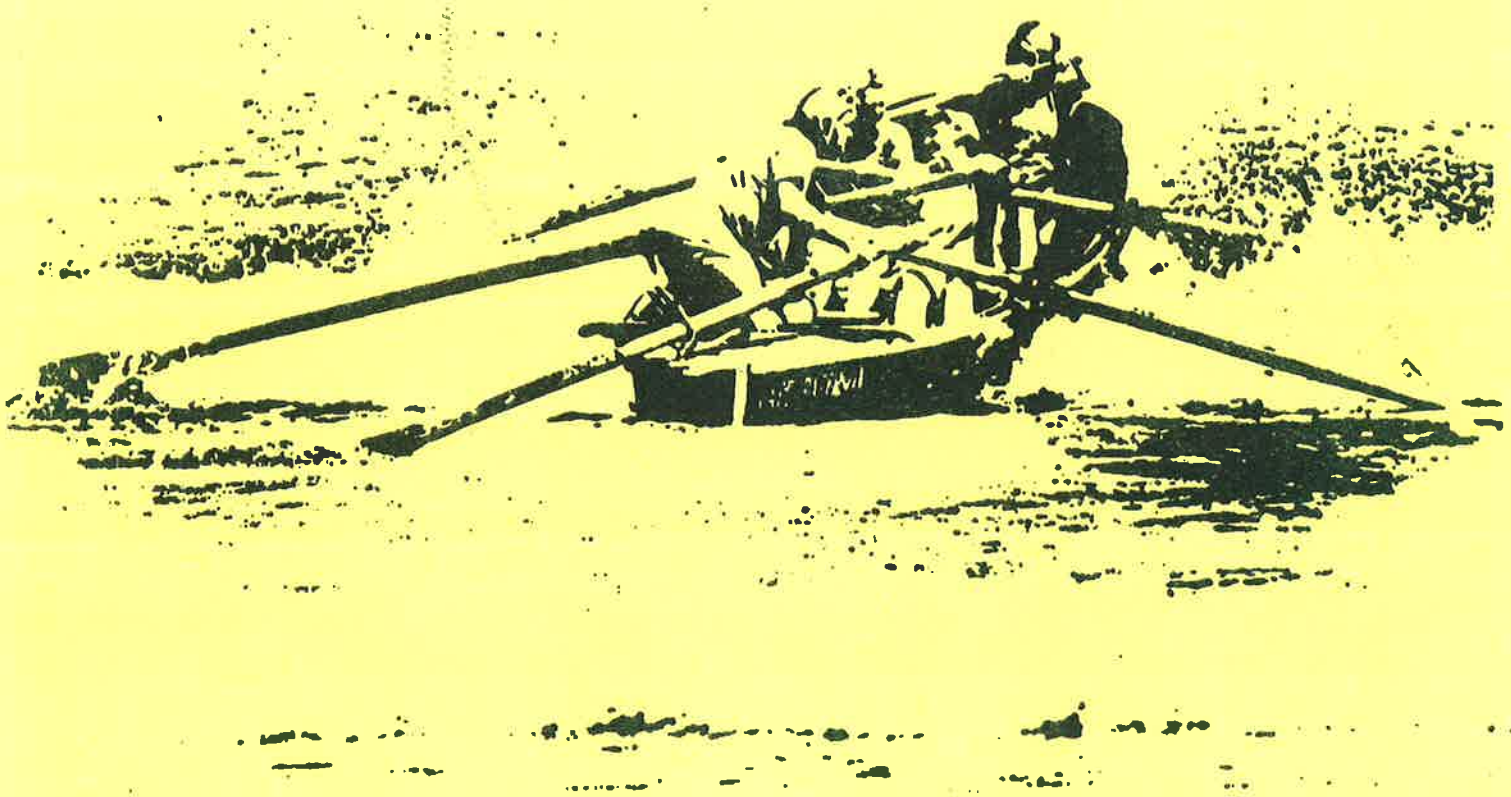


88/89

**CAPE PATERSON
SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB
INCORPORATED**



29th ANNUAL REPORT

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The past season has been a mixture of good and bad for the club, with steady gains in the acquisition of new equipment and upgrading old gear, but indifferent results in patrol attendance and in the beach efficiency competition.

As both these areas are vital to club morale, we must all be mindful of our primary function as a club - **TO MAKE OUR BEACH SAFER.**

A plus for us was the noticeable increase of junior members, both at the training sessions and on the beach, and this was borne out by the results at the District Carnival held at our beach in January although the weather was unkind. Jacqueline Riswick is to be congratulated on her work in this important area of club activity.

During the season both David Lord and Christine Trood resigned as Secretary and Chief Instructress respectively. David, because of shift work and pressure at work and Christine, as a result of being appointed Bass District Supervisor.

I thank them for their efforts over the past seasons.

Karen Phillips took over as Secretary and Bradley Phillips became Instructor - both performed well at their allotted tasks.

Jacqueline Riswick again presented the club's financial reports impeccably.

Well done, and thank you to all three.

I must also thank Tony O'Connell for his untiring efforts as Club Captain and as the club's representative on the Cape Paterson Progress Association Committee, Jim Prendergast as Power Boat Captain, Peter Fitzgerald as Surf Boat Captain and Dean Manns as Vice Club Captain and filling in where required.

Bryan Baulch and Maurice Chippendall were once again most supportive to me whenever needed.

A successful button day, and once again a good result from our annual paddy's market, plus a very rewarding evening at the Wonthaggi R.S.L. Bingo, also a donation from the Wonthaggi Blue Light Disco, resulted in a healthy bank balance at the season's end.

The small band of hard working ladies were again to the fore in all our fund raising efforts. Ladies, you were magnificent.

Finally I welcome and congratulate all new medallion and award winners and trust that you will all be active in our club affairs in the coming season.

ARTHUR PHILLIPS

SECRETARY'S REPORT

At the start of this year I "was volunteered" into taking over David Lord's position as secretary. It was chaotic walking into a position mid season, but I am now keen to continue next year.

I'd like this opportunity to thank all the people who helped me with the various dinners and BBQ's held this year. The successful progressive dinner and Paddy's market would not have eventuated without the assistance of mum (Nancye). Thanks heaps! Bryan Baulch was a big help with film nights and music, also he held a delicious main course during the progressive dinner. Thanks also for the Paddy's Market leaflets he organised. Ally Chippindall and Yvonne Lord were of great help at functions, especially the BBQ in January and Paddys Market. A big thankyou to all others who worked so hard at Paddy's market.

The Highlights of Season 1988/89, in my eyes, were:

- Club Championships (and Jodie's wheelbarrow race)
- Jim's pennant (and the officials)
- Paddy's Market (enthusiastic members' involvement)
- Gippsland Titles (Alan, Doogs, Liz, Travis)
- Volley ball match (expertise of members)
- Progressive Dinner (and Narelle)
- Break Up Bash (and Brad)

Next year a social calendar will be drawn up with its main objective to introduce family members and friends into the club. Of course the other aim is to party!!

It was great to have an influx of new members, most of whom reside in the local area. Thanks Dean Manns for printing leaflets asking for new members.

With the success of Cape Paterson at restricted carnivals (especially Iron Man Alan Taylor) and enthusiasm at the club championships, I plan to organise a competition calendar next year and go to Australian Titles. It is hoped also to have a carnival at our beach. Their main idea is to have fun and we certainly had achieved that at Gippsland, Wye River and our own club championships.

Regards,

KAREN PHILLIPS
Secretary

CHIEF INSTRUCTOR'S REPORT

Congratulations to all of those who gained awards this season 1988/89.

This year we have had a large increase in the number of awards gained, but we must continue the work of increasing club membership.

The standard of training and instructing was very high and many people helped to get squads through. It is the combined effort that makes our club strong and helps to increase one's knowledge.

Next season should be a great one for the club. If you are interested in achieving awards, tell me and try talking others into achievement as well. (Doing awards over winter is a possibility.) Anyone who has brothers/sisters/cousins/friends/associates or even someone on the beach, start talking and enlighten them of the benefits in becoming a surf club member. Remember, the more members we have, the less work. (Also, new members of the opposite sex may help to brighten up your Sunday morning patrols!)

The following is a list of awards gained this season:

	1986/87	1987/88	1988/89
S.L.S.C.	5	1	3
Bronze Medallions	3	7	10
Advanced Resuscitation Cert.	4	3	4
A.R.C. Instructors	1	1	3
Training Officer's Certificates (Instructors)	2	2	4
Radio Operators Certificates	1	3	4
Radio Instructors Certificates	0	1	1
Examiners Certificate		1	
TOTAL	16	19	29

Once again, congratulations to all award gaining members, and let's set our sights high for next season.

BRADLEY PHILLIPS
Chief Instructor

CLUB CAPTAINS REPORT SEASON 1988/1989

Dear Clubbies,

Time has come to have a serious look at my second season as Club Captain.

Numbers this year dropped to 26 active members necessitating a move to three patrols, however by the end of the season we had 34 members.

Congratulations to all people who obtained awards this year, in particular Angela Hancock who's first patrol was on 15/1/89 and still completed a staggering 69 hours well done!!

Overall the effort by many members was outstanding, with many completing very high totals of patrol hours. Unfortunately we still have members not prepared to pull their weight. These people must look at their effort and decide if they still have the commitment required to be an Active Patrol Member.

In the State Patrol Efficiency Competition Cape Paterson Surf Life Saving Club finished 15 out of 27. This still isn't good enough but it is up 4 places on last year. We lost 782 points out of 4500. Gunnamatta, who won, lost no points at all. Waratah came first in our District only losing 139 points.

Congratulations must also go to all of our Probationary Examiners. This group, as well as our full examiners have completed a very busy year, having shown up at most state events and in general becoming well known throughout the state. This was especially so at the Wye River Carnival where 4 out of 7 examiners were from Cape Paterson.

Something to look forward to, a new Manual. Some of the changes include being able to use flippers in the examination of tube swims and a timed swim. More information will be available in future newsletters.

Thanks to all who have helped the club during season 1988/1989.

Tony O'Connell
CLUB CAPTAIN.

HOURS ON PATROL

<u>MEMBERS</u>	<u>PATROL HOURS</u>	
Peter Fitzgerald	140	
Dean Manns	135.5	
Sioban Fitzgerald	112	
Bradley Phillips	109.5	
Tony O'Connell	95.75	
Mark Legg	86.75	
Donna Fitzgerald	85.5	
Jim Prendergast	84	
Alan Taylor	80.5	
Sharyn Fitzgerald	76.5	
Peter Phillips	76	
Angela Hancock	69.5	New Member
Simon Marangio	63	
Jodie Taylor	52	
Karen Phillips	51.5	
Gavin Haeusler	51.25	
Christine Trood	48.75	
Fleur Phillips	47	
Andrew Gallus	47	New Member
Linda Hancock	42	
Alison Parsons	42	
Mark Walters	38.5	New Member
Jackie Trood	37.75	
Tracey Hancock	34	New Member
Narelle Tyndall	33.75	New Member
Travis Wallace	33	New Member
Liz Baulch	31.5	
Glenn Besford	27.75	
Samantha Lord	24	New Member
Derek Menz	17.5	
Dave Allen	15.5	
Tytti Harjula	15	New Member
Lance Phillips	10.5	
Robyn Phillips	8	
Jason Menz	7.75	
David Lord	7	
Wendy Davis	4.5	New Member
Andrew West	4	
Donna Legg	1.5	

<u>INCOMING</u>	<u>86/87</u>	<u>87/88</u>	<u>88/89</u>
April 1st Balance Brought Forward	883.89	4,528.61	2,202.78
Borough of Wonthaggi Beach Cleaning	2,900.00	2,000.00	2,400.00
Donations / Sponsorship	3,366.79	1,009.50	1,272.00
Membership	985.00	977.50	765.00
Interest	191.02	205.18	189.95
State Centre - \$ for \$ Grant	791.00	1,500.00	905.00
- Club Subsidy	NIL	NIL	850.00
- Slip, Slop, Slap	NIL	NIL	1,500.00
- Raffle	NIL	722.00	23.00
Button Day - Sticker Sales	1,601.53	1,511.38	1,004.53
Sunscreen	NIL	524.00	628.00
Paddy's Market	3,451.14	574.70	3,172.91
Manuals	28.00	184.00	104.00
Refreshments	157.74	295.71	58.60
Tracksuits	30.00	10.00	20.00
Rugby Tops	NIL	80.00	20.00
Junior Club T-Shirts	95.00	15.00	50.00
Cray-Fish Raffles	NIL	1,304.15	143.00
Film/Video Nights	511.05	48.00	21.00
IRB Motor Sales	NIL	NIL	1,000.00
Progressive Dinner	NIL	NIL	95.00
Panama Hats	NIL	NIL	16.00
Beach Raffles	106.49	NIL	64.15
Club House Hall Hire	NIL	NIL	15.00
Insurance claim re Windows	NIL	1,965.00	NIL
Entertainment Committee	NIL	171.52	NIL
Paddys Market Float (Contra)	400.00	NIL	1,000.00
Paddys Market Bonus Deposit	1,759.50	NIL	NIL
Other	43.77	82.05	NIL
	<u>17,301.92</u>	<u>17,708.30</u>	<u>17,519.92</u>

BANK RECONCILIATION AS AT 31st MARCH 1989

Final Balance of Bank Statement		\$6,647.09
Less Outstanding Cheques	414534	130.00
	414542	49.80
	414548	1.50
		<u>181.30</u>
		<u>\$6,465.79</u>

BY: JACQUELINE RISWICK
TREASURER.

JUNIOR CLUB REPORT

Season 1988/89 saw another successful season with a lot of new and old faces. The Juniors showed that they are always willing to learn something new and they all had fun trying.

Once again we hosted the Junior Club District Carnival in which the Juniors did very well in competing against the other clubs.

I would like to thank all those who help with the Juniors this season and I hope to see some new faces to help next season, as the more people to help the easier it is for all concerned.

Jacqueline Riswick,
JUNIOR CLUB ORGANISER.

"AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER'S REPORT!"

I would like to sincerely thank, firstly, all the very hard working patrol members of the Cape Paterson Surf Life Saving Club. Some of those "wintery" days in summer when no-one ventures to the beach, must be very frustrating.

Also all the training for awards - so time consuming, but very rewarding for each and everyone who participates.

I truly admire all the active members in our Club for all their time and effort in working in a voluntary capacity for the community.

Next I would like to thank all the associate members for helping and working so hard to help raise money to not only improve the facilities at the Surf Club, but also to buy essential equipment for rescue operations.

The Progressive Dinner was a great success - Thanks to Melinda for providing soup and yummys, Bryan and Margaret for delicious pastas and for allowing us to invade your houses. Yvonne Lord, Jill Klooster, Heather Phillips also provided us with very nice food and I thank them sincerely.

With regard to Paddy's Market - I want to thank Bryan for printing the pamphlets initially, Mark Legg for auctioning goods, Sam, Tom and Bonney Chippendall for spending hours making most attractive shell ornaments and cards, Maurice and Ally Chippendall for potting dozens of plants, Pat Marangio for making very decorative cards and to Jill Klooster, Heather Phillips, Yvonne Lord and Ally Chippendall for helping me ice and cream 50 sponge cakes!

I also wish to thank many helpers, too numerous to name, for cooking for Paddy's market, sorting out all the goods on the Saturday and then for being stall holders on the Sunday. Many donated goods for sale, too, which we all most appreciated.

All our efforts in fund raising were worthwhile and I do hope work was mixed with pleasure whilst in very good company.

To all the hard working committee members - I think everyone involved at Cape Paterson Surf Life Saving knows how involved and hard you work and I thank you all.

Good luck for next season.

NANCYE PHILLIPS
Associate Member