive from the water at Tugun Beach on 11 August 2018;
- Jason Wells for the successful rescue and treatment of an intoxicated female while off-duty at Surfers Paradise on 27 August 2018;
- Michael Bates (ALS) and Brook Gregory for their outstanding efforts in rescuing and resuscitating two patients in challenging conditions near South Gorge at Point Lookout on 2 September 2018*;
- Michael Hardy for the rescue and care of a patient who suffered a seizure in the water at Magnetic Island on 2 September 2018;
- Robert Fischer for the successful resuscitation of a male at Kurrawa Supporters Club on 8 September 2018;
- Jacob Crothers (ALS) for rescuing three young boys caught in a rip outside of the flags at Nielson Park Beach on 26 September 2018;
- Luke O’More, Paul Brennan and Clayton Webster for the successful helicopter rescue of a male trapped on the Gold Coast Seaway wall on 3 October 2018;
- Thomas Cervi (ALS) for outstanding bravery during an attempted rescue of an unconscious male in dangerous conditions at Dolphin Point on 15 October 2018†;
- Gary Craig for the successful rescue of a female beachgoer at Nielson Park Beach on 17 October 2018;
- Southport SLSC Patrol Group Three for the successful rescue of a female beachgoer, and the rescue and resuscitation of a second female patient at Southport on 21 October 2018;
- Michael Daly, Timothy Maulder and Luke Patterson (ALS) for the successful rescue of a male patient found floating in knee-deep water at Coolum Beach on 25 October 2018;
- Patrea Bojack for the rescue of three people stuck on a sandbank at Alva Beach on 4 November 2018;
- Graham Sharry, Nathan Steer, Dave McLean ESM, Jacob Thomson and Andrew McNeilly for successfully locating and rescuing a male kayaker thrown from his craft by a tiger shark roughly 1.5km offshore of Moffat Beach on 15 November 2018†;
- Palm Beach SLSC Patrol Group Two, including Claire Gilmore, Erica Reid and Louise Ruff, for the successful rescue of a female beachgoer swept offshore at Palm Beach on 4 November 2018;
- Olivia O’Brien and Joanne Field (ALS) for the successful resuscitation of an adult male who collapsed following a heart attack at South Bank Parklands on 2 December 2018†;
- Nicole Lowe and Allana Buck for the successful rescue of two young boys and their father swept out to sea in a strong rip at Tannum Sands on 25 December 2018;
- Logan Specht, Alex Langenberg and Anna Prasek (ALS) for their bravery and quick response after an adult male was found face down in the water at the unpatrolled Frenchmans Beach on 1 January 2019†;
- Sandy Penman, Barbara Leslie, and members of Mermaid Beach SLSC Jones Patrol for providing vital treatment and assistance to a male beachgoer who suffered a serious neck injury at Mermaid Beach on 29 December 2018;
- Liam Heads and Tasmin Swan (ALS) for the successful rescue of a male tourist swept offshore in a strong rip at Nielson Park Beach on 8 January 2019;
- Jacob Crothers for the successful rescue of four children and their father from a rip at Elliott Heads River Mouth on 22 January 2019;
- Paul Gibson, Sean Orsborn and Jack McNeil for the successful winch-rescue of two people from an overturned jet ski in the South Stradbroke area on 5 January 2019;
- Sue Macdonald OAM, Robert Woelfle, Kelvin Richdale, Carol Templeton, Sarah Lafeur, Benjamin Taylor and Alicia Kilmartin for the mass rescue of several swimmers swept out in a flash rip at Southport on 6 January 2019;
- Metropolitan Caloundra Tiger Sharks Patrol for the successful rescue and resuscitation of an unresponsive male found floating face down in the water at Kings Beach on 9 February 2019;
- Zachary Henwood, Oliver Henwood, Dylan Chapman, Alan Hobbs and Graham Huband for their efforts in performing CPR after an adult male was pulled unresponsive from the water at Miami Beach on 10 February 2019; and
- Ian Gordon for the successful rescue of two swimmers in trouble near Snapper Rocks at Rainbow Bay on 16 March 2019.

* Denotes SLSQ Rescue of the Month recipient
† Denotes SLSQ and SLSA Rescue of the Month recipient
2018/19 QUEENSLAND CYCLONES TEAMS

2018 IRB Team:
Samantha Thornton (Alexandra Headland)
Sonita Leng-Cole (Alexandra Headland)
Lauren Cannon (Alexandra Headland)
Emma Partington (Alexandra Headland)
Mikaela Rawlings (North Burleigh)
Maddie Phillips (North Burleigh)
Brooke Ward (North Burleigh)
Leah Nelson (North Burleigh)
Ben Domenacki (Kirra)
Isaac Nation (Kirra)
Mark Sheildrick (Kirra)
Josh Clemson (Kirra)
Curtis Sealy (Kurrawa)
Marten Schumacher (Kurrawa)
Jonathon Hagen (Kurrawa)
Jack Lindsay (Kurrawa)
Team Manager – Bronwyn Champness
Assistant Team Manager – Courtney Wilson
(Broadbeach)
Coach – Adam Barbour (North Burleigh)
Patient Coordinator – Andrew McAuliffe
(Kirra)

2019 Ocean Team:
Youth Team:
Tiarnee Massie (Maroochydore)
Electra Outram (Noosa)
Tayla Halliday (Alexandra Headland)
Grace Gurr (Northcliffe)
Ruby Nolan (Sunshine Beach)
Taylor Stickler (Kurrawa)
Ky Kinsela (Currumbin)
Cooper Williams (Alexandra Headland)
Matthew Palmer (Maroochydore)
Adam Palmer (Maroochydore)
Sam Frost (Currumbin)
Kai Thompson (Noosa)

Open Team:
Tiarrn Raymond (Alexandra Headland)
Maddy Dunn (Northcliffe)
Lani Pallister (Alexandra Headland)
Lucinda Kelly (Alexandra Headland)
Hannah Scullery (Northcliffe)
Elizabeth Forsyth (Currumbin)
James Lacy (Mermaid Beach)
Lucas Allan (Northcliffe)
Mitch Coombes (Northcliffe)
TJ Hendy (Surfers Paradise)
Corey Fletcher (Currumbin)
Kieran Gordon (Currumbin)

Team Management:
Manager – Stephen Fry (Northcliffe)
Ocean Coach – Darren Mercer (Noosa)
Assistant Coach – Jack Hansen (Alexandra Headland)
Beach Coach – Brett Robinson (Currumbin)
Assistant Manager – Cameron Dixon (Noosa)
Medical – Josh Carter

2019 Surf Boat Team:
U19 Women – Dicky Beach Tooshies:
Rob Flood (sweep)
Kate Morcom
Luca Holland
Victoria Barbour
Jazz Morris

U19 Men – Coolum Beach Cobbas:
Patrick McGuire (sweep)
Flynn Morgan Smith
Max Campbell
Matt Langley
Conor Thomas

U23 Women – Tallebudgera Two Strokes:
Steve Purcell (sweep)
Teagan McFarlane
Melanie Walker
Katie Gill
Abbey Holyman

U23 Men – Currumbin Karakins
Lyle Clarke (sweep)
Billy Psaltis
Zach Thomson-Smith
Gabe Hamner,
Jesse O’Neill

Res Women – Mooloolaba Salty Souls:
Brenton Tunsted (sweep)
Shelley Janssen
Nicki Vanstone
Sophie Urquhart
Karen Dean

Res Men – Kurrawa Kamikazes
Michael Cameron (sweep)
Drew Armitage
Joshua Payne
Steve L’Huillier
John Polinelli

Open Women – Northcliffe Krankitz
Damien Clayphan (sweep)
Rachel Clayphan
Jennifer Davis
Shannon Grimsey*
Penelope Hamilton

Open Men – Northcliffe Thunder
Damien Clayphan (sweep)
Ben Townsend
Jake Weston
Murray Stacey
Jon Pepper

*Replaced by Lisa Webber (Tallebudgera) due to illness.

2018 Pool Rescue Team:
Under-14:
Lily Nicolson (Currumbin)
Lila Horobin (Kurrawa)
Matt Magnussen (Met Caloundra)
Jack Everleigh (Carrumbin)

Under-15:
Jess Oates (Alexandra Headland)
Tayla Halliday (Alexandra Headland)
Joseph McMenamin (Maroochydore)
Corbin Zahn (Northcliffe)

Under-17:
Summer Short (Maroochydore)
Harmana Williams (Maroochydore)
Kurt Lorme (Maroochydore)
Ruben Zikarsky (Maroochydore)

Under-19:
Lani Pallister (Alexandra Headland)
Jamie Cotter (Maroochydore)
Jacob Loughnan (Carrumbin)
Steven Coombes (Maroochydore)

Open:
Prue Davies (Currumbin)
Mariah Jones (TH&C)
Chelsea Gillett (Currumbin)
Rachel Eddy (Currumbin)
Matt Davis (Currumbin)
Sam Bell (Maroochydore)
Luke Benson (TH&C)
Jackson Chapman (Tugun)

Team Management:
Manager – Stephen Fry (Northcliffe)
Coach – Craig Holden (Elliott Heads)
Assistant Coach – Danny Short (Maroochydore)
STATISTICS, RESULTS AND FINANCIALS

Results

Membership Statistics

Lifesaving Patrol Activity

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Lifesaving Awards

Financials
RESULTS

2019 Queensland Youth Championships

Junior All Age Relay
1 Currumbin Team A
2 Alexandra Headland Team A
3 THSC Team A

U11 Female 1km Beach Run
1 Biana Rayward (Kurrawa)
2 Sienna Buch (Currumbin)
3 Georgia Seaton (Tugun)

U11 Female Beach Flags
1 Indiana Cleeford (THSC)
2 Pip Barlow (Mooloolaba)
3 Summer Tottman (North Queensland)

U11 Female Beach Relay
1 Noosa Heads Team A
2 Alexandra Headland Team A
3 THSC Team A

U11 Female Beach Sprint
1 Indiana Cleeford (THSC)
2 Bridie Lefmann (Dickly Beach)
3 Tki Callisto (Tugun)

U11 Female Cameron Relay
1 Maroochydore Team A
2 Tugun Team A
3 North Burleigh Team A

U11 Female Ironwoman
1 Rayward Bianca (Kurrawa)
2 Piazzal Luna (Tugun)
3 Callisto Tki (Tugun)

U11 Female Surf Board
1 Amy Newton (North Burleigh)
2 Lilly Aldorf (THSC)
3 Stella Green (Kawana Waters)

U11 Female Surf Board Relay
1 Tugun Team B
2 Mermaid Beach Team A
3 Alexandra Headland Team AU11

Female Surf Board Rescue
1 North Burleigh Team A
2 Tugun Team C
3 Maroochydore Team A

U11 Female Surf Race
1 Biana Rayward (Kurrawa)
2 Amy Newton (North Burleigh)
3 Jay O’Pray (Maroochydore)

U11 Female Surf Team
1 Tugun Team A
2 North Burleigh Team A
3 Alexandra Headland Team AU11

Male 1km Beach Run
1 Ryder Maclean (Tugun)
2 Jaseen Tutt (Kawana Waters)
3 Brody Muller (North Burleigh)

Male Beach Flags
1 Brody Muller (North Burleigh)
2 Jaseen Harding (BHPMP)
3 Cohen Palmer (Elliot Heads)

U11 Male Beach Relay
1 BHPMP Team A
2 THSC Team A
3 Currumbin Team A

U11 Male Beach Sprint
1 Jonah Sayers (Currumbin)
2 Jaseen Harding (BHPMP)
3 Xavier Ubl (Bundaberg)

U11 Male Cameron Relay
1 Noosa Heads Team A
2 North Burleigh Team B
3 Alexandra Headland Team A

U11 Male Beach Run
1 Ryder Maclean (Tugun)
2 Ryder Page (BHPMP)
3 Joe Tolano (Sunshine Beach)

U11 Male Surf Board
1 Noosa Heads Team A
2 Noosa Heads Team B
3 North Burleigh Team A

U11 Male Surf Board Rescue
1 Noosa Heads Team A
2 Sunshine Beach Team A
3 Point Lookout Team A

U11 Male Surf Race
1 Jordan Short (Maroochydore)
2 Byron Oldfield (Alexandra Headland)
3 Matt Shafer (North Burleigh)

U11 Male Surf Team
1 Noosa Heads Team A
2 Maroochydore Team A
3 North Burleigh Team A

U11 Male Surf Board
1 Tugun Team A
2 Maroochydore Team A
3 North Burleigh Team A

U12 Female 1km Beach Run
1 Tula O’Shaynessy (Dickly Beach)
2 Allie Hughes (Tugun)
3 Erin Shephard (Northcliffe)

U12 Female Beach Flags
1 Ava Usher (Currumbin)
2 Taia Bartholomew (Maroochydore)
3 Alexh Stringer (Currumbin)

U12 Female Beach Relay
1 THSC Team A
2 Currumbin Team A
3 THSC Team B

U12 Female Beach Sprint
1 Taia Bartholomew (Maroochydore)
2 Lily Aldorf (THSC)
3 Ava Usher (Currumbin)

U12 Female Cameron Relay
1 Currumbin Team A
2 North Burleigh Team A
3 Tannum Sands Team A

U12 Female Ironwoman
1 Ava Usher (Currumbin)
2 Miaj Jensen (Currumbin)
3 Eliza Parish (Alexandra Headland)

U12 Female Surf Board
1 Allie Hughes (Tugun)
2 Miaj Jensen (Currumbin)
3 Milla Brosnan-Ball (North Burleigh)

U12 Female Surf Board Relay
1 Currumbin Team A
2 Alexandra Headland Team A
3 Tugun Team A

U12 Female Surf Race
1 Miaj Jensen (Currumbin)
2 Imogen Hunt (North Burleigh)
3 Ava Usher (Currumbin)

U12 Female Surf Team
1 Currumbin Team A
2 Alexandra Headland Team A
3 Point Lookout Team A

U12 Male 1km Beach Run
1 Kai Collette (Tugun)
2 Findlay Booker (Mooloolaba)
3 Oscar Star-Thomas (Maroochydore)

U12 Male Beach Flags
1 Blake Kruska (Northcliffe)
2 Oscar Wemmertlager (Tannum Sands)
3 Barlow Telford (THSC)

U12 Male Beach Relay
1 Mains Beach Team A
2 North Burleigh Team A
3 Mooloolaba Team A

U12 Male Beach Sprint
1 Jake Neil (Maroochydore)
2 Cooper Harrison (North Burleigh)
3 Jake Stanborough (Rainbow Bay)

U12 Male Camaron Relay
1 North Burleigh Team A
2 Tallebudgera Team A
3 North Burleigh Team B

U12 Male Ironman
1 Jesse Harding (Currumbin)
2 Dylan Wilson (Sunshine Beach)
3 Dave Howard (Tannum Sands)

U12 Male Surf Board
1 Jan Murray (North Burleigh)
2 Elliot Howell (North Burleigh)
3 Byron Dackmann (Mooloolaba)

U12 Male Surf Board Relay
1 North Burleigh Team A
2 Currumbin Team A
3 Tannum Sands Team A

U12 Male Surf Board Rescue
1 North Burleigh Team B
2 Tallebudgera Team A
3 North Burleigh Team C

U12 Male Surf Race
1 Kalvin Coetzee (North Burleigh)
2 Matthew Katzenberger (Northcliffe)
3 Max Alaius (North Burleigh)

U12 Male Surf Team
1 North Burleigh Team A
2 Currumbin Team A
3 Tannum Sands Team A

U13 Female 1km Beach Run
1 Molly Sawall (Pacific)
2 Emma McDonald (Northcliffe)
3 Charlotte Hart (BHPMP)

U13 Female Beach Flags
1 Britney Ingr (Currumbin)
2 Francesca Dabou (Tannum Sands)
3 Jasmine Single (Kurrawa)

U13 Female Beach Relay
1 Currumbin Team A
2 Met Caloundra Team A
3 Maroochydore Team A

U13 Female Beach Sprint
1 Britney Ingr (Currumbin)
2 Havina Harris (North Burleigh)
3 Jade Bartholomew (Maroochydore)

U13 Female Cameron Relay
1 Northcliffe Team A
2 Sunshine Beach Team A
3 North Burleigh Team A

U13 Female Ironwoman
1 Lucia Richard (Met Caloundra)
2 Georgia McKeeley (Sunshine Beach)
3 Summer Hooper (Sunshine Beach)

U13 Female Surf Board
1 Chelsea Wood (HMP)
2 Allara Gwiazda (Tallebudgera)
3 Emma McDonald (Northcliffe)

U13 Female Surf Board Relay
1 Currumbin Team A
2 Northcliffe Team A
3 Alexandra Headland Team A

U13 Female Surf Board Rescue
1 Currumbin Team A
2 Tallebudgera Team A
3 Alexandra Headland Team A

U13 Female Surf Race
1 Leah Kirkington (Alexandra Headland)
2 Georgia McInerney (Tannum Sands)
3 Emma McDonald (Northcliffe)

U13 Female Surf Team
1 Northcliffe Team A
2 Met Caloundra Team A
3 Currumbin Team A

U13 Male 1km Beach Run
1 Jake French (Tugun)
2 Tom Fabian (Alexandra Headland)
3 Jack Stringer (Currumbin)

U13 Male Beach Flags
1 Johnston (Mudjimba)
2 Tom Jack Stringer (Currumbin)
3 Jake French (Tugun)

U13 Male Beach Relay
1 Alexandra Headland Team A
2 THSC Team A
3 Mudjimba Team A

U13 Male Beach Sprint
1 Tom Johnston (Mudjimba)
2 Kyle Ormiston (Alexandra Headland)
3 Will Kruger (Alexandra Headland)

U13 Male Camaron Relay
1 North Burleigh Team A
2 Tannum Sands Team A
3 Northcliffe Team A

U13 Male Ironman
1 Ethan Callaghan (North Burleigh)
2 Ethan Wentworth (Southport)
3 Herb Winter (Currumbin)

U13 Male Surf Board
1 Ethan Callaghan (North Burleigh)
2 Blake Frattner (THSC)
3 Brady Blake (Tannum Sands)

U13 Male Surf Board Relay
1 Currumbin Team A
2 Tannum Sands Team A
3 Southport Team A

U13 Male Surf Board Rescue
1 Currumbin Team A
2 BHPMP Team C
3 Northcliffe Team A

U13 Male Surf Race
1 Ryley Hartland (Northcliffe)
2 Kase Martin (Tannum Sands)
3 Daniel Ebary (North Burleigh)

U13 Male Surf Team
1 North Burleigh Team A
2 Currumbin Team A
3 Noosa Heads Team A

U14 Female 2km Beach Run
1 Eva Parish (Northcliffe)
2 Imogen Hilley (Met Caloundra)
3 Lucy Schnorch (Tallebudgera)

U14 Female Beach Flags
1 Emily Gauld (Northcliffe)
2 Kiera Bascoume (Mooloolaba)
3 EB Yel (Rainbow Bay)

U14 Female Beach Relay
1 Currumbin Team A
2 Point Lookout Team A
3 Southport Team A

U14 Female 2km Beach Run
1 Eva Parish (Northcliffe)
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U14 Female Beach Flags
1 Emily Gauld (Northcliffe)
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U14 Female Beach Relay
1 Currumbin Team A
2 Point Lookout Team A
3 Southport Team A

U14 Female Beach Sprint
1 Tahani Devine (Kurrawa)
2 Tenley Snow (Alexandra Headland)
3 Sydney Jane Crickshank (Alexandra Headland)

U14 Female Camaron Relay
1 Maroochydore Team A
2 Northcliffe Team A
3 Mermaid Beach Team A

U14 Female Ironwoman
1 Jamie Perkins (Maroochydore)
2 Georgia McInerney (Tannum Sands)
3 Morgan ‘Minnie’ (Southport)

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2 Samane Haqvi (Northcliffe)
3 Josee Bruhn (Tagan)

40-44 Female Beach Sprint
1 Cathryn Rayward (Kurrawa)
3 Josee Bruhn (Tagan)
3 Selena Trantar (Nobby’s Beach)

40-44 Female Ironwoman
1 Cathryn Rayward (Kurrawa)
2 Margaux O’Reilly (Miami Beach)

40-44 Female Rescue Tube Race
1 Cathryn Rayward (Kurrawa)
2 Dana Morrissey (Mooloolaba)
3 Kristy Bowley (North Burleigh)

40-44 Female Surf Board
1 Kristy Bowley (North Burleigh)
2 Megan Mackie (Dicky Beach)
2 Margaux O’Reilly (Miami Beach)

40-44 Female Surf Board Rescue
1 Mooloolaba Team A
2 Alexandra Headland Team A
3 Palm Beach Team A

40-44 Female Surf Race
1 Cathryn Rayward (Kurrawa)
2 Helen Chorley (Mooloolaba)
3 Larissa Hallam (Maroochydore)

40-44 Male 2km Beach Run
1 Robert Williams (Southport)
2 Glen McLennan (Southport)
3 Kelvin Murray (Palm Beach)

40-44 Male Beach Flags
1 Shannon Webber (Nobby’s Beach)
2 Joel Kinnelly (Kira)
3 Ryan Velch (Mudgeimba)

40-44 Male Beach Sprint
2 Nicholas Fawzi (Canalbank)
3 David Triantar (Robbys Beach)

40-44 Male Double Ski
1 North Burleigh Team B
2 North Bondi Team A
3 Byron Bay Team A

40-44 Male Ironman
1 Josh Mayer (North Burleigh)
2 Andrew Keegan (Surfers Paradise)
3 Andrew Keegan (Surfers Paradise)

40-44 Male Rescue Tube Race
1 Robert Brown (Brunswick)
2 Gregory Russ (BTHMP)
3 Mark Peacock (Mudgeimba)

40-44 Male Surf Board
1 Josh Mayer (North Burleigh)
2 Andrew Keegan (Surfers Paradise)
3 Justin Gordon (Surfers Paradise)

40-44 Male Surf Board Rescue
1 Brunswick Team A
2 Surfers Paradise Team A
3 North Bondi Team A

40-44 Male Surf Race
1 Robert Brown (Brunswick)
2 Andrew Keegan (Surfers Paradise)
3 Paul O’Shea (Currimundi)

40-44 Male Surf Ski
1 Brad Rodgers (North Burleigh)
2 Jonathan Looke (North Burleigh)
3 Joshua Mayer (North Burleigh)

40-44 Female 2km Beach Run
1 Wakahika Yoshida (Northcliffe)
2 Jodie Watson (Bribie Island)
3 Helen Bernet (Pacific)

45-49 Female Beach Flags
1 Helena Grono (Currimundi)
2 Wilina Sripol (Mudjimba)
3 Cherie Bell (Mooloolaba)

45-49 Female Beach Sprint
1 Cherie Bell (Mooloolaba)
2 Helena Grono (Currimundi)
3 Tania Morton (Mooloolaba)

45-49 Female Ironwoman
1 Helen Murray (Byron Bay)

45-49 Female Rescue Tube Race
1 John Waring (Coolum Beach)
2 Helen Murray (Byron Bay)
3 Leanne Major (Palm Beach)

45-49 Female Surf Board Rescue
1 Helen Murray (Byron Bay)
2 Pip Fawcett (Dicky Beach)
3 John Waring (Coolum Beach)

45-49 Female Surf Board Rescue
1 Dicky Beach Team A
2 Byron Bay Team A
3 Palm Beach Team A

45-49 Female Surf Race
1 Helen Murray (Byron Bay)
2 Wakahika Yoshida (Northcliffe)
3 Karyn Cook (Mudgeimba)

45-49 Female Surf Ski
1 Helen Murray (Byron Bay)
2 Katrina Egna (Marsyachyds)
3 Tamae Thompson (Marsyachyds)

45-49 Male 2km Beach Run
1 Nicholas Fawzi (Canalbank)
2 Guy Andrews (Talkubudaga)
3 David Triantar (Robbys Beach)

45-49 Male Beach Flags
1 Calum Taylor (THSC)
2 Brian Carroll (Elliot Heads)
3 Timothy Matchett (Palm Beach)

45-49 Male Beach Sprint
1 Calum Taylor (THSC)
2 Timothy Matchett (Palm Beach)
3 John-Paul Smith (Salt)

45-49 Male Double Ski
1 Alexandra Headland Team A
2 Noosa Heads Team A
3 Elliot Heads Team A

45-49 Male Ironman
1 Guy Andrews (Talkubudaga)
2 Greg Cox (Palm Beach)
3 Scott Sewell (Byron Bay)

45-49 Male Rescue Tube Race
1 David Beer (Kurrawa)
2 Craig Holden (Elliot Heads)
3 Anthony Waring (Coolum Beach)

45-49 Male Surf Board
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2 Kelly Marjaret (Palm Beach)
3 Guy Andrews (Talkubudaga)

45-49 Male Surf Board Rescue
1 Craig Holden (Elliot Heads)
2 Palm Beach Team A
3 Burleigh Heads Team A

45-49 Male Surf Race
1 Guy Andrews (Talkubudaga)
2 Cameron Dixon (Surfers Paradise)
3 Scott Cox (Palm Beach)

45-49 Male Surf Ski
1 Jason Prior (Alexandra Headland)
2 Guy Andrews (Talkubudaga)
3 Andrew Parry (Kurrawa)

45-49 Female 2km Beach Run
1 Joanne Colja (Cudgen Headland)
2 Michelle Slattery (Pacific)
3 Edwina Roberts (Nobby’s Beach)

50-54 Female Beach Flags
1 Carolina Jones (Mooloolaba)
2 Wendy Randle (Mermaid Beach)
3 Charlette Minster (Mooloolaba)

50-54 Female Beach Sprint
1 Carolina Jones (Mooloolaba)
2 Lisi Kett (Kurrawa)
3 Charlette Minster (Mooloolaba)

50-54 Female Ironwoman
1 Elie Ashfield Hadstedom (Kurrawa)
2 Sandra Pennan (Mermaid Beach)
3 Joanne Kay (Byron Bay)

50-54 Female Rescue Tube Race
1 Sandra Pennan (Mermaid Beach)
2 Joanne Kay (Byron Bay)
3 Belinda Marti (Nobby’s Heads)

50-54 Female Surf Board
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2 Amanda Hamner (Kurrawa)
3 Sandra Pennan (Mermaid Beach)

50-54 Female Surf Board Rescue
1 Mermaid Beach Team A
2 Kurrawa Team A
3 Mermaid Beach Team B

50-54 Female Surf Race
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2 Theresas Bre特ke (Northcliffe)
3 Joanne Kay (Byron Bay)

50-54 Female Surf Ski
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2 Bernadette Nolan (Alexandra Headland)
3 Jennifer Rogers (Mooloolaba)

50-54 Male 2km Beach Run
1 Glenn Toose (Kurrawa)
2 Brett Wentworth (Southport)
3 Grant Swetel (Mermaid Beach)

50-54 Male Beach Flags
1 Paul Davis (Brunswick)
2 Craig Chapman (Surfers Paradise)
3 Bryon Halliday (Alexandra Headland)

50-54 Male Rescue Tube Race
1 Craig Chapman (Surfers Paradise)
2 Scott Unicomb (Northcliffe)
3 Bryon Halliday (Alexandra Headland)

50-54 Male Surf Board
1 Jeffery Lemarseny (Alexandra Headland)
2 Paul Davis (Brunswick)
3 Craig Chapman (Surfers Paradise)

50-54 Male Surf Board Rescue
1 Alexandra Headland Team A
2 Surfers Paradise Team A
3 Mermaid Beach Team A

50-54 Male Surf Race
1 Bryon Halliday (Alexandheadland)
2 Scott Unicomb (Northcliffe)
3 Roger Berlan (Northcliffe)

50-54 Male Surf Ski
1 Martin Kenny (Alexandra Headland)
2 Jeffery Lemarseny (Alexandra Headland)
3 Mark Frost (Palm Beach)

50-54 Open Double Ski
1 Alexandra Headland Team A
2 Mooloolaba Team A
3 Palm Beach Team A

50-54 Female 2km Beach Run
1 Tracey Mitchell (Nobby’s Beach)
2 Amanda Noble (Mooloolaba)
3 Trudy Nielsen (Nobby’s Beach)

55-59 Female Beach Flags
1 Karen Fischer (Kurrawa)
2 Tracey Mitchell (Nobby’s Beach)
3 Trudy Nielsen (Nobby’s Beach)

55-59 Female Beach Sprint
1 Amanda Noble (Mooloolaba)
2 Tracey Mitchell (Nobby’s Beach)
3 Karen Fischer (Kurrawa)

55-59 Female Ironwoman
1 Alison Pegg (Nobby’s Heads)
2 Alexon Fisk (Nobby’s Heads)
3 Georgia Lynch (Nobby’s Heads)

55-59 Female Rescue Tube Race
1 Alexon Fisk (Nobby’s Heads)
2 Louise Roberts (Mermaid Beach)
3 Georgia Lynch (Nobby’s Heads)

55-59 Female Surf Board
1 Alison Pegg (Nobby’s Heads)
2 Sally Hunt (North Burleigh)
3 Wendy Callard (Palm Beach)

55-59 Female Surf Board Rescue
1 Kurrawa Team A

55-59 Female Surf Race
1 Alexon Pegg (Nobby’s Heads)
2 Sally Roberts (Mermaid Beach)
3 Sally Hunt (North Burleigh)

55-59 Male 2km Beach Run
1 Mark Lepper (Bribie Island)
2 Noel Martin (Nobby’s Beach)

55-59 Male Beach Flags
1 Martin Ashfield (Surfers Paradise)
2 Philip Wisper (Coolagattan)
3 Craig Parker (Mooloolaba)

55-59 Male Beach Sprint
1 Craig Parker (Mooloolaba)
2 Paul Hayden (Palm Beach)
3 Philip Wisper (Coolagattan)

55-59 Male Ironman
1 Grant Kenny (Alexandra Headland)
2 Noel Kolka (Northcliffe)
3 Mark Bennetto (Southport)

55-59 Male Rescue Tube Race
1 Darryl Blackburn (Surfers Paradise)
2 Adam Sambrook (Southport)
3 Darren Seagers (Nobby’s Heads)

55-59 Male Surf Board
1 Martin Ashfield (Surfers Paradise)
2 Michael Di Betta (BTHMP)
3 Noel Kolka (Northcliffe)

55-59 Male Surf Board Rescue
1 Surfers Paradise Team A
2 Northcliffe Team A
3 BTHMP Team A

55-59 Male Surf Race
1 Grant Kenny (Alexandra Headland)
2 Darryl Blackburn (Surfers Paradise)
3 Cameron Delahunty (BTHMP)

55-59 Male Surf Ski
1 Grant Kenny (Alexandra Headland)
2 Fergus Lidde (Mooloolaba)
3 Peter Degnan (Mermaid Beach)

55-59 Open Double Ski
1 Mooloolaba Team A
2 Northcliffe Team B
3 Northcliffe Team A

60-64 Female 1km Beach Run
1 Kyle Margaret (Northcliffe)

60-64 Female Ironwoman
1 Julie Fidler (Nobby’s Heads)
2 Margaret Kyle (Northcliffe)
60-64 Male Surf Race
1 Robert Stewart (Mooloolaba)
2 Ross Fisher (Noosa Heads)
3 Campbell Seward (Northcliffe)

70 Female Surf Race
1 Elizabeth Crilly (Kurrawa)
2 Christina Nicholls (Kurrawa)

70 Female Surf Board Rescue
1 Kurrawa Team A

70 Female Surf Tube Race
1 Elizabeth Crilly (Kurrawa)
2 Christina Nicholls (Kurrawa)

70+ Male Surf Ski
1 Neville De Mestre (North Burleigh)
2 Ross Fisher (Noosa Heads)
3 Peter Allison (Kurrawa)

70+ Male Surf Race
1 Neville De Mestre (North Burleigh)
2 Ross Fisher (Noosa Heads)
3 Peter Allison (Kurrawa)

70+ Male Surf Board Rescue
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70+ Male Double Ski
1 Mooloolaba Team A
2 Northcliffe Team A
3 North Burleigh Team A

70+ Male Beach Sprint
1 Mooloolaba Team A
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3 North Burleigh Team A

70+ Male Beach Flags
1 Mooloolaba Team A
2 Northcliffe Team A
3 Noosa Heads Macaws

70+ Male 1km Beach Run
1 Mooloolaba Team A
2 Northcliffe Team A
3 Noosa Heads Macaws

70+ Male Rescue Tube Race
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2 Ross Fisher (Noosa Heads)
3 Peter Allison (Kurrawa)

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70+ Male Surf Board
1 Neville De Mestre (North Burleigh)
2 Ross Fisher (Noosa Heads)
3 Peter Allison (Kurrawa)

45+ Female Surf Spray
1 Riverside Rovers

Surf Life Saving Queensland

Over 120 Years Female Surf Boat
1 Met Caloundra Matadors

Over 120 Years Male Surf Boat
1 Met Caloundra Old Bulls

Over 140 Years Female Surf Boat
1 Manly Warringah Stringrays
2 Yeppoon Bandits

Over 140 Years Male Surf Boat
1 Surfers Paradise Scorpions

Over 160 Years Female Surf Boat
1 Carabuni Team A
2 Yamba Boilers
3 Mermaid Beach Pippies

Over 160 Years Male Surf Boat
1 Dicky Beach Flashbacks
2 Noosa Heads Team B
3 Noosa Heads Macaws

Over 180 Years Open Surf Boat
1 Tallebudgera Ghosts
2 Noosa Heads Team A
3 Alexandra Headland Fireballs

Over 200 Years Surf Boat
1 Manly Warringah Stingrays
2 Yeppoon
3 Mooloolaba Dirty Moes

Over 220 Years Surf Boat
1 Tallebudgera Team A
2 Mooloolaba Special Ops
3 Noosa Heads Condors

Over 240 Years Surf Boat
1 Mooloolaba Wombats
2 Manly Warringah Fossils

Over 260 Years Open Surf Boat
1 Coolumangatta Magpies
2 Tugun Team A
3 Kurrawa Kurrawa Old Boys

Over 45+ Years Female Double Ski
1 Noosa Heads Team B
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Surf Life Saving Queensland
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| F | 12 | 5 | 4 | 8 | 8 | 3 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | 1 | 12 | - | 54 |

| M | 230 | 12 | 13 | 15 | 195 | 21 | - | 9 | 1 | 29 | 39 | - | 6 | 13 | 1 | 712 |
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| F | 87 | 5 | 16 | 27 | 79 | 8 | - | 7 | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 234 |

| M | 181 | 25 | 51 | 130 | 109 | - | - | 3 | - | 19 | 63 | - | - | 26 | 4 | 611 |
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### NORTHCLIFFE MOWBRAY PARK

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### TOTA L MEMBERSHIP

| M | 3,427 | 292 | 454 | 1,474 | 2,957 | 340 | 1 | 97 | 19 | 251 | 558 | 7 | 55 | 137 | 33 | 10,102 |
| F | 2,862 | 226 | 421 | 1,762 | 1,977 | 232 | 1 | 80 | 15 | 412 | 698 | 1 | 82 | 102 | 36 | 8,910 |

### SURF LIFE SAVING QUEENSLAND

| M | 5,874 | 526 | 899 | 3,584 | 3,920 | 502 | 62 | 158 | 30 | 941 | 1,195 | 11 | 128 | 262 | 78 | 18,170 |
| F | 5,300 | 502 | 738 | 1,947 | 4,927 | 476 | 52 | 136 | 25 | 131 | 294 | 23 | 53 | 211 | 26 | 14,841 |

### TOTAL MEMBERSHIP

| M | 11,174 | 1,028 | 1,637 | 5,531 | 8,847 | 978 | 114 | 284 | 55 | 1,072 | 1,489 | 34 | 181 | 473 | 104 | 33,011 |
| F | 10,154 | 974 | 1,469 | 5,040 | 7,784 | 752 | 77 | 251 | 45 | 1,053 | 1,342 | 28 | 132 | 383 | 103 | 18,751 |

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|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|---------------|------------------|-------------|---------|------------|----------------|--------|-----------|------|------|---------|----------|      |         |      |      |
| Rescues     | 39          | 245         | 224 | 96  | -   | -   | 18            | 622              | 34,471      | -        | 10       | 2.58                | 40     | 24         | 29   | 3    | 45       | 5         | 3    | 37      | 26    | 4    |
| Club Total  | 78          | 388         | 310 | 193 | -   | -   | 25            | 994              | 68,194      | 5         | 25       | 10.32               | 55     | 55         | 74   | 4    | 91       | 4         | 19   | 857     | 27    | 22   |

### Total Lives Saved

- **Total Lives Saved**: 3,894
- **Total First Aid Treatments**: 65,133
- **Total Preventative Actions**: 82,429
- **Total Patrol Hours (Voluntary Service)**: 319,101
### ALS QUEENSLAND LIFEGUARD ACTIVITY

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| Certificate of Attendance Resuscitation                                   | 8   |
| Defibrillation Certificate                                                | 45  |
| Surf Rescue Certificate - Community (Update)                               | 152 |
| Surf Survival                                                              | 81  |
| **Grand Total**                                                            | 387 |

** Indicates these awards are delivered by ALAQ under ECT Model
### NATIONALLY-RECOGNISED AWARDS

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## Consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income

**For the year ended 31 May 2019**

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Consolidated statement of financial position

As at 31 May 2019

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<td>16,018,111</td>
<td>19,568,835</td>
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The above consolidated statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.
Consolidated statement of changes in Association’s funds

For the year ended 31 May 2019

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<td>Retained earnings</td>
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<td>Balance at the beginning of the financial year</td>
<td>19,568,835</td>
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<tr>
<td>Surplus/(deficit) for the year</td>
<td>(3,550,724)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Other comprehensive income for the year</td>
<td>-</td>
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<td>Balance at the end of the financial year</td>
<td>16,018,111</td>
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The above consolidated statement of changes in Association’s funds should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.
Consolidated statement of cash flows

For the year ended 31 May 2019

| Notes | Consolidated Group | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | 2019 | 2018 | |
| **Cash flows from operating activities** | | | |
| Receipts in the course of operations | 37,116,060 | 35,339,747 | |
| Payments in the course of operations | (32,772,017) | (31,065,210) | |
| Interest received | 5,670 | 1,438 | |
| GST remitted to ATO | (1,660,649) | (1,235,403) | |
| **Net cash (used in)/generated from operating activities** | 2,689,064 | 3,040,572 | |
| **Cash flows from investing activities** | | | |
| Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment | 27,026 | 100,456 | |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment | (3,259,697) | (4,962,857) | |
| Proceeds from withdrawal of financial assets | 500,000 | 2,150,000 | |
| **Net cash (used in)/generated from investing activities** | (2,732,671) | (2,712,401) | |
| **Cash flows from financing activities** | | | |
| Proceeds from borrowings | 113,939 | - | |
| **Net cash (used in)/generated from financing activities** | 113,939 | - | |
| **Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents** | 70,332 | 328,171 | |
| Cash on hand at the beginning of the financial year | 1,711,325 | 1,383,154 | |
| Cash on hand at the end of the financial year | 1,781,657 | 1,711,325 | |

The above consolidated statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.
Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 May 2019

1. Summary of significant accounting policies

(a) Basis of preparation

This general purpose financial report has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards – Reduced Disclosure Requirements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board for distribution to the members to fulfil the directors' financial reporting requirements under the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 and the Associations Incorporation Act Queensland 1981.

The Association is a not-for-profit entity for financial reporting purposes under Australian Accounting Standards. Material accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are presented below and have been consistently applied unless stated otherwise.

Australian Accounting Standards set out accounting policies that the Australian Accounting Standards Board has concluded would result in financial statements containing relevant and reliable information about transactions, events and conditions. Material accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are presented below and have been consistently applied unless stated otherwise.

The financial statements, except for the cash flow information, have been prepared on an accrual basis of accounting and are based on historical costs and the going concern assumption. Cost is based on the fair values of the consideration given in exchange for assets. The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous year.

The financial report is presented in Australian dollars ($) The amounts presented in the financial statements have been rounded to the nearest dollar.

(b) New accounting standards and interpretations

(i) Changes in accounting policies, new and amended standards and interpretations

The entity has adopted all of the new, revised or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') that are mandatory for the current reporting period, including those discussed below:

AASB 9: Financial Instruments

The entity has initially applied AASB 9 as at 1 June 2018. As a result, the entity has changed its financial instruments accounting policies as detailed in this note.

The Group applied AASB 9 and the related consequential amendments to other AASBs. New requirements were introduced for the classification and measurement of financial assets and financial liabilities, as well as for impairment.

Financial assets in terms of AASB 9 need to be measured subsequently at either amortised cost or fair value on the basis of the entity’s business model and the cash flow characteristics of the financial assets.

The entity determined the existing financial assets as at 1 June 2018 based on the facts and circumstances that were present and determined that the initial application of AASB 9 had the effect that financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss (AASB 139) are still measured as such under AASB 9.

As per AASB 9, an expected credit loss model is applied, not an incurred credit loss model as per the previous Standard applicable (AASB 139). To reflect changes in credit risk, this expected credit loss model requires the entity to account for expected credit losses since initial recognition.

A simplified approach is followed in relation to trade receivables, as the loss allowance is measured at lifetime expected credit loss.

The Group reviewed and assessed the existing financial assets on 1 June 2018. The assessment was done to test the impairment of these financial assets using reasonable and supportable information that was available to determine the credit risk of the respective items at the date they were initially recognised.

Under AASB 9, there are no significant changes affecting the classification and measurement of the financial assets, consisting of trade and other receivables and equity investments, have been made and no material adjustments have been made.
Notes to the financial statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 May 2019

1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

As the accounting for financial liabilities, consisting of trade and other payables, remains largely unchanged from AASB 139, the entity's financial liabilities were not impacted by the adoption of AASB 9.

(ii) Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued but not yet effective

Certain Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations that have recently been issued or amended but are not yet effective and have not been adopted by the Association for the annual reporting period ended 31 May 2019. The directors have not early adopted any of these new or amended standards or interpretations. Accounting Standards issued by the AASB that are not yet mandatorily applicable to the entity, together with an assessment of the potential impact of such pronouncements when adopted in future periods, are discussed below:

AASB 15: Revenue from Contracts with Customers and AASB 1058: Income of Not-for-Profit Entities (both applicable to year ended 31 May 2020)

When effective, these Standards will replace the current accounting requirements applicable to revenue with a single, principles-based model.

Based on a preliminary assessment performed over each significant revenue stream, the effects of AASB 15 and AASB 1058 are not expected to have a material impact on the entity.

AASB 16: Leases (applicable to year ended 31 May 2020)

When effective, this Standard will replace the current accounting requirements applicable to leases in AASB 117. AASB 16 introduces a single lessee accounting model that eliminates the requirement for leases to be classified as operating or finance leases. Management performed an initial assessment of potential impact of AASB 16 and at the date of initial application, being 1 June 2019, they have estimated that it will record in its Statement of Financial Position right-of-use assets of approximately $1.150m and lease liabilities of approximately $1.400m.

(c) Principles of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate all of the assets, liabilities and results of the parent (Surf Life Saving Queensland) and all of the subsidiaries (including any structured entities). Subsidiaries are entities the parent controls. The parent controls an entity when it is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. A list of the subsidiaries is provided in Note 11.

The assets, liabilities and results of all subsidiaries are fully consolidated into the financial statements of the Group from the date on which control is obtained by the Group. The consolidation of a subsidiary is discontinued from the date that control ceases. Intercompany transactions, balances and unrealised gains or losses on transactions between group entities are fully eliminated on consolidation. Accounting policies of subsidiaries have been changed and adjustments made where necessary to ensure uniformity of the accounting policies adopted by the Group.

(d) Current versus non-current classification

The Association presents assets and liabilities in the statement of financial position based on current/non-current classification.

An asset is current when it is:

- Expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed in the Association’s normal operating cycle
- Held primarily for the purpose of trading
- Expected to be realised within twelve months after the reporting period, or
- Cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period

A liability is current when:

- It is expected to be settled in the Association’s normal operating cycle
- It is held primarily for the purpose of trading
- It is due to be settled within twelve months after the reporting period, or
- There is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period

The Association classifies all other assets and liabilities as non-current.
Notes to the financial statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 May 2019

1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(e) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and short-term deposits in the statement of financial position comprise cash at banks and on hand and short-term deposits with a maturity of three months or less, which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and short-term deposits as defined above, net of outstanding bank overdrafts if applicable.

(f) Financial instruments

Initial recognition and measurement

Financial instruments (except for trade receivables) are initially measured at fair value plus transaction costs, except where the instrument is classified “at fair value through profit or loss”, in which case transaction costs are expensed to profit or loss immediately. Where available, quoted prices in an active market are used to determine fair value. In other circumstances, valuation techniques are adopted.

Trade receivables are initially measured at the transaction price if the trade receivables do not contain a significant financing component.

Classification and subsequent measurement

Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities, which consist of trade and other payables, are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Financial assets

Financial assets, consist of trade and other receivables and equity investments.

Trade and other receivables, which generally have 30 day terms, are subsequently measured at amortised cost less an allowance for impairment.

The entity classifies the following equity investments as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (FVPL):

- Equity investments that are held for trading; and
- Equity investments for which the entity has not elected to recognise fair value gains and losses through other comprehensive income (OCI).

Derecognition

Derecognition of financial liabilities

A liability is derecognised when it is extinguished (ie when the obligation in the contract is discharged, cancelled or expires). An exchange of an existing financial liability for a new one with substantially modified terms, or a substantial modification to the terms of a financial liability, is treated as an extinguishment of the existing liability and recognition of a new financial liability.

The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognised and the consideration paid and payable, including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed, is recognised in profit or loss.

Derecognition of financial assets

A financial asset is derecognised when the holder's contractual rights to its cash flows expires, or the asset is transferred in such a way that all the risks and rewards of ownership are substantially transferred.

All the following criteria need to be satisfied for the derecognition of a financial asset:

- The right to receive cash flows from the asset has expired or been transferred;
- All risk and rewards of ownership of the asset have been substantially transferred; and
- The Group no longer controls the asset (ie it has no practical ability to make unilateral decisions to sell the asset to a third party).
Notes to the financial statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 May 2019

1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

On derecognition of a financial asset measured at amortised cost, the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the sum of the consideration received and receivable is recognised in profit or loss. On derecognition of a financial asset at fair value through profit or loss, the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the sum of the consideration received and receivable is recognised in profit or loss.

Impairment

The Group recognises a loss allowance for expected credit losses.

The Group uses the simplified approach to impairment, as applicable under AASB 9: Financial Instruments. The simplified approach does not require tracking of changes in credit risk at every reporting period, but instead requires the recognition of lifetime expected credit loss at all times. This approach is applicable to trade receivables.

In measuring the expected credit loss, a provision matrix for trade receivables is used taking into consideration various data to get to an expected credit loss.

(g) Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost, net of accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. Such cost includes the cost of replacing part of the property, plant and equipment and borrowing costs for long-term construction projects if the recognition criteria are met. When significant parts of property, plant and equipment are required to be replaced at intervals, Surf Life Saving Queensland recognises such parts as individual assets with specific useful lives and depreciates them accordingly.

Land and buildings are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation on buildings and impairment losses recognised.

Depreciation is calculated over the estimated useful life of the assets as follows:

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<th>Class of assets</th>
<th>Depreciation method</th>
<th>Deprecation rate / useful life</th>
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<tr>
<td>Buildings</td>
<td>Straight line</td>
<td>2.5% Life of associated lease</td>
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<td>Leasehold improvements</td>
<td>Straight line</td>
<td>10% - 40%</td>
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<td>Plant and equipment – Other</td>
<td>Straight line</td>
<td>1,000 – 10,840 hours</td>
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<td>Plant and equipment – Helicopter (components)</td>
<td>Usage – operating hours</td>
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<td>Plant and equipment – Helicopter (other)</td>
<td>Straight line</td>
<td>6.67% - 100%</td>
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The residual values, useful lives and methods of depreciation of property, plant and equipment are reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate.

Impairment

The carrying values of property, plant and equipment are reviewed for impairment at each reporting date, with the recoverable amount being estimated when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired. The recoverable amount of property, plant and equipment is the higher of fair value less costs to sell and value in use.

Impairment exists when the carrying value of an asset or cash exceeds its estimated recoverable amount. The asset is then written down to its recoverable amount. Impairment losses, if any, are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income as a separate line item.

Derecognition and disposal

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no further future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with the carrying amount. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition of the asset is included in profit or loss in the year the asset is derecognised.
Notes to the financial statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 May 2019

1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(h) Employee benefit liabilities

The Association does not expect its long service leave or annual leave benefits to be settled wholly within 12 months of each reporting date. The Association recognises a liability for long service leave and annual leave measured as the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date. Consideration is given to the expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures, and periods of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on corporate bonds with terms to maturity and currencies that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

(i) Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to Surf Life Saving Queensland and the revenue can be reliably measured. The following specific recognition criteria must also be met before revenue is recognised:

- Revenue from the provision of services is recognised as the relevant services are performed.
- Revenue from donations is recognised on receipt.
- Revenue from sponsorships is recognised on a straight-line basis over the period of the sponsorship agreement when the Association has the unconditional right to receive sponsorship donations.

(j) Taxes

Current income tax

Surf Life Saving Queensland is exempt from income tax pursuant to Section 50-10 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.

Surf Life Saving Queensland is a Public Benevolent Institution (PBI) and has been endorsed by the Australian Taxation Office to receive tax concessions.

Further, Surf Life Saving Queensland is endorsed as a Deductible Gift Recipient (DGR).

Goods and services tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except:

- When the GST incurred on a sale or purchase of assets or services is not payable to or recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO), in which case the GST is recognised as part of the revenue or the expense item or as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset, as applicable.
- When 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 as part of receivables or payables in the statement of financial position. Commitments and contingencies are disclosed net of the amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO.

Cash flows are included in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis and the GST component of cash flows arising from investing and financing activities, which is recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is classified as part of operating cash flows.

(k) Government grants

Government grants are recognised when there is reasonable assurance that the grant will be received and all attaching conditions will be complied with. If conditions are attached to the grant which must be satisfied before the entity is eligible to receive the contribution, the recognition of the grant as revenue will be deferred until those conditions are satisfied.

Revenue received for capital grants is recognised upon acquisition of the underlying asset within the statement of comprehensive income.
Notes to the financial statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 May 2019

1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(I) Interest-bearing loans and borrowings

All loans and borrowings are initially recognised at the fair value of the consideration received less directly attributable transaction costs.

After initial recognition, interest-bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Fees paid on the establishment of loan facilities that are yield related are included as part of the carrying amount of the loans and borrowings.

Borrowings are classified as current liabilities unless the Association has an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting date.

(m) Financial risk management objectives and policies

Surf Life Saving Queensland’s principal financial instruments comprise receivables, payables, cash and short-term deposits, interest bearing loan and borrowings and investments held in equities. Surf Life Saving Queensland manages its exposure to key financial risks in accordance with the financial risk management policy.

The main risks arising from Surf Life Saving Queensland’s financial instruments are credit risk, liquidity risk and price risk. Surf Life Saving Queensland uses different methods to measure and manage different types of risks to which it is exposed. These include ageing analyses and monitoring of specific credit allowances undertaken to manage credit risk. Liquidity risk is monitored through the development of rolling cash flow forecasts. The Board reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks.

Credit risk arises from the financial assets of Surf Life Saving Queensland, which comprise cash and cash equivalents, trade and other receivables. Surf Life Saving Queensland’s exposure to credit risk arises from potential default of the counter party, with a maximum exposure equal to the carrying amount of these instruments.

Surf Life Saving Queensland trades only with recognised, creditworthy third parties, and as such collateral is not requested nor is it Surf Life Saving Queensland’s policy to securitise its trade and other receivables. In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis with the result that Surf Life Saving Queensland’s exposure to bad debts is not significant. There are no significant concentrations of credit risk within Surf Life Saving Queensland.

Liquidity risk arises from the timing differences between cash inflows and cash outflows. Surf Life Saving Queensland’s objective is to maintain a balance between continuity of funding and flexibility. The Board has in place working capital and reinvestment targets and regularly monitors forward cash flow forecasts.

Equity securities price risks arise from investments in equity securities. To limit this risk Surf Life Saving Queensland diversifies its portfolio in accordance with limits set by the Board in conjunction with its investment fund manager Perpetual. The majority of the equity investments is of a high quality and is publicly traded on the ASX. The price risk appears immaterial in terms of a possible impact on profit and loss and as such a sensitivity analysis has not been completed.

Primary responsibility for identification and control of financial risk rests with the Board. The Board reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks identified.

(n) Comparative figures

Where necessary, comparative information has been restated to conform with changes in presentation in the current year.
Notes to the financial statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 May 2019

2. Significant accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of the Group's financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities, and the accompanying disclosures, and the disclosure of contingent liabilities. Uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets or liabilities affected in future periods.

(i) Estimation of useful lives or assets

The estimation of the useful lives of assets has been based on historical experience as well as manufacturers’ warranties (for plant, equipment and helicopters), lease terms (for leased equipment). In addition, the condition of the assets is assessed at least once per year and considered against the remaining useful life. Adjustments to useful lives are made prospectively, if appropriate.

(ii) Impairment of leasehold improvements – controlled entity

Impairment indicators were identified relating to the carrying value of the leasehold improvements for the Cairns Surf Life Saving Supporters Club Inc.

An impairment assessment was performed, with a recoverable amount determined based on value-in-use calculations. In determining value-in-use, projected future cash flows are discounted using a risk adjusted discount rate.

From this impairment assessment, an impairment of property, plant and equipment of $1,537,556 (2018: $2,681,900) has been recognised.

(iii) Impairment of helicopter equipment

Impairment indicators were identified relating to the carrying value of the helicopter models, contained within the plant and equipment class of property, plant and equipment.

An impairment assessment was performed, with a market value determined based on an independent valuation report produced on the 2 May 2019.

From this impairment assessment, a further impairment of property, plant and equipment of $1,323,506 (2018: $443,741) has been recognised.

(iv) Value of assets in Agnes Water Surf Life Saving Club Inc at date of gaining control

As disclosed in Note 12, Surf Life Saving Queensland obtained control of Agnes Water Surf Life Saving Club Inc on 28 October 2015.

The judgement has been made that the property, plant and equipment of Agnes Water Surf Life Saving Club Inc had a $nil value in use at 28 October 2015.

This judgement is made since the Agnes Water Surf Life Saving Club Inc is not generating significant surpluses.

(v) Value of assets in Bowen Surf Life Saving Club Inc at date of gaining control

As disclosed in Note 12, Surf Life Saving Queensland obtained control of Bowen Surf Life Saving Club Inc on 26 April 2017.

The judgement has been made that the property, plant and equipment of Bowen Surf Life Saving Club Inc had a $nil value in use at 26 April 2017.

This judgement is made since (i) the Bowen Surf Life Saving Club Inc is not generating significant surpluses, and (ii) the lease of the property has expired and is currently be renegotiated.

The members of the association resolved to wind up the association at a special general meeting held on 20 March 2019.
For the year ended 31 May 2019

3. Revenue and expenses

3.1. Revenue

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<td>Rendering of services (sponsors and lifesaving)</td>
<td>21,460,634</td>
<td>20,605,311</td>
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<td>Government grants</td>
<td>5,254,760</td>
<td>5,473,224</td>
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<tr>
<td>Distributions from Surf Life Saving Foundation</td>
<td>2,772,802</td>
<td>2,316,196</td>
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<tr>
<td>General donations</td>
<td>202,437</td>
<td>146,978</td>
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<td>Royalty income</td>
<td>140,797</td>
<td>129,565</td>
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<tr>
<td>Net (loss)/gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment</td>
<td>(47,380)</td>
<td>30,501</td>
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<tr>
<td>Cairns Surf Life Saving Supporters Club Inc revenue</td>
<td>2,998,803</td>
<td>2,585,704</td>
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<tr>
<td>Other revenues</td>
<td>1,078,771</td>
<td>822,506</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>33,861,623</strong></td>
<td><strong>32,109,985</strong></td>
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3.2. Employee benefits expense

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3.3. Depreciation and amortisation expense

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<tr>
<td>Depreciation of non-current assets</td>
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<tr>
<td>Buildings</td>
<td>83,852</td>
<td>78,201</td>
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<tr>
<td>Plant and equipment</td>
<td>3,021,677</td>
<td>2,750,709</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Total depreciation of non-current assets</strong></td>
<td><strong>3,105,529</strong></td>
<td><strong>2,828,910</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>Amortisation of non-current assets</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>Leasehold improvements</td>
<td>138,167</td>
<td>270,454</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Total amortisation of non-current assets</strong></td>
<td><strong>138,167</strong></td>
<td><strong>270,454</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Total depreciation and amortisation expense</strong></td>
<td><strong>3,243,696</strong></td>
<td><strong>3,099,364</strong></td>
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Notes to the financial statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 May 2019

4. Cash and cash equivalents

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<td>Current</td>
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<tr>
<td>Cash at bank</td>
<td>1,615,245</td>
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<td>Term deposits</td>
<td>166,412</td>
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<td>1,781,657</td>
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For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents comprise the above.

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Cash flow reconciliation

Reconciliation of net surplus after tax to net cash flows from operations:

Surplus/(deficit) for the year  
(3,550,724)  
(3,631,694)

Adjustments to reconcile surplus after tax to net cash flows:

- Depreciation and amortisation of property, plant and equipment 3,243,696  
- Impairment of property, plant and equipment 2,861,062  
- (Profit)/loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment 47,380  
- Increase in fair value of investments (322,210)  
- Decrease in trade and other receivables (434,695)  
- Decrease in inventories (34,062)  
- Decrease in other assets (93,230)  
- Decrease in trade and other payables 160,117  
- Decrease in employee benefit liabilities 234,337  
- Increase in revenue in advance 577,393  

Net cash flows from operating activities 2,689,064 3,040,572
Notes to the financial statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 May 2019

5. Trade and other receivables

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<tr>
<td>Trade receivables</td>
<td>1,802,709</td>
<td>992,972</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>Less: provision for impairment</td>
<td>(71,731)</td>
<td>-</td>
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<td></td>
<td>1,730,978</td>
<td>992,972</td>
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<tr>
<td>Other receivables</td>
<td>314,054</td>
<td>617,365</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total trade and other receivables</td>
<td>2,045,032</td>
<td>1,610,337</td>
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Due to the short-term nature of these receivables, their carrying value is assumed to approximate their fair value.

The maximum exposure to credit risk is the fair value of receivables. Collateral is not held as security, nor is it Surf Life Saving Queensland's policy to transfer (on-sell) receivables to special purpose entities.

6. Property, plant and equipment

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<tr>
<td>Land and Buildings</td>
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<tr>
<td>At cost</td>
<td>3,693,493</td>
<td>3,693,493</td>
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<tr>
<td>Accumulated depreciation</td>
<td>(1,443,097)</td>
<td>(1,359,245)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Net carrying amount</td>
<td>2,250,396</td>
<td>2,334,248</td>
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<tr>
<td>Leasehold improvements</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>At cost</td>
<td>8,096,191</td>
<td>8,096,191</td>
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<tr>
<td>Accumulated depreciation</td>
<td>(1,243,172)</td>
<td>(1,105,003)</td>
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<td>Provision for impairment</td>
<td>(6,179,956)</td>
<td>(5,170,900)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Net carrying amount</td>
<td>673,063</td>
<td>1,820,288</td>
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<tr>
<td>Plant and equipment</td>
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<tr>
<td>At cost</td>
<td>22,788,735</td>
<td>21,279,173</td>
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<tr>
<td>Accumulated depreciation</td>
<td>(12,943,576)</td>
<td>(11,543,213)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Provision for impairment</td>
<td>(2,295,745)</td>
<td>(443,741)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Net carrying amount</td>
<td>7,549,414</td>
<td>9,292,219</td>
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<tr>
<td>Work in progress</td>
<td></td>
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<td>133,263</td>
<td>78,848</td>
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<td>Net carrying amount</td>
<td>133,263</td>
<td>78,848</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total property, plant and equipment</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>At cost</td>
<td>34,711,682</td>
<td>33,147,705</td>
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<tr>
<td>Accumulated depreciation</td>
<td>(15,629,845)</td>
<td>(14,007,461)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Provision for impairment</td>
<td>(8,475,701)</td>
<td>(5,614,641)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Net carrying amount</td>
<td>10,606,136</td>
<td>13,525,603</td>
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6.1. Reconciliations

Reconciliations of the carrying amounts of each class of property, plant & equipment at the beginning and end of the current and previous financial year are set out below:

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<th>Land and Buildings</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Carrying amount at 1 June 2018</strong></td>
<td>$2,334,248</td>
<td>$1,820,288</td>
<td>$9,292,219</td>
<td>$78,848</td>
<td>$13,525,603</td>
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<tr>
<td>Additions</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>$3,205,282</td>
<td>$54,415</td>
<td>$3,259,697</td>
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<td>Impairment loss recognised in profit or loss</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>$(1,009,058)</td>
<td>$(1,852,004)</td>
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<td>$(2,861,062)</td>
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<td>Depreciation and amortisation expense</td>
<td>$(83,852)</td>
<td>$(138,167)</td>
<td>$(3,021,677)</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>$(3,243,696)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Disposals</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>$(74,406)</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>$(74,406)</td>
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<td><strong>Carrying amount at 31 May 2019</strong></td>
<td>$2,250,396</td>
<td>$673,063</td>
<td>$7,549,414</td>
<td>$133,263</td>
<td>$10,606,136</td>
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For the year ended 31 May 2019

7. Trade and other payables

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<td>Trade Payables</td>
<td>521,546</td>
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<td>Other Payables</td>
<td>408,179</td>
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<td>Accrued expenses</td>
<td>937,647</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total trade and other payables</td>
<td>1,867,372</td>
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7.1. Fair value

Due to the short-term nature of these payables, their carrying value is assumed to approximate their fair value.

8. Employee benefit liabilities

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<tr>
<td>Current</td>
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<tr>
<td>Employee entitlements</td>
<td>1,916,824</td>
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<tr>
<td>Non-current</td>
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<tr>
<td>Employee entitlements</td>
<td>680,708</td>
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9. Commitments

9.1. Capital commitments

At 31 May 2019, Surf Life Saving Queensland had no capital commitments (2018: $nil).

9.2. Operating lease commitments

Future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases as at 31 May are as follows:

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<tr>
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<td>2019</td>
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<tr>
<td>Within one year</td>
<td>774,501</td>
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<tr>
<td>After one year but not more than five years</td>
<td>1,093,528</td>
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<tr>
<td>After more than five years</td>
<td>426</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total</td>
<td>1,868,455</td>
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10. Contingent liabilities

There are no contingent liabilities as at the reporting date which would have a material effect on the entity's financial statements as at 31 May 2019 (2018: $Nil).
Notes to the financial statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 May 2019

11. Controlled entities

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets, liabilities and results of the following subsidiaries, in accordance with the accounting policy described in Note 1(c):

- Cairns Surf Life Saving Supporters Club Inc
- Agnes Water Surf Life Saving Club Inc
- Bowen Surf Life Saving Club Inc

The Cairns Surf Life Saving Supporters Club Inc is considered a controlled entity by way of control of the Management Committee by representation of Surf Life Saving Queensland Board Members and senior management, and the ability to control the day to day finance, and operations of the Cairns Surf Life Saving Supporters Club Inc. Control was obtained in September 2008. The current economic environment is challenging and Cairns Surf Life Saving Supporters Club Inc. has reported operating losses in both the current and prior financial years. In the current and prior financial year, non current assets have also been impaired due to uncertainty over future operating cash flows.

The Agnes Water Surf Life Saving Club Inc is considered a controlled entity by way of control of the Management Committee by representation of Surf Life Saving Queensland senior management and the ability to control the day to day finance, and operations of the Agnes Water Surf Life Saving Club Inc. Control was obtained on 28 October 2015.

The Bowen Surf Life Saving Club Inc is considered a controlled entity by way of control of the Management Committee by representation of Surf Life Saving Queensland senior management and the ability to control the day to day finance, and operations of the Bowen Surf Life Saving Club Inc. Control was obtained on 26 April 2017.

12. Events after the reporting period

There have been no significant events occurring after the balance date which may affect either the Association's operations or results of those operations or the Association's state of affairs.

13. Economic dependency

Surf Life Saving Queensland is dependent on state funds from the Queensland Fire and Emergency Services and distributions from Surf Life Saving Australia, as well as other sponsorship agreements.


Surf Life Saving Queensland invests both withdrawable and perpetuity funds in the Surf Life Saving Rescue Fund Trust which is administered by Surf Life Saving Foundation as the corporate Trustee. Withdrawable funds are included in Surf Life Saving Queensland’s statement of financial position as Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss. Earnings and movements in the fair value of withdrawable investments are included in the statement of profit or loss.

Perpetuity Funds are held for the benefit of Surf Life Saving Queensland and, in accordance with the Trust Deed, submissions can be made (on either a regular or ad hoc basis) of specific proposals for application of the Perpetuity Fund to achieve charitable purpose. These funds are not recognised in the statement of financial position. At 31 May 2019, Surf Life Saving Queensland had $11,958,151 (2018: $11,253,232) held in perpetuity funds in the Trust.

15. Auditor’s remuneration

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<td>Amounts received or due and receivable for:</td>
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<tr>
<td>An audit of the financial report of the entity</td>
<td>62,000</td>
<td>67,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Other services in relation to the entity</td>
<td>9,200</td>
<td>4,619</td>
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<tr>
<td>- Non assurance services – taxation services</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>Total</td>
<td>71,200</td>
<td>71,619</td>
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16. Parent information

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<tr>
<td><strong>ASSETS</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>Current assets</td>
<td>11,416,139</td>
<td>12,674,675</td>
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<tr>
<td>Non-current assets</td>
<td>10,606,136</td>
<td>11,943,836</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>TOTAL ASSETS</strong></td>
<td>22,022,275</td>
<td>24,618,511</td>
</tr>
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<td><strong>LIABILITIES</strong></td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>Current liabilities</td>
<td>4,798,258</td>
<td>4,233,752</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Non-current liabilities</td>
<td>680,003</td>
<td>346,948</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>TOTAL LIABILITIES</strong></td>
<td>5,478,261</td>
<td>4,580,700</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>ASSOCIATION’S FUNDS</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Retained earnings</td>
<td>16,544,014</td>
<td>20,037,811</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>TOTAL ASSOCIATION’S FUNDS</strong></td>
<td>16,544,014</td>
<td>20,037,811</td>
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**Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income**

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<tr>
<td>Total surplus/(deficit)</td>
<td>(3,493,797)</td>
<td>(3,712,481)</td>
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<td>Total comprehensive income/(loss)</td>
<td>(3,493,797)</td>
<td>(3,712,481)</td>
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**Guarantees**

Surf Life Saving Queensland entered into a guarantee on behalf of Cairns Surf Life Savings Club Inc in the prior year (2018: $50,000) as a requirement for Stage 2 of the leasehold improvements at the Cairns Club. This guarantee was cancelled in the current year.

**Contingent liabilities**

Surf Life Saving Queensland had no contingent liabilities as at the reporting date which would have a material effect on the Association’s financial statements as at 31 May 2019 (2018: $Nil).

**Capital commitments**

At 31 May 2019, Surf Life Saving Queensland did not have any capital commitments (2018: $NIL).
17. Related Party Transactions

Related Parties

The Group’s main related parties are as follows:

a. Key management personnel

Any person(s) having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the entity, directly or indirectly, including any director (whether executive or otherwise) of that entity is considered key management personnel.

For details of disclosures relating to key management personnel, refer to Note 18.

b. Other related parties

Other related parties include close family members of key management personnel and entities that are controlled or significantly influenced by those key management personnel, individually or collectively with their close family members.

c. Transactions with related parties

Transactions between related parties are on normal commercial terms and conditions no more favourable than those available to other parties unless otherwise stated.

Other than the remuneration of the Key Management Personnel (as disclosed in Note 18), there were no other transactions with related parties during the year.

18. Key Management Personnel Compensation

The totals of remuneration paid to key management personnel (KMP) of the Group during the year are as follows:

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<tr>
<td>Key management personnel compensation</td>
<td>1,263,631</td>
<td>1,036,285</td>
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Notes to the financial statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 May 2019


The Group’s financial instruments consist mainly of deposits with banks, short-term investments, held-for-trading financial assets, accounts receivable and accounts payable.

The carrying amounts for each category of financial instruments, measured in accordance with AASB 139: Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement as detailed in the accounting policies to these financial statements, are as follows:

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<td>Financial assets</td>
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<td>Cash and cash equivalents</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>1,781,657</td>
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<tr>
<td>Loans and receivables</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>2,045,032</td>
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<tr>
<td>Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss</td>
<td></td>
<td>7,193,624</td>
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<td>Total financial assets</td>
<td></td>
<td>11,020,313</td>
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<td>Financial liabilities</td>
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<tr>
<td>Trade and other payables</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>1,867,372</td>
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<td>Total financial liabilities</td>
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Refer to Note 20 for detailed disclosures regarding the fair value measurement of the Group’s available-for-sale assets.
20. Fair Value Measurements

The Group has the following assets, as set out in the table below, that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis after the initial recognition.

The Group does not subsequently measure any liabilities at fair value on a recurring basis.

The Group has no assets or liabilities that are measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis.

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<td>Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss</td>
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<td>Total financial assets recognised at fair value</td>
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(i) For investments in listed shares, the fair values have been determined based on closing quoted bid prices at the end of the reporting period.

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Refer to Note 20 for detailed disclosures regarding the fair value measurement of the Group's available-for-sale assets.

The Directors of Surf Life Saving Queensland declare that:

1. The consolidated financial statements, comprising the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, consolidated statement of financial position, consolidated statement of changes in association's funds, consolidated statement of cash flows and accompanying notes, are in accordance with the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 and the Associations Incorporation Act 1981 and:
   a. comply with Accounting Standards – Reduced Disclosure Requirements (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations), the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Regulation 2013 and the Associations Incorporation Act 1981; and
   b. give a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 May 2019 and of its performance for the year ended on that date.

2. In the directors' opinion, there are reasonable grounds to believe that Surf Life Saving Queensland will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors, and is signed for and on behalf of the Directors.

[Signatures]

Dated 31 July 2019
INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the members of Surf Life Saving Queensland Inc.


Opinion

We have audited the financial report of Surf Life Saving Queensland Inc (the registered entity) and its subsidiaries (the Group), which comprises the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 May 2019, the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial report, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the responsible entities' declaration.

In our opinion the accompanying financial report of Surf Life Saving Queensland Inc. is in accordance with Division 60 of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012, including;

(i) Giving a true and fair view of the Group’s financial position as at 31 May 2019 and of its financial performance for the year then ended; and

(ii) Complying with Australian Accounting Standards - Reduced Disclosure Requirements and Division 60 of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Regulation 2013.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 (ACNC Act) and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

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

Other information

Those charged with governance are responsible for the other information. The other information obtained at the date of this auditor's report is information included in the registered entity's annual report, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.
In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed on the other information obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of responsible entities for the Financial Report

The responsible entities of the registered entity are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards - Reduced Disclosure Requirements and the ACNC Act, and for such internal control as the responsible entities determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, responsible entities are responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the responsible entities either intends to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the registered entity's financial reporting process.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located at the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website (http://www.auasb.gov.au/Home.aspx) at:

This description forms part of our auditor's report.

BDO Audit Pty Ltd

D P Wright
Director
Brisbane, 31 July 2019
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