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# “off the square”

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CLUB OF THE YEAR

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## Annual Watsons Bay to Clovelly Run- Sunday 22nd April



A record field of over 30 competed in this end of season test of fitness & stamina. **Justin James** was again first to Clovelly in a race record time of 47.39. In second place was **Bernadette Chisholm** with a PB 52.07. **Andrew Radford** (57.00), **Pat Harmer** (57.51) & **Quetzal Bell** 59.30) were the next 3 to finish. Some of the walkers were still strolling in 2 hours and more after the start. Congratulations to walkers **Luciano Lombardi** and **Ken Ryan** who did not let recent cancer scares stop them from competing and finishing. The family award went to the **Davoren-Whereats** with mum **Kym** leading in a contingent including an aunty, grandma and the 2 boys **Ryan & Brad**.



Race organiser **Wendy Pepper** had organised a post race BBQ breakfast with **Garry Cooper** and **Amanda Cocks** on the BBQ. Thanks also to the drivers including club President **Jim King**,

## Senior First Aid Course

21 active members completed this full day course at the club on Saturday 14th April. Trainer **Jefferson Lillis** from South Maroubra SLSC was born and raised in Clovelly. In a change from recent formats, participants were required to complete a series of 19 on-line “apply first aid” test modules prior to the course. Each test had around 10 multiple choice questions. A highlight of the course was the presentation by candidates of treatment protocols for 18 different scenarios. **Quetzal Bell** and **Kristin Pryce** are pictured during the bandaging session.



Completing this course were Quetzal, Kristin, Helen Callaghan, Oscar Callaghan, Tom Casey, Lyn Chapman, Nadene Clarke, Amanda Cocks, Cianan Fitzgerald, Mark Goodwin, Geoff James, Tracey Jannusch, Henri Lekeu, Tim Leslie, Heidi Norman, Wendy Pepper, Michael Radford, Steve Thompson, Craig Wheatley, Jessica Wheatley, Madeleine Wheatley. Congratulations to all.

## CALENDAR

Sun 6th May	Eskimos AGM & Opening Swim
Fri 11th May	Sports Lunch at Clovelly Hotel
Sat June 2nd	Club Presentation Night at club from 6pm
Sat July 15th	AGM at the club - 1pm

**PRESENTATION NIGHT** 6-11.30pm Sat June 2nd  
Upstairs at the club with a marquee over the outside area.  
Tickets from Patrol captains or drop your payment form in the silver box in the hall by 15th May - \$30 Adult, \$20 U/18  
Gourmet BBQ, music, dancing, celebrate member achievements.

				<b>McGrath Clovelly</b>
				<b>The JourneyMasters</b>

## Eddie Emerson

On the 28th of April **Eddie** created history for Clovelly SLSC. On that day **Eddie** was a member of our last Bronze squad (The Magnificent Seven) for the season. In testing conditions at Maroubra he was successful in completing his Bronze Part B. **Eddie is 71 years young !** What a shining example, not just for members, but the whole community. There is no record of any member more mature than **Eddie** completing his/her Bronze in the annals of the club. Amazingly, one of **Eddie's** Trainers was 16 year old **Madeleine Wheatley** - the other was **Topper Thompson**. Age is no barrier at either end ! 40 years ago, as the relatively unfit, cigarette smoking pro at Randwick Golf Club **Eddie** was told by one **Dr. Bob Callaghan** that he needed to look after himself better. **Bob** (Life Member of the club) brought **Eddie** down to the club. Eddie was wearing his best volleys. **Eddie** embraced fitness and the facilities of the club. He has been a long term associate member who now wants to put something back into the club. **Eddie** will be on patrol in season 2012-13! In more recent years, **Eddie** was the pro at St. Michaels Golf Course. In retirement he also devotes himself to an organisation he formed. This is the Country Junior Golf.com.au that provides golf instruction and scholarships for young people in the west of the state . It aims for indigenous and all children to strive for a better life through participation in golf. We congratulate **Eddie** on this tremendous achievement and say thankyou to his wife **Nancye** for the support she has provided him with in this endeavour. **Bob Callaghan, Eddie and Nancye** are picture below at the club bar on the after-noon after **Eddie** gained his Bronze Medallion.



## Final Bronze Squad for Season 2011-12

Congratulations to Trainers **Topper Thompson** and **Madeleine Wheatley** on the success of the “**Magnificent Seven**” . This squad started training on the 12th February and completed the process on the 28th April. Congratulations to **Millie Hely-Hammond, Olly Heathwood, Lisa Sharwood, Dana slaven, Ben Lo Presti, Tom Patterson and Eddie Emerson**. The whole club looks forward to all of you donning the red and yellow and joining in the “vigilance and service” that is the essence of Surf Life Saving.



## Close of Patrol Season

Patrols for the season wrapped up on Anzac Day. Patrol 1 captained by **Craig Wheatley** did the morning shift in some bitterly cold south-westerly winds. Patrol 2 with **Helen Callaghan** captaining on the day, wrapped up the season. We congratulate all members on their “vigilance & service” and are proud to be able to report “no lives lost for the season” during patrol hours. Some of the members of those last day teams are pictured below.

