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50 years of Life Saving in 2004



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Ithaca-Caloundra City Life Saving Club Inc.

1954 to 2004

Our history is the handrail to our future.

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Front cover design and photo by James R McClelland
Featuring the Club's swimming cap in Club colours of
Royal Blue and Gold with current Club logo.

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A special mention must go to George Marr (30.5.29 – 17.2.98) with whom I spoke in 1995 to help start the ball rolling; as he did when he founded the Club.

Apology

I must apologise in advance for any inaccuracy or omission which may unintentionally cause offence to any former or present member of the Club.

Since the early Club records were destroyed in a house fire of a past Club Secretary, it has become difficult to ensure accurate presentation of the Club's entire history.

Accordingly, included in this document are records, not usually recorded in such a publication, such as lists of office holders. These lists and added information will ensure documentation of not only the Club's history but other records of the Club.

I invite any person with corrections to this history, further information, photographs or other memorabilia to contact me at PO Box 503, Clayfield, Qld 4011 or james@mcclelland.com.au.

James R McClelland
2004

About the Author

James, along with his younger brother, Hugh, and sister, Bronwyn, followed their older brother, John, into the Club in 1971. James represented the Club at many levels including holding of various positions within the Club. He served continuously as a Management Committee member for twenty-three years from 1975 to 1998, as Club Captain (1975-1979), Chief Instructor (1979-1985) and Treasurer (1983-1998).

He received the Club's Life Membership in 1984.

James also held a number of positions at State level of the Royal Life Saving Society, including representing the Society on the 1981 and 1983 state teams. After working for the Society in 1983 (as manager of Project Aquacode) and 1984 he married another Society Project Aquacode employee, Kerry Cotton, in 1985.

He currently works as a tax accountant in private practice.

This history is dedicated to the men and women of the Ithaca-Caloundra City Life Saving Club Inc., past and present, who have served the public through the education, promotion and provision of aquatic safety, rescue and emergency care.

Club's Mission Statement

1989

To achieve the highest level in the delivery of Aquatic Safety, Rescue and Emergency Care with the support of volunteer members within a family based environment.

Royal Life Saving Society's Motto

1891

“Quemcunque Miserum Videris Hominem Scias”

(Whomsoever you see in distress, recognise in him a fellow man.)

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Forward

by

John M McClelland AM SM CRLSSA

President Royal Life Saving Society Qld



The history of the club is an impressive one and also one tinged with problems along the way, but like all strong clubs and groups all this did was ensure those remaining in the Club worked harder to ensure its continued growth.

The Club commenced at the Ithaca pool in Brisbane and although it was a mixed club, having both male and female members, one of its strengths lay in the women of the Club deciding to patrol at Bulcock Beach Caloundra.

The character and strength of the Club showed through when the decision of the committee to include the men as part of the patrolling was taken and eventually the Council allowed the Club to have mixed patrols, the first life saving club on the north coast to do so.

The Club has had a strong relationship with the state association with a number of its members filling key positions on committees over the years including the State Board of Directors.

I congratulate and thank both current and past members of Ithaca Caloundra City life Saving Club on the milestone of 50 years of dedicated service to the Society and community and wish it many further years.

John McClelland
May 2004

Introduction

by

Helen Morris
President Ithaca-Caloundra City Life Saving Club Inc.



It is a great honour and a privilege to be president of the Ithaca-Caloundra City Life Saving Club, especially this year as we celebrate fifty years of life saving. It is with great pride that I introduce to you the history of a remarkable life saving club.

Ithaca-Caloundra City Life Saving Club has always been a close-knit family orientated club where bonds of friendship, formed between Club members last through the years. The love and loyalty that members have for the Club is shown by active members encouraging their children to gain the necessary qualifications to join them on patrol.

Our history shows, that from the beginning, the dedication and commitment of our members to both lifesaving and to the community, is outstanding. This is reflected in the strong support and friendship we receive from the Caloundra community.

While we dedicate this history and our traditions to our past and present members, we hope our future members will remember not only who we are, but where we come from, and that they will aim to keep the standard as high as our history confirms it is.

Helen Morris
May 2004

In the Beginning

It was a dark and stormy night on Thursday 11 February 1954. So was the beginning of the Ithaca Life Saving Club.

There has been some confusion as to the actual start date of the Club and also that the Club was originally an all ladies club. With the lack of records and old gear such as wooden kickboards from the 1960s displaying the name 'Ithaca Ladies Life Saving Club', this confusion is understood. Also, Royal Life Saving Society Australia, Queensland Branch minutes, to assist in the confirmation of the start date, have been mislaid.



Ithaca Pool c 1950

Neptune Ladies' Life Saving Club trained at Ithaca Pool, as did Federals Life Saving Club (also a ladies only club) before moving to the Toowong pool. Metropolitan Caloundra Surf Life Saving Club and Palm Beach Surf Life Saving Club also trained at Ithaca. With no 'Royal' life saving clubs for men, only surf, it was decided to form a men's Royal life saving club.

George Marr recalls the lead up to the Queensland team attending the Australian Championships in Hobart a group of men, George Marr, Ian Cameron, Bruce Campbell, John Cooley, George Jones and Bruce Rictor meet at the Ithaca Pool to form a men's Royal life saving club. With storms approaching, the pool lessee, Joe Venning, turned off the lights. The men continued their meeting, determined to achieve their goal in establishing a men's Royal life saving club. Each 'member' contributed ten schillings to start the Club and appointed Joe Venning patron, George Marr president and chief instructor and John Cooley secretary. Joe Venning continued as patron for nineteen years and George Marr as president for twelve years and chief instructor for ten years.

The Royal Life Saving Society only held Australian Championships every two years. The Society's annual report confirms the Australian Championships were held in



Hobart on 12th and 13th March 1954. Storm activities were confirmed during the week ending 13th February 1954 and the Courier Mail reported G Marr, J Cooley, B Daley, D Payne and C Webster were from Ithaca Club selected in the Queensland Team for the Hobart Championships. Accordingly, it is with confidence that the 11th February 1954 is confirmed as the foundation day of the Ithaca Life Saving Club.

George Marr 1962

At the time the Ithaca Life Saving Club affiliated with the Royal Life Saving Society, as per the Society's annual reports, the following clubs were also 'affiliates for the year ended 30th June 1954': Burleigh Heads-Mowbray Park L.S.C., Federal Ladies' L.S.C., Ipswich L.S.C., and Neptune Ladies' L.S.C.

Denise Venning, an original ladies member of the Club, recalls as a fifteen year old being one of the original ladies to join the Club. Denise was originally a member of the Neptunes Ladies Life Saving Club and wanted to join the new Ithaca Life Saving Club when her older brother, Ross, joined. It was not until 1959 when the Club allowed women to join the Club.

The elite competition of the Royal Life Saving Society, used as a stepping stone as membership to the State Life Saving Teams were the Dean and Brighton Cup's competition. The Brighton Cup was for club's women competition and the Dean Cup was the club's men competition. It is believed the Club allowed women to join the Club in 1959 so as to field a team in the Brighton Cup competition.

By the time ladies were allowed to join the Club in 1959 George Marr had a team of four girls, aged fifteen and sixteen years of age, training for the Brighton Cup competition. The young ladies, Lorraine Borck, Roslyn McLay, Deirdre Patterson and Denise Venning were dedicated to the training requirements of the Club and with George Marr as their instructor ensured, to the surprise to the older ladies' clubs (Neptunes Ladies Life Saving Club and Federals Life Saving Club), they won the 1959/60 Brighton Cup.

The Club continued to win the Brighton Cup each year until the 1966/67 season. The men won the Dean Cup from the 1961/62 season until the 1967/68 season.

George Marr with his visits to schools and organisations in the early years fostered interest in life saving and so ensured a strong membership of the Club. Members came from all suburbs of Brisbane.

With George Marr's skills and his love of people and life saving, fostered not only a Club with a high level of life saving skills but a Club having a spirit of camaraderie, team work and loyalty.

The Club's birth was at a time when life saving skills were changing, and life saving and resuscitation were developing into the modern skills known today. 1954 was not only the year the Ithaca Life Saving Club began, but was also the year in which Dr J O Elam proved the superiority of expired air ventilation without equipment, over manual chest pressure / arm movement.

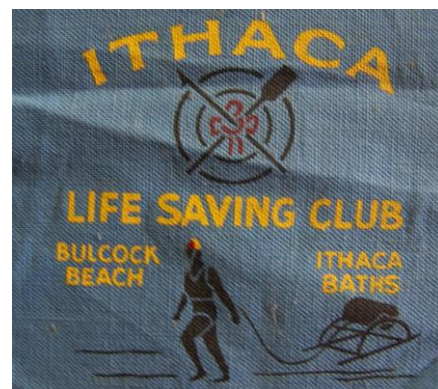
What's in a Name

The first Queensland State Governor (10.12.1859 to 4.1.1868), Sir George Bowen, named Ithaca Creek after the Greek island where his wife, the Countess Diamantina Roma, was born. Some reports suggest this is not the case, that she was born on the island of Zante and others the island of Corfu. This will never be clear since her birth year is suggested to be either 1832 or 1833. Sir George Bowen had served as the chief secretary of government in the Ionian Islands and president of the Ionian University of Corfu. Sir George Bowen wrote a book named "Ithaca" in 1850. Whatever the case, Ithaca, a part of the Ionian Islands, had a strong connection to both the first Governor and his first wife.

The local authority area and suburb subsequently gained its name from the creek. On 18th August 1887 Ithaca was declared a shire, and was incorporated as a town in 1903. Any status the area had, disappeared when Ithaca Town was absorbed into the City of Greater Brisbane on 1st October 1925. Ithaca Baths was opened in 1916. Many landmarks still bear the name Ithaca, such as the Ithaca Pool.

It was only natural that the Club took its name from its birthplace; Ithaca Pool. Also, Ithaca Pool has had a strong life saving connection, with Joe Venning as lessee and many life saving competitions and training activities, by both Surf and Royal clubs, taking place at the pool. This was reinforced at the Club's fiftieth celebrations when a Royal Life Saving Society's 1932 nineteenth edition handbook of instruction was given to the Club with the original receipt glued to the inside back cover. The receipt from the Metropolitan Life Saving Club dated 13th March 1938 had its headquarters recorded on the receipt as "Ithaca Baths, Paddington".

The first Royal Life Saving Society annual report that lists the Club as an affiliate was the 1953-54 report. The Club was listed as the 'Ithaca Men's Life Saving Club'. George Marr remembers a well known Neptune Ladies' Life Saving Club member, working, at the time, in the headquarters of the Royal Life Saving Society, recorded the Club's name as Ithaca Men's Life Saving Club. The next Society annual report (1954-55) corrects the name to Ithaca Life Saving Club.



The Club's 1960 first trial constitution front cover displayed a Club logo similar to that of the Royal Life Saving Society's logo with the words 'Ithaca Life Saving Society' around the life ring.

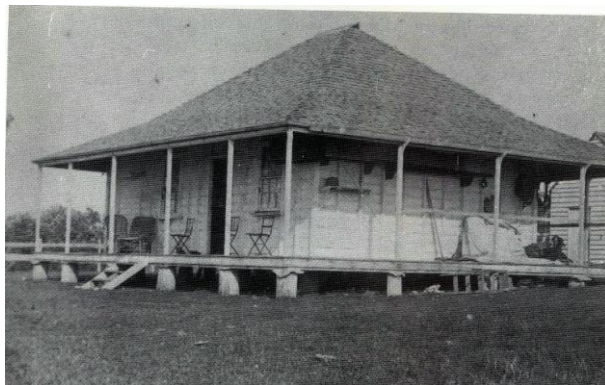
In 1982 James McClelland put forward a motion to change the Club name from Ithaca Life Saving Club to Ithaca-Bulcock Beach Life Saving Club to better reflect the

relationship the Club has not only with Ithaca Pool but also the Club's patrolling area at Bulcock Beach, Caloundra.



A new badge was also designed by James McClelland at this time. It incorporated the Royal Life Saving Society's badge, with the knot in the centre of the life ring replaced with a person performing a hip carry rescue. This rescue technique, at the time, better reflected the Club as a Royal life saving club. The hip carry was the most recognised symbol, to the public at the time, of the Royal Life Saving Society. The Club name was then inserted around the life ring. The word Caloundra was placed at the base of the life ring.

Bulcock Beach, Caloundra was named after the State Member for Enoggera at the time, Robert Bulcock. Robert Bulcock purchased 277 acres on 8th November 1875 and built a house facing the Passage and Bulcock Beach. He used his Caloundra house, called The Homestead, as a retreat from the political world.



*Robert Bulcock's homestead,
circa 1890,
overlooking Happy Valley*

During the 1986-87 season Stephen Skinner attempted to secure a fundraising permit from the responsible State Government Department. Even after years of successful permit applications, a public servant decided the Club's constitution was unacceptable and encouraged the Club to change its constitution and become an incorporated association.

The Club was incorporated on 10th July 1986 under the Associations Incorporations Act of 1981. The Club was the first Royal Life Saving body and one of the first life saving clubs in Queensland to be incorporated.

On 6th Mach 1998 the Club received approval from Consumer Affairs Queensland to change its name to Ithaca-Caloundra City Life Saving Club Inc. The new name better reflects the area of the Club's activities.

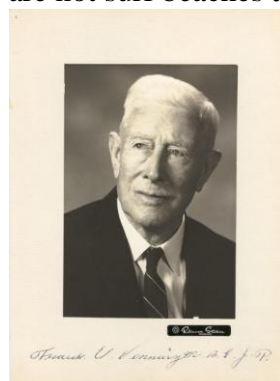
The Royal Connection

Founded in England in 1891 by William Henry, The Swimmers Life Saving Society was a breakaway from the Royal Humane Society. The group of swimmers reasoning, not in line with the Royal Humane Society, that to overcome early superstitions and fallacies on drowning, it was logical to instruct in swimming first to facilitate the saving of life and to develop methods of rescue and resuscitation.

The Society later received Royal recognition as the Royal Life Saving Society and in 1924, King George V granted the Royal Charter of Incorporation and this was followed by a Supplemental Charter granted by the present Queen, Elizabeth II, in 1958.

In 1894 William Henry formed a squad of six young men to tour England, demonstrating his methods and canvassing support for the new Society. One of the members of this squad was Frank Venning. The movement spread to Australia, the first branch being established in New South Wales in 1894, followed by Victoria in 1904, Queensland in 1905, Western Australia and South Australia in 1910 and Tasmania 1912. Frank Venning is considered, by many, as the father of life saving in Queensland.

In 1930 at a joint conference at Alexandra Headlands between the Royal Life Saving Society and the Surf Life Saving Association was held. (The Surf Life Saving Association broke away from the Royal Life Saving Society at Bondi in the early 1920s. It is noted that the Surf Life Saving Association will celebrate its centenary in 1908 which is the commencement of a different body, the NSW surf bathers association.) At this joint conference, it was agreed that the Royal Life Saving Society would hand over to the newly created Queensland State Centre of the Surf Life Saving Association control of all surf clubs. A close liaison between the two bodies in Queensland has been maintained and many members have held positions and membership in both organisations. The year after the Club was founded, in 1955, at Australian Council level an agreement was concluded which defined the sphere of operation of each body and that part of the agreement which pertains to the jurisdiction of the Royal Life Saving Society is as follows:- “That henceforth as in the past the Society shall have the control, regulation and administration to the exclusion of the Association of all matters pertaining to life saving and the use of reel and line whether instructional competitive or otherwise in all inland pools, enclosed baths, still water baths, lakes and rivers in Australia and also on all beaches in Australia which are not surf beaches as hereinafter defined.”.



Frank Venning was one of the pioneers of life saving in Queensland. He was instrumental in forming the first clubs in Queensland, including the first club on the Sunshine Coast, the Maroochydore Life Saving Club (the second club in Queensland). Frank Venning's son, Joe Venning, was also heavily involved in swimming and life saving and was the lessee of the Ithaca Pool for many years. Joe Venning was the patron of the Club from its foundation in 1954 to 1973.

The Venning connection does not stop here. Frank Venning's grand children Ross and Denise were members of the Club during the 1950s and 1960s. Ross Venning was Deputy President from 1964 to 1966 and Chief Instructor for the 1964/65 season. Denise Venning was Secretary from 1963 to 1965 and Club Captain from 1963 to 1965 and again for the 1966/67 season. Frank Venning's great grand children John and Frank were also members of the Club during the early 1980s.

To this day Club members have been involved in the work of the Royal Life Saving Society, not only at Club level, but also at State level.

Denise Venning worked in the Royal Life Saving Society headquarters in the early 1960s and George Marr was appointed a permanent staff member in 1961 following many years working three months for the Society, during the peak of the life saving season. George Marr ceased his employment with the Royal Life Saving Society in 1963 when he began his duties as lessee of the Wondai Pool. James McClelland was appointed the project manager of the Society's community awareness and water safety program, Aquacode, in 1983 and after the project was the administration manager and acting director of coaching in 1984 and early 1985.

The backbone of the Society and the Club are its volunteers and the Club has been a strong supporter of the Society in this regard.

George Marr was the Chief Examiner from 1960 to 1968.

Bruce Campbell was Chief Instructor from 1961 to 1965, Deputy President from 1962 to 1971 and President from 1971 to 1986.

John McClelland was Secretary from 1975 to 1977 and again from 1981 to 1986 and again from 1992 to 1996 and Club Liaison officer from 1989 to 1991 and Treasurer from 1990 to 1992 and President from 1996 to the present.

Lewis Maguire was Deputy Chief Examiner from 1981 to 1989.

James McClelland was Treasurer from 1983 to 1984.

Scott Conway was Chief Examiner from 1993 to 1996.

Robert Stinson was Deputy President for the 1986-87 season and Club Liaison Officer from 1984 to 1989 and again from 1991 to 1992.

Helen Morris was Club Liaison Officer from 1994 to 1997.

Stan Pearson (1974 to 1976 and 1980 to 1981), John McClelland (1976 to 1980) and James McClelland (1980 to 1985) were editors of the Society's magazine.

Also other Club members, including the above, on the Society's state council (now referred as directors) were Ross Venning, and Carol Stinson.

The 1959 Royal Life Saving Society annual reports of both the United Kingdom and Queensland makes mention of the formation of a Combined Clubs' Committee in

September 1958. Its aims being to further the interest of life saving in general and of the clubs in particular. Affiliated clubs at this time were Neptune Ladies' LSC, Federal Ladies' LSC, Sandgate Vikings LSC, Moreton Bay LSC, Ithaca LSC, Scott's Point Beach LSC and Spring Hill LSC.

From 1959 until the closure of the Combined Clubs' Committee during the late 1980s, Club members were involved in all areas of this committee from administration to inter club training and competition.

Club members' assistance with Society work has been outstanding, including involvement with the demonstration squads (which started about March 1975) and development of the Society life saving awards.

Club members have also been successful in representing the state in the Royal Life Saving Society's Queensland team at the Australian Championships. Some members have also been selected in the Australian team.

The 1976 Ladies Brisbane Team included Club members Vicki Lanagan, Bronwyn McClelland and Carol Stinson. They completed, at the request of the Bundaberg Surf Life Saving Club, in a beach carnival at Bundaberg on 27th and 28th March 1976. The team did well in the various events winning the four-man beach relay and the March Past events.



Brisbane RLSS winning the March Past

A number of past and present members have been awarded Royal Life Saving Society honours because of their work with the Club and the Society. Refer to the Appendices for a detail list of Club members who received Royal Life Saving Society honours.

Club members who received honours outside the Royal Life Saving Society general honour system were:

Bruce Campbell	1986	The Order of the British Empire (Civil) (MBE)
	2001	Centenary Medal
	2002	Senior Australian of the Year
	2003	Member of the Order of Australia (AM)
John McClelland	2000	Australian Sports Medal

Clubhouse

To say the Club started from humble beginnings is an understatement.



In 1961 when patrols started at Bulcock Beach Anne McGrow's father donated a small masonry type hut located at the current caravan park, at the end of Bulcock Beach near Golden Beach.



George Marr recalls the following year, around December, a cyclone destroyed the hut. A house four times larger than the hut was donated to the Club. The house was made of pine and the flooring made of hardwood. It was cut by hand and transported from Brisbane to the caravan park. Warren Paterson also recalls this house being transported from Ironside in Brisbane, after the cyclone. Ellis Paterson and

Ernie McAuliffe put the house together on its arrival at the caravan park.

Three years after John McClelland joined the Club he remembers in 1967 the ladies clubhouse at the caravan park being replaced with an old bait shop located on Bulcock Beach itself. (The old "Blue Fleet Bait Shop"). The Men's Captain at the time, Lindsay Logan, had to borrow a pair of bolt cutters to gain entry to the 'new' clubhouse due to the rusted lock. After a full day of cleaning, the building was left with no wiring, toilet, shower, inside walls, cupboards or water.



The first wall was a divider wall dividing kitchen and dormitory. Toilets and showers were a long walk along the esplanade to the public facilities. 1968 saw the construction of a shower and a toilet was added to the right hand side of the clubhouse in 1970. In 1972 a chaperone's room was built, so ensuring the chaperones no longer shared with patrol members.



In 1975, members under the supervision of John McClelland and Robert Stinson, extended the clubhouse two and a half metres on the left hand side of the clubhouse (western wall). The modest extension included a more suitable chaperones' room, at the rear, and a combined first aid room, gear room, training area and recreation area. The Caloundra City Council supplied the roofing iron and the Club replaced the roof.



Bronwyn McClelland painting the completed roof and other workers; Diane McClelland, James McClelland and John Bacon (Surfers Paradise LSC).



The Clubhouse, with the bait shop on the right, after the 1975 extension. The Caloundra Bar is in the background and Bribie Island is in the top right hand corner. c 1981

The Caloundra City Council started construction on the Bulcock Beach boardwalk in December 1988. As a part of this project the Caloundra City Council constructed a replacement clubhouse on the boardwalk.



The Club donated \$30,000 to the Caloundra City Council towards the cost of the new clubhouse. A long term lease was entered into between the Club and the Caloundra City Council.

The Club moved into the new clubhouse on 24 November 1989 and within two years completed the internal fit out of the Clubhouse, including cupboards and first aid room.



The Clubhouse from the beach. 2004



The Clubhouse from the Boardwalk. 2004

Another building project the Club undertook was the construction of a permanent life guard tower at Golden Beach. The Caloundra City Council designated a bathing reserve at Fraser Park, Golden Beach, on the northern side of the Gemini towers resort. The Club captain at the time, Cliff Rix, built the tower.



On 24th October 1994 the Club's patron, Joan Sheldon MP, opened the Golden Beach Tower. The tower had its own radio communications (back to base at Bulcock Beach), first aid facilities and able to accommodate a number of lifesavers. By the end of the 2001/02 patrol season, due to decreasing member numbers, patrols at Golden Beach were reduced to regular boat patrols in the Club's rescue boats. The Club

decided to donate the Golden Beach tower to the Caloundra City Council to assist the city lifeguard patrols at Golden Beach during holiday periods.

Patrols

It is unsure how the move to patrol Bulcock Beach came about; however, in 1961 George Marr remembers the Club was supported by three local men; chemist Mr Geddes, councillor Mr Baker and Mr Dwyer. Mrs Emily Bulcock wished to show her appreciation and wrote to George Marr and asked to meet with him, which she did.

The Nambour Chronicle wrote on 17th November 1961 that the Club was to start patrols on 16th December 1961 for a period of at least three weeks to cover the busy holiday season. Patrols were to be from 10.30am to 3.30pm. It was also reported "The local authority has granted the club a clubhouse and camping areas in the park adjoining Bulcock Beach. The club has already been promised or has purchased a quantity of equipment."

The first Chaperones were Ada Ball, sports mistress at Somerville House, and Ena Dufield, sports mistress at Clayfield College. The Nambour Chronicle reported in their article on 17th November 1961 (on page one) that "A strict set of rules has been drawn up and will be rigidly enforced at all times. The chaperone will accompany members at all times and to all places. No male members will be allowed on the premises."

Little records are available recording the activity of patrols in the early years.

The Nambour Chronicle reported in their 3rd December 1965 edition that the Club Captain, Robin Grant, advised the Club will commence daily patrols from 11th December 1965. Local Club members were Pam Mallory, Maria Rinaldi, Karen Lee and Margaret Homan. Both local and Brisbane Club members were actively trying to secure a clubhouse.

Members would carry the patrol equipment and paddle the rescue skis from the caravan park to patrols at Bulcock Beach.

John McClelland who joined the Club during the 1964/65 season remembers the Club committee decided to allow men to patrol at Bulcock Beach. Local council approval was received and patrols began with ladies and men patrolling on alternative weekends.

It is noted that the Surf Life Saving Association in Australia officially permitted women to become patrolling members of Australian surf life saving clubs in 1980.

There were many discussions that followed between the sexes as to who used all the Club supplies. During the early 1970s the Club committee decided the Club would cover the costs of general supplies.

1973 saw the introduction of mixed patrols with both the Club committee and local council setting strict conditions, such as chaperones at all times.

The Club did not restrict itself to Bulcock Beach and the surrounding area, such as Golden Beach. The Club carried out patrols at other locations such as the Brisbane Masters Marathon Swim at Wivenhoe Dam during the early 1990s, the Brisbane River raft races and a rock concert on the banks of the upper Brisbane River during the 1970s.

A special mention must be made of the members of other clubs who have helped the Club patrolling while gaining the necessary experience. Woogaroo Life Saving Club, Vikings Life Saving Club and Federals Life Saving Club all assisted the Club during the 1970s.

Records of the Club's patrol activities were not kept by the Club and regularly maintained for annual report purposes until the 1976/77 season. From this season the Club patrolled Bulcock Beach from December to February and extended the patrol season from the 1979/80 season from September/October to April/May each year. A number of years saw the Club patrol over the entire Christmas and New Year holiday period.

The Club patrolled New Years Eve of 31st December 1999 from 6.00am to 6.00pm and operated the first aid room until 1.00am on 1st January 2000.

Without mentioning any particular rescue or event, the Club is proud of its members, past and present. Since the 1976/77 season, that is twenty-eight years, the Club has performed over 1200 rescues and 2000 first aid cases.

Activities at Bulcock Beach did not stop with patrols. As early as December 1965 the Nambour Chronicle reported on 3rd December 1965 that "Swimming classes for girls and boys will be conducted each morning commencing at 9 o'clock...". James McClelland remembers this continuing during the mid 1970s, still using the old Club wooden kickboards with the name "Ithaca Ladies Life Saving Club" on them.

The Club continued with this community spirit and during the 2001/02 season operated a Community Awareness Scheme which was a public awareness campaign on water safety and life saving.

In early 2003 the Club commenced a Junior Lifeguard Program on Sunday mornings at 8.00am for one hour, with Tracey James as coordinator. The first day saw six children attend and increasing to fifteen after two months. The Junior Lifeguard Program is a fun environment where games and competitions are used to teach children water safety, basic rescue techniques, safe swimming habits, basic resuscitation and team work and responsibility.

The Junior Lifeguard Program encourages the children to progress through an introductory period of basic water safety and then progress through the 'Swim & Survive' series of Royal Life Saving Society awards. This progression is expected to take between one and four years depending on the child's age and abilities. After 'Swim & Survive' awards they will aim for the 'Bronze Star' award, which is an introduction to the Bronze Medallion.

During the 1999/2000 season the Club granted access to the professional lifeguards of the Caloundra City Council to the facilities of the clubhouse, to assist them with their patrols of Bulcock Beach during the summer seasons. The Caloundra City Council recognised the increase public use of Bulcock Beach and accordingly increased funding during the 2002/03 season to have Council lifeguards positioned at Bulcock Beach (located in the clubhouse) Monday to Friday all year round. Council lifeguards continue to be positioned at Golden Beach during holiday periods.



Robert Stinson and James McClelland testing the boat on the Brisbane River

During the 1977/78 season the Club took its first steps from reel and line and ski rescue to ‘modern’ rescue. A ‘rubber duckie’, with a four horse power motor, was purchased. On occasions the tide was so strong at Bulcock Beach that the rescue boat could not work against the tide.

In October 1980 the Club upgraded its rescue boat to a Naiad 2.9 metre inflatable boat with a fixed fibreglass hull. It was powered by a twenty horse power motor. Members of the Club gained their IRB qualifications via the Metropolitan Caloundra SLISA and this was the start of the Club’s involvement with the Society’s IRB award program in Queensland.



The Club also operated IRB patrols at Dams and the Brisbane River (for bath tub races) as a part of its commitment to the community.

The Club has continued to advance with new and modern rescue equipment and communications to ensure the best possible rescue and prevention service available at Bulcock Beach.



Yvette Skinner (nee Barry), Karen Miles and Mark Kirkup

Training

Club training was conducted at Ithaca Pool on Sunday nights until the early 1980s when it was changed to Friday nights to encourage members to travel to the coast for patrols after training. Friday night training was moved to Wednesday nights during the 1997/98 season. During some seasons training was conducted over a number of nights per week and at other locations than the Ithaca Pool.

Professional instructors were employed by the Club between 1996 and 1999 to improve the Club's training standard and ensure regular and professional instruction.



Training at Bulcock Beach is a regular weekend activity on patrolling weekends, including fitness and life saving skill activities.

The first reel and line squad was trained by Lewis Maguire including members Anna McGrow, Roslane McClay and Cathy Wilson.

c1982 morning fitness training

Club training has always involved members gaining the Royal Life Saving Society's awards from water safety and survival to the Society's Diploma.

The Society's 1959/60 annual report mentions the Club "Have had a very extremely successful season. Achieved 355 awards, and 1038 points, which is the most gained in any Queensland club and could possibly be an Australian record for a strictly pool club." The Club gained 429 awards, including 28 Bronze Medallions, during the 1962/63 season. These were George Marr's proudest years.

The Club won the Society's G L Jones Shield, for the highest number of awards in an affiliated club, the following years:

1959/60	1960/61	1961/62	1962/63
1982/83	1984/85		
1991/92	1992/93	1993/94	1994/95
1995/96	2003/04		

Not only has the Club achieved a high level with the Society awards, members have gained success in various competitions. The first beach carnival at Shorncliffe Beach in 1961 saw three women's clubs tying for first place; Neptune Ladies' LSC, Sandgate Vikings LSC and Ithaca LSC. The men's were won by Sandgate Vikings LSC.

A B.P. beach carnival was held at Scotts Point Beach for clubs to compete for a reel for men, a reel for women, and a shark tower for the club obtaining the next highest points other than the winners of either reel. Ithaca won the men's reel.



Reel & Line Squad, 1969 Bronze Medallion

Back row – Denis Robinson (instructor), Christine Day, Pamela Gammon, Lindsay Logan (instructor)
 Front row – Wendy Ratcliffe, Darelle Stubbs, Kerry Williams, Elizabeth Diggles

Champions

In 1960 George Marr, Ken O'Connell and Denise Venning prepared a trial constitution for the Club. Under the heading "Club Championships" the paragraph read "It is Club's policy that no Championship be held for members, but rather to encourage members to become proficient in lifesaving techniques. The acquisition of the Diploma entitles the holder to wear the Club's Honour Blazer thereby signifying their Championship status within the club.". The Diploma of the Society was instituted in the United Kingdom in 1896.

With changes to the Club's constitution from 22nd August 1985 the Club Championship paragraph has been moved from the Rules to the By-laws and reads "It is the Club's policy to encourage members to become proficient in lifesaving techniques."

With only forty-two Queenslanders awarded the Diploma of the Royal Life Saving Society Queensland, it is still an achievement when a Club member gains this award. The following members have gained the Diploma.

Lewis Maguire	1962
James McClelland	1993
Glyn Reinbott	1996
Shane Roberts	1997
Claire Morris	1998

Other members who have gained the Diploma either under a different organisation (eg school or police) or after leaving the Club were: A Ball (1962), F Clifford (1962), J Marr (1996), G Meijer (1991) and R Green (1997).



1962 presentation by George Marr (L) to Lewis Maguire (R) of a coffee jug for being the first Club member to gain the Society's Diploma

Competitions of the Royal Life Saving Society have been successful for the Club over the years. Individual and other Club team winners are listed in the appendices.

Other Activities

The Club has been a close knit 'family' with members and their families being involved in many activities of the Club. Group outings, Club trips and of course the many fundraising activities.



*Gordon palmer selling lucky numbers
on Bulcock Street, Caloundra*



Lamington drive

For many years during the 1970s the Club was a regular participant in the annual Nanango festival including the procession and life saving displays.

For a couple of years the Club also participated in the annual parade down Bulcock Street during the late 1970s.

Also in the 1970s the Club undertook special patrols at a Rock Concert on a property on the edge of the upper Brisbane River.

These patrols also extended to the recreation pool for competitors of the Commonwealth games held in Brisbane from 30th September to 9th October 1982. Other members of the Combined Clubs Committee Demonstration Squad also were involved. The Games organising committee did not realise they were required under their own rules to have lifeguards on duty during the competitor's recreation swim times. They ask the Society at the last minute and Bronwyn McClelland, James McClelland and Carol Stinson of the Club had a major involvement with patrols.

In 1985 Stephen Skinner organised the Club to produce a very successful spinal injury video.

Scott Conway prepared the Club's Induction Manual in the 1990s to assist current and new members to understand the Club and their responsibility within the Club.

To further bring the Club into the modern era Paul Barry prepared a web site for the Club (www.caloundracity.asn.au).

Members Word / Memories

1981

Patrick Collins

Being a member of the Club, lifesaving has posed many new challenges and these challenges I feel have been overcome by the relationships between other Club members, Club officials and chaperones.

Sue Harton

All members work well together and get along great socially. The Club is a place of permanent membership if you are really dedicated to your lifesaving role in the community.

Nicola Cox

The active members and their families provide the spirit, friendship, teamwork and support which make this small Club into a viable working community service.

James McClelland

I have watched with joy the growth of our Club, not only the tangible growth but also the intangible such as the forming of young lifesavers into mature responsible adults ready to give up their time to risk their lives for others.

2004

Robyn Carroll (nee Grant)

During the 1960s I have vivid memories of training at Ithaca, competing at pools and various beaches and patrols at Bulcock Beach. At that time stayed in a hut at the caravan park and carried our gear to Bulcock Beach each day.

Graeme Leadle

John & Diane McClelland chaperoning the younger members. Councillor complaining re boys and girls in together. Then a partition 'curtain' was placed to separate the sexes. The smell wafting in from the nearby bait shop.

Sandra Leadle

Great fun! Good friends! Being a member of the Club was a very positive influence in my life. Discipline, team work, responsibility, friendship and fun are a great combination. The training runs to the point and back would be much easier today. I have walked past the new club house on many occasions and thought it looks like the 'Hilton', compared with our little old building next to the bait shop. But we managed to all get along in those slightly cramped conditions.

Terry Legg

The old 25 yard Ithaca Pool crammed with eager kids. Touring with the demonstration squad.

Martin McNaught

I could be wrong but I'm fairly confident that to this day Paul Barry and I still hold the world water-speed record for hand paddling a zodiac when we found ourselves in the middle of the Caloundra Bar without an engine after it snapped its mounts and sank to the bottom whilst the waves continued to roll in over us.

Lewis Maguire

First camp at Bulcock Beach. Being a member of the first team to win the Dean Cup. Award of the first Diploma by an Ithaca member. Beach carnivals. Training Queensland teams. All day exams at Gatton College.

Ken O'Connell

Great Club; made many friendships; taught me life time skills.

Stephen Pearl

Doing training with Nicola Cox and with those bum crawls. Selling meat trays and those door knocks. Having water come into the clubhouse on high tides. Bus trips to the coast on Friday nights and retuning on Sunday nights.

Stan Pearson

Saturday night bon fires on the sand hills in Happy Valley.

Jeannie Baxter-Reid and Rob Reid

Beach carnivals were fun. After the first day of competition at the 2002 Florida World Championships, Ithaca-Caloundra City led the World Championships.

Denise Venning

'Record Hops' held at Caloundra Hall on Friday nights in the mid 1960s. A group of us (youngsters) travelled up from Brisbane to run them. Also in the 1960s we had a number of Hawaiian nights at Ithaca Pool – great fun! I was fortunate enough while a member of Ithaca Club to be selected in four Queensland RLSS teams to compete in Australian Titles and to win the four women's championships. In each Queensland team the majority of members were from Ithaca Life Saving Club.

Narelle Britton (nee Wade)

The carnivals at Scotts Point and the old clubhouse with the bait shop next door. Team work!

Les Wakeham

Great bunch of people at the Club during the mid 1980s. Swimming to the sandbanks across from the clubhouse. Having my surf ski retrieved off shore from Bribie Island with Paul Barry and Michael Madden in the IRB.

Kathy Wilson

Went to Bulcock Beach around 1960 and for a number of years thereafter won my individual titles at Queensland Championships.

Patrol Log 28 December 1969

It rained all day, but the beach was crowded. The girls took half hour shifts of patrolling through the window.

Patrol Log 10 June 1972 12-4pm shift

(Colin Connell, Graeme Leadle & John McClelland)

Politely asked two young gentlemen to refrain from setting off explosives on our beach. Upon sudden confrontation with two hairy fists the two were forcefully removed from the beach and taken to the ambulance for immediate attention.

Patrol Log 11 June 1972 12-4pm shift

Repeat performance with two other young louts igniting explosives on our beach. They were peacefully removed with the threat of a \$10 fine per piece of refuse left on the sand or in the water.

Patrol Log 20 January 1974 10-2pm shift

(Bronwyn, Dave, John, Jim & Mark)

Beach closed from 12.45 to 2pm because of large dangerous jelly fish going with the current out to sea. The jelly fish was one foot across and six feet long and had red markings on it.

Patrol Log 17 December 1974 10.30-12noon

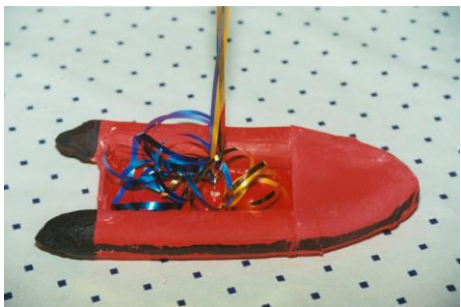
(Bronwyn, Mandy & Suzanne)

Shark alarm. Saw three sharks on sandbank. The water was cleared by Bronwyn, while Sue and Mandy tried to calm women and children on sandbank. Two men proceeded to the sandbank in a boat to chase the sharks, but the sharks were found to be logs shaped exactly like sharks. The men still thought they looked like sharks close up. Better to be safe than sorry.

50th Celebrations

With well over one hundred people attending the fiftieth celebrations beginning with an open day at the Clubhouse commencing at 10am followed by lunch at the CCSA Hall, Caloundra, it was nothing short of a great success with friends young and old catching up on the great times at Ithaca.







**Ithaca – Caloundra City Life Saving Club Inc.
50 years of lifesaving : 1954 – 2004**



50th Anniversary Function at Caloundra – 22nd May 2004

Daily Program

- 10.00 am Clubhouse Opens
- 10.30 am Honour Board Unveiling
Tea & Coffee Served
Display open
- 11.15 am Slide Show
- 11.45 am Change Venue to
CCSA Hall
Nutley St, Caloundra
Rear of Caloundra City
Council Chambers
- 12.30 pm Lunch is served
- 1.00 pm Speeches
- 1.30 pm Sweets, Tea & Coffee
Memorabilia available for sale
- 2.30 pm Conclusion



Appendices – RLSS Honours

In Queensland since 1977 the Society has made an annual presentation in recognition of the State's top lifesaver. The Iris Cribb Bursary was instituted in memory of the great Miss Iris Cribb who dedicated many voluntary hours to the Society from 1915 until her retirement in 1973. Miss Iris Cribb passed away in February 1976 and the bursary was presented annually from the 1977-78 season. The winners from the Club have been.

1977-78	James McClelland
1979-80	Carol Stinson
1984-85	Bronwyn McClelland
1985-86	Stephen Skinner
1987-88	Yvette Skinner
1990-91	Scott Conway
1994-95	Les Wakeham
1997-98	Russell Green
2000-01	Paul Barry

Also, the following Club members have been honoured as Life Governors and Life Members of the Society in Queensland.

1959-60	Joe Venning
1979-80	Frank Clifford
1987-88	Bruce Campbell
1994-95	John McClelland
1999-00	Gerald Meijer
2001-02	James McClelland

Australian Honours of the Society have been granted to the following Club members. The Associate, Fellow and Companion of The Royal Life Saving Society Australia commenced approximately 1985.

Life Member	John McClelland
Meritorious Service Medal	Bruce Campbell
	John McClelland
	Gerald Meijer
Companion of The RLSS Aust	Bruce Campbell
	John McClelland
	James McClelland
	Lewis Maguire
	Gerald Meijer
	Robert Stinson
Fellow of The RLSS Aust	Janice Rainbow
	Stephen Skinner
Associate of The RLSS Aust	Patricia Barry
	Scott Conway
	Russell Green
	Helen Morris

The following Club members have received the following Commonwealth Council Honours of The Royal Life Saving Society.

Life Member	John McClelland
Bar to Service Cross	Bruce Campbell John McClelland James McClelland Lewis Maguire Robert Stinson
Service Cross	Bruce Campbell Bronwyn McClelland John McClelland James McClelland Lewis Maguire Gerald Meijer Robert Stinson
Bar to Service Medal (previous Recognition badge)	Anthony Barry Bruce Campbell Scott Conway Bronwyn McClelland John McClelland James McClelland Lewis Maguire George Marr Gerald Meijer Helen Morris Jeffrey Phillips Mathew Schneider Ralph Skinner Robert Stinson
Service Medal (previous Recognition badge)	Anthony Barry Patricia Barry Paul Barry Jeanne Baxter-Reid Bruce Campbell Frank Clifford Scott Conway Russell Green Terry Legg Bronwyn McClelland John McClelland James McClelland Lewis Maguire George Marr Gerald Meijer Bryan Morris Helen Morris Stephen Pearl Stan Pearson

Service Medal (continued)

Jeffrey Phillips
W Trevor Rieken
Mathew Schneider
Ralph Skinner
Stephen Skinner
Yvette Skinner
Carol Stinson
Robert Stinson
Allan Wade
Les Wakeman



Service Cross with Bar

Appendices – Life Members

- 1961 Mr George Marr +
- 1979 Mr John McClelland AMSM, CRLSSA
- 1982 Mr Ben Williams
- 1983 Miss Bronwyn McClelland
- 1984 Mr James McClelland CRLSA, DipRLSSA,
- 1985 Mr Robert Stinson CRLSSA
- 1989 Mr Stephen Pearl
- 1990 Mr Stephen Skinner
- 1991 Mrs Ann McClelland +
- 1993 Mrs Yvette Skinner
- 1996 Mr Scott Conway
- 1999 Mr Paul Barry
- 2000 Mr Jeffrey Phillips
- 2003 Mr Mathew Schneider

+ Deceased

Appendices – Club Trophy Winners

SECRETARY’S ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD

(Donated by Helen Morris) For overall Club “encouragement”.

1992/93	Hannah Gadsden
1993/94	Michelle Skinner
1994/95	Shane Roberts
1995/96	Brendan O’Shea
1996/97	(not awarded)
1997/98	Aaron Dahm
1998/99	Corey Dahm
1999/00	Sarah Dahm
2000/01	(not awarded)
2001/02	(not awarded)
2002/03	Tracey James
2003/04	(not awarded)

THE PRESIDENT’S SHIELD

(Donated by Brian Davis MLA)

For continued and outstanding contribution at “coast/patrolling activities”.

1979/80	Stephen Skinner
1980/81	Bronwyn McClelland
1981/82	(not awarded)
1982/83	Gordon Palmer/Adam Musial
1983/84	Yvette Barry/Michael Madden
1984/85	Michael Madden
1985/96	Stephen Pearl
1986/87	Paul Barry
1987/88	(not awarded)
1988/89	Catherine Stumer
1989/90	Karen Miles/Paul Hudson
1990/91	Jeffrey Phillips
1991/92	Scott Conway
1992/93	Mathew Schneider
1993/94	Salina Currie
1994/95	Mark Riken/Salina Currie
1995/96	Salina Currie
1996/97	(not awarded)
1997/98	(not awarded)
1998/99	Brendan O’Shea/Tony Spriggs
1999/00	(not awarded)
2000/01	(not awarded)
2001/02	(not awarded)
2002/03	Matthew Kay
2003/04	(not awarded)

PATRON'S CUP

(Donated by Joe Venning)

For continued and outstanding contribution at "pool training".

1969/70	Angela Perry
1970/71	Angela Perry
1971/72	Linda Gallagher/James McClelland/Doug Hawly
1972/73	Judith Godwin
1973/74	Bronwyn McClelland
1974/75	(not awarded)
1975/76	(not awarded)
1976/77	(not awarded)
1977/78	(not awarded)
1978/79	Peter Bell
1979/80	Leah Doyle
1980/81	(not awarded)
1981/82	Stephen Pearl
1982/83	Michael Madden
1983/84	Paul Barry
1984/85	Scott Conway
1985/86	Jose Zahran
1986/87	Catherine Stumer
1987/88	(not awarded)
1988/89	Simon Johnson
1989/90	Tom Dunstan/Benjamin Kells
1990/91	Karen Morris/Claire Morris
1991/92	(not awarded)
1992/93	Claire Morris
1993/94	(not awarded)
1994/95	Graham Meiforth/Bianca Spraggon
1995/96	(not awarded)
1996/97	(not awarded)
1997/98	Kerrie Bell/Tegan Bell
1998/99	Natasha Selwood
1999/00	(not awarded)
2000/01	(not awarded)
2001/02	(not awarded)
2002/03	Lynda Barry
2003/04	(not awarded)

JUNIOR LIFEGUARD TROPHY

(Donated by Club)

For continued and outstanding performance and teamwork by a junior lifeguard.

2002/03	Amy Mitchell
2003/2004	(not awarded)

FUNDRAISING ENCOURAGEMENT TROPHY

(Donated by Club)

For the member who raises the most funds for the Club during the season.

1999/00	Paul Barry
2000/01	(not awarded)
2001/02	(not awarded)
2002/03	Bruce Cowling
2003/04	(not awarded)

Club Competition Winners / Champions

1954

Old Pool Championships at Ithaca Pool (26.3.54)

Individual Championship	Men (G Marr) { Also 2 nd -G Jones and 3 rd -J Cooley }
Pairs Championship	Men (G Marr and D Payne) { Also 2 nd -J Cooley & B Daley and 3 rd -C Webster & C Black }
Diving	Men (D Payne)

1958

Old Pool Championships at Ithaca Pool (11.4.58)

Individual Championship	Men (L Logan)
Pairs Championship	Men (R Venning & L Logan) { Also 2 nd -D Cook & M Robinson }

1959

Old Pool Championships at Ithaca Pool (17.4.59)

Individual Championship	Men (R Venning)
Pairs Championship	Men (R Venning & L Logan)

1960

Old Pool Championships at Ithaca Pool (8.4.60)

Individual Championship	Men (R Venning) Women (D Venning)
Pairs Championship	Men (R Venning & L Logan)
<u>Combined Clubs Beach Carnival at Tallebudgera (3.4.60)</u>	
Senior Team Race	Men
Junior Team race	Men
Open Novelty Race	

1961

Old Pool Championships at Ithaca Pool (14.4.61)

Individual Championship	Men (R Venning) Women (D Venning)
Pairs Championship	Men (R Venning & L Logan) Women (D Venning & L Jay)

Combined Clubs Beach Carnival at Shorncliffe

Champion Women's Club

1962

Old Pool Championships at Ithaca Pool (13.4.62)

Individual Championship	Men (J Riekwel) Women (D Venning)
Pairs Championship	Men (R Venning & J Riekwel) Women (D Venning & L Jay)

1963

Old Pool Championships at Ithaca Pool (20.4.63)

Individual Championship Men (C Whight)

1964

Old Pool Championships at Ithaca Pool (11.4.64)

Individual Championship Men (C Whigh)

Pairs Championship Women (L Jay & L Weedon)

Combined Clubs Beach Carnival

Senior Rescue & Resus Men

Open Relay Men

Senior Rescue Race Men

Open Wheelbarrow Race Men

Open Three Legged Race Men

1965

Old Pool Championships at Ithaca Pool (10.4.65)

Pairs Championship Men (T Brodie & N Reynolds)

Life Saving Relay Men

Old Beach Carnival at Scott's Point (.4.65)

I Cribb Trophy Senior Men

Senior Rescue & Resus Men

Open Relay Men

Junior Team Race Men

1966

Old Pool Championships at Ithaca Pool (16.4.66)

Individual Championship Men (T Brodie)

Women (K Wilson)

Pairs Championship Men (T Brodie & N Reynolds)

Old Beach Carnival

I Cribb Trophy Senior Men (tie with Spring Hill LSC)

1967

Old Pool Championships at Ithaca Pool (8.4.67)

Individual Championship Women (K Wilson)

Sub-Junior girls (K Williams)

Pairs Championship Men (G Brewster & A Newcomb)

1968

Old Beach Championships (21.4.68)

Senior Beach Relay Women

Junior Beach Relay Men

1972

Old Beach Championships

Junior Relay Women

1973

Old Pool Championships

B Grade Skills Men (S Pearson)

Combined Clubs Committee Championships

Individual Championship Intermediate Men (J R McClelland)
Junior Boys (B Day)
Junior Girls (B McClelland)

Old Beach Carnival

March Past

Senior Rescue Women

Senior Rescue & Resus Women

1974

Old Pool Championships

Life Saving Relay Men

All Strokes Relay Men

Skills 'B' Grade Men (J R McClelland)

Rescue & Resus 'B' Grade Men (J R McClelland)

Combined Clubs Committee Championships

Individual Championship Grade 3 Men (A Perry)
Grade 4 Women (A Perry)

All Strokes Relay Grade 4 Women

Grade 5 Men

Life Saving Relay Grade 4 Women

Grade 5 Men

Combined Clubs Committee Beach Carnival

March Past

Beach Flags Grade 4 Women (J Kyle-Little)

Beach Sprint Grade 3 Women (S Godwin)

Open Women (J Kyle-Little)

1975

Old Pool Championships

Rescue & Resus 'B' Grade Men (J R McClelland)

Combined Clubs Committee Championships

Individual Championship Women (C Stinson)

Resuscitation Championship Men (J R McClelland)

Senior Life Saving Relay Men

Senior All Strokes Relay Men

Junior All Strokes Relay Men

Sub-Junior All Strokes Relay Men

Surface Dives Women

Old Beach Carnival

Beach Resuscitation Senior Men (J R McClelland tie)

4 Man Belt Race Women

Beach Sprint Senior Men (D Hawley)

Beach Flags Senior Men (D Hawley)

Junior Men (A Perry)

Junior Women (B McClelland)

1976

Old Pool Championships

Life Saving Relay	Men
<u>Combined Clubs Committee Championships</u>	
Resuscitation	Women
<u>Old Beach Carnival</u>	
Beach Flags	Senior Men

1977

Old Pool Championships

Rescue & Resus 'B' Grade	Men (J R McClelland)
<u>Combined Clubs Committee Beach Carnival</u>	
Senior Rescue Race	Men
Senior All Strokes Relay	Men
Senior Life Saving Relay	Men
<u>Combined Clubs Committee Championships (6.3.77)</u>	
Senior Rescue Race	Men (J Bacon)
Senior All Strokes Relay	Men (C Fraser, G Church, J R McClelland, H McClelland, J Bacon & C Connell)
Senior Life Saving Relay	Men (J R McClelland, J Bacon, C Connell, G Church, J M McClelland & H McClelland)
<u>Old Beach Carnival (27.3.77)</u>	
Open Beach Resuscitation	Women
4 Man Belt Race	Women (C Stinson, S Hodges, B McClelland & N Cox)
Senior Ski Race	Men (J R McClelland)
Senior Beach Relay	Men (J R McClelland, H McClelland, S Mallyon & G Church)

1978

Old Beach Carnival

Senior Belt Race	Women (C Stinson)
Senior Beach Sprint	Women (N Cox tie)

1979

Old Beach Carnival

Overall Team winners	Senior Men Junior Men
Senior Belt Race	Men (B Dunk)
Junior Rescue Race	Men (M Peal & D Martinuz)
Senior Torpedo Buoy Race	Men (I Harrison)
Beach Resuscitation	Women (B McClelland)
Senior Ski Race	Men (J R McClelland)
Junior Ski Race	Men (M Pearl)
Senior Beach Sprint	Men (G Church) Women (N Cox)
Junior Beach Sprint	Men (D Martinuz)
Junior Beach Flags	Men (D Martinuz)
Junior Beach Relay	Men (D Hodges, D Martinuz, M Pearl & S Pearl)
<u>Combined Clubs Committee Championships</u>	
Senior Individual	Women (C Stinson)

1980

Old Pool Championships

Rescue & Resuscitation	Men (J R McClelland)
Old Beach Carnival	
Senior Belt Race	Women (C Stinson)
Junior Rescue Race	Men (D Hodges & Hilton)
Senior Distance Swim	Men (C Yeates, J R McClelland, B Dunk & I Harrison) Women (C Stinson, B McClelland, A Pearl & N Cox)
Senior Torpedo Buoy Race	Men (P Bell)
Open Individual	Men (P Bell)
Senior Ski Race	Men (J R McClelland)
Junior Ski Race	Men Women
Junior Beach Sprint	Men (D Hodges) Women (M Camp)
Senior Beach Flags	Woman (R Williamson)
Junior Beach Flags	Men (D Hodges) Women (M Camp)
Junior Beach Relay	Women (J Camp, M Camp, S Camp)
<u>Combined Clubs Committee Championships (24.2.80)</u>	
Senior Rescue & Resus	Men (C Yeates, P Bell & J R McClelland)
Junior Rescue & Resus	Women (C Camp, M Camp & J Camp)
Sen Pairs Breaststroke Relay	Men (D Hodges & C Yeates)
Senior Rescue Race	Men
Senior Life Saving Relay	Men (P Bell, J R McClelland, D Hodges & C Yeates)
Senior Crawl Stroke Relay	Men (P Bell, J R McClelland, D Hodges & C Yeates)

1981

Old Pool Championships

Rescue & Resuscitation	Men (J R McClelland)
<u>Old Beach Carnival at Budds Beach, Surfers Paradise (5.4.81)</u>	
Junior Rescue Race	Women (D Camp & C Camp)
Junior Distance Swim	Women (V Radcliffe, B Logan, S Vardy & K Radcliffe)
Beach Resuscitation	Men (J R McClelland, M Fitzgerald, D Hodges & S Skinner)
Senior Ski Race	Women (B McClelland)
Junior Ski Race	Women (D Camp)
Senior Beach Sprint	Women (N Cox)
Overall Team winners	Junior women

1982

Old Pool Championships (27.3.82)

Releases & Surface Dives	Men (J R McClelland tie)
<u>Old Beach Carnival at Bulcock Beach (19.2.82)</u>	
Senior Ski Race	Men (D Hodges) Women (B McClelland)
Junior Ski Race	Women (J Skinner)
Beach Resuscitation	Men (S Pearl, D Hodges, J R McClelland & S Skinner)
Senior Belt Swim	Men (J R McClelland)
Senior Distance Race	Men (D Hodges)

Junior Beach Sprint	Men (A Musial tie) Women (J Skinner)
Junior Beach Flags	Men (A Musial)
Overall Team winners	Junior Women

1983

Old Pool Championships

Rescue & Releases	Men (J R McClelland)
Rescue Race	Women (Y Barry)

Old Beach Carnival at Tallebudgera Creek (20.2.83)

March Past	
Beach Sprint	Senior Women (S Camp) Junior Men (R Drysdale) Junior Women (B Drysdale)
Beach Flags	Junior Men (P Barry) Junior Women (J Skinner)
Beach Relay	Senior Men (M Kirkup, A Musial, G Palmer & S Skinner) Senior Women (Y Barry, C Camp, D Camp, L Madden) Junior Men (P Barry, R Drysdale, A Musial & S Pearl)
Ski Race	Junior Men (S Pearl)
Beach Resuscitation	Men (M Kirkup, G Palmer, S Skinner & A Musial) Women (J Skinner, E Madden, Y Barry & J Draper)
Team Distance Swim	Women (Y Barry, C Camp, J Draper & T Rainbow)
Individual Distance Swim	Men (A Smith)
Overall Team winners	Overall Team Senior Women Junior Men

1984

Old Beach Carnival at Budds Beach, Surfers Paradise (4.3.84)

March Past	
Beach Resuscitation	Men Women
Belt Race	Men
Distance Swim	Junior Men (D Noonan)
Beach Flags	Men (A Musial)
Beach Relay	Senior Men Junior Men Senior Women Junior Men

1985

Old Beach Carnival at Bulcock Beach (3.3.85)

Beach Resuscitation	Men
Junior Beach Sprint	Women (I Koch)
Open Beach Flags	Men (A Musial)
Junior Beach Flags	Women (M Skinner)
Open Beach Relay	Men
Junior Beach Relay	Men

Overall Team winners Open Men
Junior Men

1986

Qld Pool Championships

Medley Swim	Senior Women (J Baxter) Junior Men (B Kells)
Swim and Tow	Senior Women (J Baxter) Junior Men (B Kells)
Weighted Line and Throw	Senior Women (Y Barry) Junior Men (S Conway)
Qld Cup	Senior Baxter (J Baxter) Junior Men (B Kells)
Initiative Test	Senior Women (J Baxter)
Qld Champion	Senior Women (Y Barry) Junior Men (Kells)

Qld Beach Carnival

U16 Beach Relay Men

1987

Qld Pool Championships

Individual Champion	Women (J Baxter)
Medley Swim	Women (J Baxter)
Rope Throw	Women (J Baxter)
Qld Cup	Women (J Baxter)
Resuscitation	Women (J Baxter)
Escapes & Releases	Women (J Baxter)
Initiative Test	Women (J Baxter)

Qld Beach Carnival at Tallebudgera (22.2.87)

March Past	
Resuscitation	Men
Open Rescue Race	Women
Open Distance Swim	Women
Open Individual	Women
Open Paddleboard	Women (tie)
Open Ski Race	Men
Open Beach Flags	Men Women

All Age Combined Relay

1988

Qld Pool Championships

Individual Champion	Women (J Baxter)
Medley Swim	Women (J Baxter)
Qld Cup	Women (J Baxter)
Rescue & Resuscitation	Women (J Baxter)
Rescue Race	Women (J Baxter)
Initiative Test	Women (J Baxter)

Qld Beach Carnival at Tallebudgera (27.3.88)

March Past

Spinal Injury	Men
Resuscitation	Men
Open Ski Race	Men
Junior Rescue Race	Men
Junior Paddle Board	Men
Junior Beach Sprint	Men
Senior Beach Flags	Men
	Women
Junior Beach Flags	Men
Cadet Beach Flags	Men
Senior Beach Relay	Men
	Women
Junior Beach Relay	Men

1992

Invitation carnival at Bulcock Beach (12.4.92)

(Due to last beach carnival being held on 27.3.88)

March Past

Resuscitation	Women
Senior Paddle Board	Men
Junior Paddle Board	Men
	Women

Senior Beach Relay Men (S Johnson, M Rieken, S Conway & J Tylor)

Junior Beach Relay Men (M Schneider, S Shaw, J Tylor & P Rieken)

1993

Old Pool Initiative Carnival

Overall Junior winner Men

Old Beach Carnival

March Past

Spinal Injury	Men
	Women

1995

Bay Rescue Beach Carnival at Coochie Mudlo Island

Open Ski Race	Women (C Morris)
Open Beach Relay	Mixed (M Skinner, C Morris, S Roberts & R Gill)
Open Beach Sprints	Women (M Skinner)
Open Beach Flags	Women (M Skinner)
Open Tube Rescue	Men (S Roberts & R Gill)
Open Ironwomen	Women (C Morris)

1996

Old Pro-Am Lifeguard Championships

200m Freestyle with Obstacles

Under 16 Men (B O'Shea)

Over 30 Men (G Reinbott)

12m Line Throw

Over 30 Men (G Reinbott)

100m Maniken Rescue with Fins

Under 16	Men (B O'Shea)
Over 30	Women (M Little)
100m Rescue Race	
Under 16	Men (B O'Shea)
Over 30	Women (M Little)
200m Individual Medley	
Under 16	Men (B O'Shea)
Over 30	Men (G Reinbott)

1997

Old Pro-Am Lifeguard Championships

12m Line Throw	
Over 30	Men (G Reinbott)
100m Manikin Rescue with Fins	
Over 30	Men (G Reinbott)
100m Rescue Race	
Over 30	Men (G Reinbott)
200m Individual Medley	
Over 30	Men (G Reinbott)

1998

Inter-Club Pool Challenge

12m Line Throw	Men (M Schneider)
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1999

Inter-Club Pool Challenge

12m Line Throw	Men (M Schneider)
4x50m Rescue Relay	Men (R Spraggon, M Schneider, B O'Shea & T Trombetta)

2000

Pro-Am Lifeguard Championships

200m Freestyle with Obstacles	
Over 30	Women (J Baxter-Reid)

2002

Pro-Am Lifeguard Championships

50m Manikin Tow	
Over 30	Women (J Baxter-Reid)

Inter-Club World Championships (Florida)

Line Rescue-Men	Gold medal (R Reid & S Kelly)
Line Rescue-Women	Gold Medal (J Baxter-Reid & R Crack)
Emergency Response-Men	Bronze Medal (R Reid & S Kelly)
Emergency Response-Women	Bronze Medal (J Baxter-Reid & R Crack)

Brighton Cup

Women's team drill pool Rescue & Resuscitation Competition

1959/60

1960/61

1961/62

1962/63

1963/64

1964/65

1965/66

1966/67

1973/74 (final year)

Dean Cup

Men's team drill pool Rescue & Resuscitation Competition

1961/62

1962/63

1963/64

1964/65

1965/66

1966/67

1967/68

1972/73

1973/74 (final year)

G L Jones Shield

For the highest number of awards in an affiliated club

1959/60

1960/61

1961/62

1962/63

1982/83

1984/85

1991/92

1992/93

1993/94

1994/95

1995/96

2003/04

Players Cup

For senior women's club team competition

1961/62

1962/63

Heileg Cup

For junior women's club team competition

1961/62

1972/73

Queensland Team Members

1954 Australian Championships – Hobart

Bruce Campbell (Manager)
George Marr (Instructor & Captain)
John Cooley
Barry Daley
Daryl Payne
Cec Webster

1956 Australian Championships – Melbourne

Bruce Campbell (Manager & Instructor)
George Marr

1961 Australian Championships – Hobart

Henry Buckland
Danny Cook
Lorraine Jay
Lyn Kingston
George Marr (Instructor & Manager)
Lindsay Logan
Phil Rallings
Denise Venning
Ross Venning (Captain)

1963 Australian Championships – Sydney

Tom Brodie
Robert Brumley
Lyn Kingston
Noel Reynolds
Denise Venning
Christopher Wight

1965 Australian Championships – Adelaide

Tom Brodie
Robert Morris
Alan Newcombe
Lyn Puller (Captain)
Noel Reynolds (Captain)
Judy Streek
Brian Trevethan
Denise Venning

1967 Australian Championships – Perth

G Brewster
Tom Brodie
Robert Brumley
Robert Morris (Instructor)
Alan Newcombe
Lyn Puller

- Denise Venning (Captain)
Kathy Wilson
- 1969 Australian Championships – Melbourne
G Brewster
Robert Brumley
Alan Newcombe
- 1979 Australian Championships – Perth
Carol Stinson
- 1981 Australian Championships – Melbourne
James McClelland
- 1983 Australian Championships – Brisbane
Jeannie Baxter (selected for Australian team)
James McClelland
John Venning
- 1985 Australian Championships – Hobart
Jeannie Baxter
John Venning
- 1987 Australian Championships – Alice Springs
Jeannie Baxter
John Venning
- 1988 Australian Championships – Canberra
Jeannie Baxter
- 1989 Australian Championships – Adelaide
Jeannie Baxter
- 1991 Australian Championships – Perth
Donna Camp
- 1996 Australian Championships – Townsville
Russell Green (Manager)
Glyn Reinbolt
- 1997 Australian Championships – Adelaide
Russell Green (Manager)
- 1998 Australian Championships – Melbourne
Russell Green (Manager)
- 1999 Australian Championships – Perth
Russell Green (Manager)
- 2000 Australian Championships – Wollongong

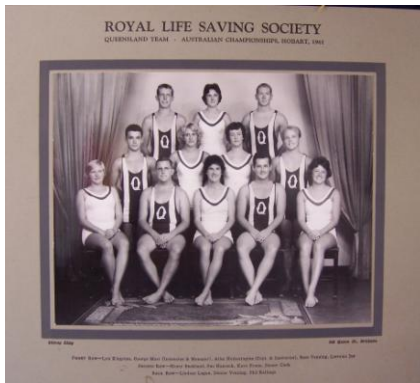
Russell Green (Manager)
 Jeannie Baxter-Reid

2001 Australian Championships – Noosa
 Russell Green (Coach)
 Jeannie Baxter-Reid

2002 Australian Championships – Melbourne
 Russell Green (Coach)

2003 Australian Championships – Hobart
 Russell Green (Coach)

2004 Australian Championships – Sydney
 Russell Green (Coach)



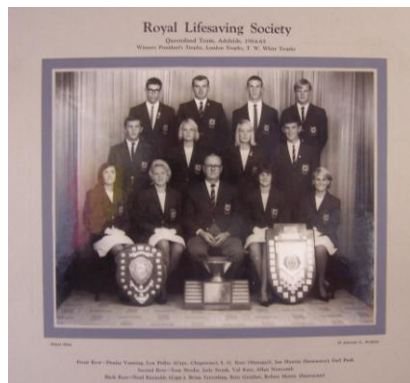
Aust Champ Hobart 1961



Aust Champ Perth 1967



*1967 Team winners of President's Trophy,
 London Trophy, TW White Trophy &
 Soden Shield*



*Aust Champ Adelaide 1965
 winners of President's Trophy, London Trophy
 TW White Trophy*

Club Office Bearers

<u>POSITION:</u>	<u>PATRON</u>
1954	Joe A Venning
1954/55	Joe A Venning
1955/56	Joe A Venning
1956/57	Joe A Venning
1957/58	Joe A Venning
1958/59	Joe A Venning
1959/60	Joe A Venning
1960/61	Joe A Venning
1961/62	Joe A Venning
1962/63	Joe A Venning
1963/64	Joe A Venning
1964/65	Joe A Venning
1965/66	Joe A Venning
1966/67	Joe A Venning
1967/68	Joe A Venning
1968/69	Joe A Venning
1969/70	Joe A Venning
1970/71	Joe A Venning
1971/72	Joe A Venning
1972/73	Joe A Venning
1973/74	John Keating
1974/75	James Smith
1975/76	James Smith
1976/77	James Smith
1977/78	James Smith
1978/79	James Smith
1979/80	Brian Davis MLA
1980/81	Brian Davis MLA
1981/82	Brian Davis MLA
1982/83	Brian Davis MLA
1983/84	Brian Davis MLA
1984/85	Brian Davis MLA
1985/86	Ald Joe St Ledger
1986/87	Ken Bacon
1987/88	Ken Bacon
1988/89	Mike Ahern MLA
1989/90	Mike Ahern MLA
1990/91	(none appointed)
1991/92	Joan M Sheldon MLA
1992/93	Joan M Sheldon MLA
1993/94	Joan M Sheldon MLA
1994/95	Joan M Sheldon MLA
1995/96	Joan M Sheldon MLA
1996/97	Joan M Sheldon MLA
1997/98	Joan M Sheldon MLA
1998/99	Joan M Sheldon MLA
1999/00	Joan M Sheldon MLA
2000/01	Joan M Sheldon MLA
2001/02	Joan M Sheldon MP
2002/03	Joan M Sheldon MP
2003/04	Rodney J Welford MP

POSITION:**PRESIDENT**

1954	George A Marr
1954/55	George A Marr
1955/56	George A Marr
1956/57	George A Marr
1957/58	George A Marr
1958/59	George A Marr
1959/60	George A Marr
1960/61	George A Marr
1961/62	George A Marr
1962/63	George A Marr
1963/64	George A Marr
1964/65	George A Marr
1965/66	George A Marr
1966/67	Lewis W Maguire
1967/68	Lindsay Logan (J Ellis res 21.6.68)
1968/69	W Diggles (L Logan res 7.4.69)
1969/70	W Diggles
1970/71	Alan Perry
1971/72	Alan Perry
1972/73	Alan Perry
1973/74	Alan Perry
1974/75	Alan H Wade
1975/76	Alan H Wade
1976/77	Robert J Stinson
1977/78	Robert J Stinson
1978/79	Robert J Stinson
1979/80	Robert J Stinson
1980/81	Robert J Stinson
1981/82	Robert J Stinson
1982/83	John M McClelland (R Stinson res .5.83)
1983/84	John M McClelland
1984/85	John M McClelland
1985/86	John M McClelland
1986/87	John M McClelland
1987/88	John M McClelland
1988/89	Anthony J Barry
1989/90	Anthony J Barry
1990/91	Anthony J Barry
1991/92	Bryan P Morris
1992/93	Bryan P Morris
1993/94	Scott M Conway
1994/95	Maria Skinner (S Conway res 29.1.95)
1995/96	Maria Brandt (nee Skinner)
1996/97	Trevor Rieken
1997/98	Trevor Rieken
1998/99	Trevor Rieken
1999/00	Trevor Rieken
2000/01	Helen Morris
2001/02	Helen Morris
2002/03	Helen Morris
2003/04	Helen Morris

POSITION:**DEPUTY PRESIDENT**

1954	
1954/55	
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1960/61	
1961/62	
1962/63	
1963/64	Lewis W Maguire
1964/65	R E Venning
1965/66	R E Venning
1966/67	R Morris
1967/68	A Newcombe (R Morris res 21.1.68)
1968/69	W Diggles
1969/70	L Logan
1970/71	William Quinn
1971/72	William Quinn
1972/73	William Quinn
1973/74	Terry Legg
1974/75	Robert J Stinson
1975/76	Robert J Stinson
1976/77	Alan H Wade
1977/78	Alan H Wade
1978/79	John M McClelland
1979/80	John M McClelland
1980/81	John M McClelland
1981/82	John M McClelland
1982/83	John M McClelland
1983/84	Jack Camp
1984/85	Anthony J Barry
1985/86	Anthony J Barry
1986/87	Anthony J Barry
1987/88	Anthony J Barry
1988/89	Stephen R Skinner
1989/90	Stephen R Skinner
1990/91	Bryan P Morris
1991/92	Anthony J Barry
1992/93	Anthony J Barry
1993/94	Maria Skinner
1994/95	Glynn Reinbott (M Skinner res 29.1.95)
1995/96	Trevor Rieken (John Rayner res 16.12.95)
1996/97	Scott Conway
1997/98	Kerry P McClelland (Russell Green res 24.11.97)
1998/99	Kerry P McClelland
1999/00	Helen Morris
2000/01	Trevor Rieken
2001/02	Trevor Rieken
2002/03	Trevor Rieken
2003/04	Trevor Rieken

POSITION:**SECRETARY**

1954	John Cooley
1954/55	
1955/56	
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1957/58	
1958/59	
1959/60	
1960/61	
1961/62	George Ratcliffe
1962/63	
1963/64	Denise C Venning
1964/65	Denise C Venning
1965/66	R Grant
1966/67	R Grant
1967/68	G Gammon (R Grant res 21.1.68)
1968/69	W Diggles (G Gammon res 7.4.68)
1969/70	George Ratcliffe
1970/71	J B Day
1971/72	J B Day
1972/73	Alan H Wade
1973/74	Alan H Wade
1974/75	John M McClelland
1975/76	John M McClelland
1976/77	Carol-Ann Stinson
1977/78	Jack Camp
1978/79	Jack Camp
1979/80	Jack Camp
1980/81	Jack Camp
1981/82	Jack Camp
1982/83	Jack Camp
1983/84	Jan Rainbow
1984/85	Jan Rainbow
1985/86	Bronwyn A McClelland
1986/87	Bronwyn A McClelland
1987/88	Bronwyn A McClelland
1988/89	Yvette P Skinner
1989/90	Scott M Conway
1990/91	Lynda J Dotti
1991/92	Helen A Morris
1992/93	Helen A Morris
1993/94	Michael L Johnston
1994/95	Helen A Morris
1995/96	John Brandt (K O'Connell res 5.12.95)
1996/97	Kerry P McClelland
1997/98	Paul A Barry (S Miller res 20.9.97, R Green res 24.11.97)
1998/99	Lynda Barry
1999/00	Natasha Selwood
2000/01	Natasha Selwood
2001/02	Sarah Dahm
2002/03	Mathew Schneider
2003/04	Mathew Schneider

POSITION:

TREASURER

1954	
1954/55	
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1959/60	
1960/61	
1961/62	
1962/63	
1963/64	P Baker
1964/65	P Baker
1965/66	P Baker
1966/67	P Baker
1967/68	N Reynolds
1968/69	E W (Ben) Williams
1969/70	E W (Ben) Williams
1970/71	E W (Ben) Williams
1971/72	E W (Ben) Williams
1972/73	E W (Ben) Williams
1973/74	E W (Ben) Williams
1974/75	E W (Ben) Williams
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1977/78	E W (Ben) Williams
1978/79	E W (Ben) Williams
1979/80	E W (Ben) Williams
1980/81	E W (Ben) Williams
1981/82	E W (Ben) Williams
1982/83	E W (Ben) Williams
1983/84	James R McClelland
1984/85	James R McClelland
1985/86	James R McClelland
1986/87	James R McClelland
1987/88	James R McClelland
1988/89	James R McClelland
1989/90	James R McClelland
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1992/93	James R McClelland
1993/94	James R McClelland
1994/95	James R McClelland
1995/96	James R McClelland
1996/97	James R McClelland
1997/98	James R McClelland
1998/99	Paul A Barry
1999/00	Paul A Barry
2000/01	Paul A Barry
2001/02	Paul A Barry
2002/03	Paul A Barry
2003/04	Paul A Barry

POSITION:**CLUB CAPTAIN**

1954		
1954/55		
1955/56		
1956/57		
1957/58		
1958/59		
1959/60		
1960/61		
1961/62		
1962/63		
1963/64	Denise C Venning	& C Whight
1964/65	Denise C Venning	& T Rapley
1965/66	Robin Grant	& T Rapley
1966/67	Denise C Venning	& T Rapley
1967/68	Darelle Stubbs	& Lindsay Logan
1968/69	Darelle Stubbs	& A Newsombe
1969/70	Elizabeth Diggles	& John M McClelland
1970/71	J Sheppard	& John M McClelland
1971/72	A Outrim	& John M McClelland
1972/73	Narelle Wade	& John M McClelland
1973/74	Janet Robson	& John M McClelland
1974/75	Carol-Ann Stinson	& Graham Leadle
1975/76	Carol-Ann Stinson	& James R McClelland
1976/77	Sue Hodges (R Newnam res 7.11)	& James R McClelland
1977/78	Carol-Ann Stinson	& James R McClelland
1978/79	Carol-Ann Stinson	& James R McClelland
1979/80	B A McClelland (C Stinson res 7.12)&	Peter Bell
1980/81	Bronwyn A McClelland	
1981/82	Nicola Cox	
1982/83	Stephen R Skinner	
1983/84	Stephen R Skinner	
1984/85	Stephen R Skinner	
1985/86	Stephen R Skinner	
1986/87	Stephen Pearl	
1987/88	Paul A Barry	
1988/89	Paul A Barry	
1989/90	Scott M Conway	
1990/91	Scott M Conway	
1991/92	Scott M Conway (P Hudson res 19.1.92)	
1992/93	Cliff Rix (S M Conway res 18.1.93)	
1993/94	Cliff Rix	
1994/95	Mark Rieken (C Rix res 21.11.94)	
1995/96	Scott M Conway (G Reinbott res 15.12.95)	
1996/97	Scott M Conway	
1997/98	Robert Spraggon	
1998/99	Robert Spraggon	
1999/00	Mathew Schneider	
2000/01	Brendan O'Shea (R Spraggon res)	
2001/02	Mathew Schneider	
2002/03	John Kleinschafer	
2003/04	Paul Barry	

POSITION:**CHIEF INSTRUCTOR**

1954	George Marr
1954/55	George Marr
1955/56	George Marr
1956/57	George Marr
1957/58	George Marr
1958/59	George Marr
1959/60	George Marr
1960/61	George Marr
1961/62	George Marr
1962/63	George Marr
1963/64	George Marr
1964/65	Ross Venning
1965/66	Robert Morris
1966/67	R Grant
1967/68	Wendy Ratcliffe (E Diggles res 7.4.68, R Grant res 21.1.68)
1968/69	Lindsay Logan
1969/70	Darelle Stubbs
1970/71	John M McClelland
1971/72	John M McClelland
1972/73	Terry Legg
1973/74	Terry Legg
1974/75	John M McClelland
1975/76	John M McClelland
1976/77	John M McClelland
1977/78	John M McClelland
1978/79	Colin Connell
1979/80	James R McClelland
1980/81	James R McClelland
1981/82	James R McClelland
1982/83	James R McClelland
1983/84	James R McClelland
1984/85	James R McClelland
1985/86	Bronwyn A McClelland
1986/87	Yvette P Barry (S Skinner res)
1987/88	Scott M Conway (Y Barry res)
1988/89	Paul A Barry
1989/90	Paul A Barry
1990/91	Stephen R Skinner
1991/92	Scott M Conway
1992/93	Scott M Conway
1993/94	Scott M Conway
1994/95	Shane Roberts
1995/96	Shane Roberts (res 15.4.96)
1996/97	Salina Currie
1997/98	Mathew Schneider (G Cotterill res 2.2.98, S Currie res 4.11.97)
1998/99	Mathew Schneider (T Luik res 15.2.99)
1999/00	Salina Currie
2000/01	Tami Luik
2001/02	Jeanie Baxter-Reid
2002/03	Scott M Conway
2003/04	Scott M Conway

Current (2003/2004 season) Office Bearers

Patron: Hon Rodney Welford MP
Vice Patrons: Mayor Don Aldous
Mr John McClelland AM SM, CRLSSA

President: Mrs Helen Morris *
Deputy President: Mr Trevor Rieken *
Secretary: Mr Mathew Schneider *
Treasurer: Mr Paul Barry *
Club Captain: Mr Paul Barry *
Chief Instructor: Mr Scott Conway *

Registrar/Recorder: Mrs Helen Morris
Clubhouse Director: Mr Jeffrey Phillips
Gear Steward: Mr Mark Rieken
Club Vice Captains: Ms Lesley Brook
Mr Scott Conway
Deputy Chief Instructor: Ms Tracey James
Communication Officer: Mr Jeffrey Phillips
Publicity Officer: Mr Mark Rieken
Co-ordinator of Junior activities: Mr Paul Barry
Registrar of Junior activities: Mrs Lynda Barry

Elected Committee Members: Mr Robert Stinson CRLSSA
Ms Sally Mitchell
Mrs Lynda Barry

Vice Presidents: Mr Les Mole
Mr Stuart Cordingley
Mrs Joan Sheldon MP
Cr Tim Dwyer

* Management Committee members.

Appendices

Pictorial Ithaca Pool



1910



1942



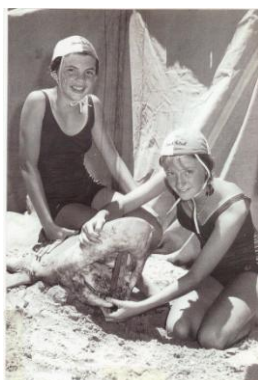
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Pictorial 1950s/1960s



Roslyn McLay, Florence Lindberg & Judy Borck at Scott's Point Carnival, early 1960s

Ruth Costello, Judy Borck, Kathleen Wilson, Florence Lindberg & Lucy Parsons, Scott's Point carnival, early 1960s.



Lucy Parsons & Judy Borck on patrol Bulcock Beach, with 7' 4'' shark caught off Bulcock beach, 23.12.61

Ross & Denise Venning, Qld Team members for Australian Championships in Hobart, January 1961





Darelle Stubbs

*First Clubhouse in Tripcony Park, Caloundra, 1961
Judy Borck, Anne McGrow, Laraine Weedon &
Lorraine Jay (seated)*



*Instructor Ada Ball with
(back row) Lesley Jones, Margaret McAuliffe,
Lorraine Borck, Denise Venning, Deirdre Patterson,
unknown,
(front row) Pam Hamilton, Leigh O'Callaghan, Judy
Borck & Florence Lindberg*









Pictorial 1970s/1980s

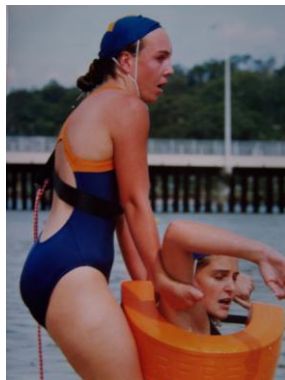








Pictorial 1990s/2000s







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