

Chiton Times

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October 2011

G'day everyone the new season is fast approaching and here is the run down on what's been happening and what's coming up...

AGM & Annual Report

The AGM was held on 30th July at the Club with the proposed new constitution & by-laws accepted, a new committee elected and the Annual Report & Financial Statements for last season adopted.

2011-2012 Board of Management...

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President	Aaron Lewis	0418 853 646
Vice-President	Leo O'Callaghan	0406 476 983
Secretary	Lindy Lewis	0417 809 828
Treasurer	Rod Tanner	0407 399 659
Club Captain	Aaron Lindsay	0447 245 475
Competition Mgr	Aaron Lindsay	0447 245 475
Membership Mgr	Jennie Paynter	0439 822 254
Chief Instructor	Leo O'Callaghan	0406 476 983
Nipper Coordinator	Lindy Lewis	0417 809 828

You should have received a copy of the annual report in the mail if you were not at the AGM or Annual Dinner, if not there are spare copies at the club.

Annual Dinner

The Hotel Victor, one of Chiton's major sponsors, put on a fantastic meal and ample beverage following the AGM. The annual awards were presented with 5 Bronze Medallions, 1 Surf Rescue Certificates, 1 ARTC, 5 Resus Certificates and 7 Senior First Aid presented. The award winners are documented in the annual report – well done to everyone who won awards.

Working Bee - *Sunday 9th October* from 12noon, all members are encouraged to come along and help spruce up the Club for the coming season!!!

CHITON ROCKS SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB PATROL • REST • PLAY

Open Day & Pasta Night Saturday 5th November 2011

Open Day – for current and potential members from 1.30-4pm includes:

- Sausage Sizzle
- Nipper Rego & Activities
- Join up/Renew Membership
- Proficiencies/Award Refreshers

It would be great to see all club members there to help welcome new members to the Club.



Membership Renewals

It is your responsibility to return your registration form with all the relevant areas complete and signed. Forms are enclosed and need to be returned with payment by 1st November as this is when your current registration ceases.

Please be prompt with membership renewals to make life easier for our Membership Manager - JUST DO IT NOW!

Online Registration

You can now renew your membership and pay online! No need to fill in forms and send them back.

Go to <u>www.lifesavingonline.com.au</u> and follow the prompts. If you have





any issues contact Jennie Paynter.

Club Bookings

All Club bookings go through Toop&Toop, it is advisable that you check with them before you go to stay at the Club 08 8555 8888. Members are always welcome to stay and the Flat should always be available, unless there is an exclusive booking which we will try to inform everyone of.

ONLINE CALENDAR

Visit the Club Website to view our online calendar that includes all club events, SLSSA events, GROUP BOOKINGS, even a 4-day Weather Forecast for Hayborough!!!

Lap Swimming Sessions

Get into shape for the summer by lap swimming. Chiton members are welcome to join in with Henley SLSC at Immanuel College's fantastic swimming pool on Tues and/or Thurs 6-7pm. The cost is \$3 per session and includes expert coaching. For more info contact Lindy on 0417 809 828. If we have enough interest from our local members, we can look at organising some group sessions at a more local pool such as VHPS or Noarlunga. If you are interested, please let Lindy know!

Grant Success!

We have been successful with two grants recently: **News Limited** have provided us with a new stainless steel prop & new adjustable foot straps for both IRB's to help bring us up to the new standards.

Telstra have provided us with a new fully stocked Oxygen Resus Kit, First Aid Kit & Spinal Collars worth \$2,500.

If you hear or see about any grants that might suit the Club, please let us know!





Surfing State Titles

Short Board Riding State Titles
Saturday 22nd October meeting at Middleton 7am
Open Men & Women, U19, U17, U15 & teams
events. *Entries Close: Thurs 13th October*Malibu Board Riding State Titles
Sunday 23rd October meeting at Middleton 7am
Open Men & Women, 30-39, 40-49, 50+ & teams
events. *Entries Close: Thurs 13th October*

If you would like to compete, please contact Aaron Lindsay azzalindsay@qmail.com

We Need MORE Patrol Members!

You don't have to have your Bronze to help us patrol our beach...

SENIOR FIRST AID COURSE

If you would like to gain or renew your Senior First Aid Qualification, we are running a course at the Club on Sunday 27th November 8.30am-5pm. You need to complete a workbook prior to the course so closing date for nominations is Monday 7th November, contact Leo if you would like to participate or if you have already registered but not received your workbook yet.

Cost: > General Public - \$155

> SLSC Members - \$75*

* Chiton Rocks SLSC covers the \$75 for members who are willing to be on the patrol roster.

ADVANCED RESUS TECHNIQUES

Includes oxygen resuscitation, airway management and defibrillation. We need many more patrol members with this qualification and are looking to run some courses ASAP...

If you are interested in helping out on patrols and gaining the first aid and/or advanced resus qualifications, contact Leo 0406 476 983 leo.ocallaghan@atlassteels.com.au

Expression of Interest... BRONZE MEDALLION

Includes resuscitation, basic first aid, rescue techniques, surf skills, teamwork and communication. You need to be able to swim 400m in 9 minutes (in a pool) so now is the time to get some training going.

If you and/or a friend are interested in joining a Chiton Bronze Squad this season, please contact Leo by the end of October so we can get started ASAP!

Club Merchandise

The club has T-shirts, rash vests, hoodies, bathers, military shirts, polo shirts, back packs, towels, hats and stubbie holders available at reasonable prices. This is good quality stuff so support the club by buying up (they make great xmas presents!) and show your true Chiton colours. Can be purchased when the bar is open or contact Lindy.

Got a merchandise suggestion? Let us know!

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