



Kirra Surf Club Old Boys Association

(Established 29th November 1978)



NEWSLETTER

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TICKETS AVAILABLE – GET IN EARLY FOR THAT SPECIAL NUMBER
Any assistance in selling and/or buying raffle tickets is much appreciated

Its On Again

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Car Raffle



**Win a
Toyota Yaris
Valued at
\$15,990**



\$125 tickets ~ only 199 to be sold

Drawn Sunday 3rd May 2020 at 4pm
Kirra Surf Club Supporters Bar
Marine Parade, Kirra
Complementary drinks for all ticket holders
present for draw from 3pm to 5pm

Vehicle supplied by:

Sci-Fleet Toyota



Tickets available now
Phone: Paul Cameron 0418 728 089
Mark Rogers 0411 511 511
Or Direct Deposit
BSB: 084 130
A/c: 448755954
& email your details to

Kirra Surf Club Old Boys Association
ABN: 66 429 080 066 email: kirra@kirraoldboys.com

Nominations: Honorary Life Member and Honorary Life Governor

Please be advised that the Kirra SLSC Meritorious Awards Committee is now seeking nominations for consideration in the membership categories of Honorary Life Member and Honorary Life Governor for the Kirra Surf Club's 2019/2020 year (*Established 7th January 1916*).

The nomination period will close at 5pm, Sunday 29th March 2020.... Late nominations will not be accepted by the Meritorious Awards Committee. Nomination forms for these membership categories are available on the Kirra Surf Club's website: www.kirrasurfclub.com.au

Completed Nomination Forms (signed) are to be forward and received prior to the closing date by the Chairperson, Kirra SLSC Meritorious Awards Committee: Email: kirra@kirraslsc.com

For further enquiries on the nomination process, please contact Kirra SLSC Honorary Life Member Liane Stanton (LM #72/2018) – Mob: 0421 903 661

Vale: Richard (Rick) Wortley



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Passing of former Kirra SLSC member – Richard (Rick) Wortley

It is our sad duty to inform of the recent passing of former Kirra Surf Life Saving Club member Rick Wortley. Rick was a member of the Surf Club from 1969 to 1974. He gained his Bronze Medallion in Surf Lifesaving (Q6939) on the 20th December 1969.

During his time as a Surf Club member, Rick was ever diligent in performing his rostered Beach Patrols. He always volunteered his personal time to assist in raising the necessary Surf Club finances either at pub raffles conducted in hotels located in Brisbane and at Kirra Beach; or participating at the annual House to House Collections held in Brisbane and Ipswich through the winter months.

Rick held the Kirra SLSC committee positions of Kitchen Director (1970/1971) and First Aid Officer (1973/1974). He was a member who could always be relied upon to be there, ever doing his best for his Surf Club. Rick was a recipient of the Kirra SLSC 'Most Will Worker' award for his generous support provided through the Surf Club's 1969/1970 season.

It is always sad to receive such advice on our past members..... Whenever possible, the Kirra Surf Club Old Boys Association will ensure that their time as members of Kirra SLSC is appropriately acknowledged.

Our deepest sympathies are offered to Rick Wortley's family for their sad loss.

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“A urgent plea for financial support for your Kirra Surf Life Saving Club”

The Kirra SLSC MASTER PLAN will provide the professional document, conceptual drawings and imagery to support the future refurbishment and expansion strategies of your Surf Club.

IT IS NOW TIME TO PROGRESS THE REDEVELOPMENT OF THE KIRRA CLUBHOUSE BUILDING AND OPERATIONAL LIFESAVING FACILITIES.

“A DONATION IN PART OR IN FULL (\$25,000) IS URGENTLY SOUGHT BY THE KIRRA SLSC TO PROGRESS THE SCOPE OF WORKS TO COMPLETE THE MASTER PLAN FOR THE FUTURE REFRUBISHMENT AND EXPANSION STRATEGIES OF THE KIRRA CLUBHOUSE”

For further information please contact Kirra SLSC Life Member Peter Beauchamp on Mobile: 0429 548 813 or Email: beechofamily4@tpg.com.au

Volunteerism: “The principal of donating one’s personal time and energy through providing support for the benefit of other people and/or an organisation within the community as a social responsibility rather than for any individual gain, reward or financial opportunity”.



FOR SALE – FOR SALE – FOR SALE

Given the popular demand for an Association ‘Polo Shirt’, the Committee has ordered further polo shirts for members at a price of **only \$30.00/shirt** that includes the embroidered Logo (see photo.... *foundation date: 29th November 1978*)..... FABRIC 50% Cotton inner, 50% Biz Cool Polyester pique outer, loose fit and a comfortable polo shirt to wear.... **Sizes currently available include: L; XL; and 2XL**

How to order your Association ‘Polo Shirt’:

Email your details including the number of shirts required and your preferred postal delivery address for your shirt/s to: kirra@kirraoldboys.com;

Direct Deposit: You can direct deposit \$30/shirt into the Association banking account: BSB: 084130; A/C: 448755954; Name: Kirra Surf Club Old Boys Association.



“Above: The Kirra Beach Pavilion constructed in 1935 has been the Kirra SLSC clubhouse for eighty-five (85) years. The Kirra Surf Club has made significant financial and in-kind contributions to the construction and maintenance of the building prior to its construction and continuously through to Year 2020 – the 104th year of the Kirra Surf Life Saving Club (Established 7th January 1916)”

Association’s progress with the Kirra Historical Project

The latest news.... At the Kirra Surf Club Management Committee meeting held on the 19th January 2019, those present supported the strategies (Business Case) submitted by the Kirra Surf Club Old Boys Association proposing to sponsor the Surf Club’s Historical Project. This Project includes the design concept, manufacture and location of new Kirra SLSC Honour Boards, Photograph Galleries, etc. The Business Case is available on the Kirra Surf Club website: www.kirrasurfclub.com.au

Progress to date by the Association Committee for the Project, includes:

- # Honorary Life Members and Club Patron Honour Boards (Completed);
- # Official unveiling ceremony and Life Members Reunion (Completed);
- # Australian Champions Honour Board (Research completed/Now with manufacturer);
- # Australian Champions ‘Photo Gallery’ (Research progressing and nearly finalised);
- # Remembering those Kirra members who served in defence of our country (Grant application completed and submitted to Canberra ACT for consideration)

‘Kirra Surf Life Saving Club – established on the 7th January 1916’

“Kirra SLSC is the second oldest surf lifesaving club in Queensland and one of the longest continuously operating surf lifesaving clubs in Australia”

2020 – ASSOCIATION CALENDAR OF EVENTS

DATE	EVENT	VENUE
Sunday 3 rd May 2020	Draw – Kirra Old Boys Car Raffle Complementary refreshments and fingerfood for ticket holders served between 3:00pm to 5:pm – Car Raffle draw commences at 4:00pm <i>Note: This is a long weekend - Monday being a Queensland Public Holiday</i>	Kirra Surf Club Bar/Bistro
Sunday 26 th July 2020	Annual Kirra Golf Day 24 player positions available – Tee off from 8:30am Green Fee - \$40 / Cart Hire - \$20/player (if required)	Coolangatta Tweed Heads Golf Club (West course)
Friday 28 th August 2020	Kirra Sports Luncheon 11:30am start and through to 3:30pm	Pineapple Hotel
Friday 20 th November 2020	Members Christmas Social Function/AGM 5:30pm arrival for a 6:00pm start	Pineapple Hotel
Sunday 27 th December 2020	Bumpo Freeman Remembrance Day <i>“A special day for all surf club members and families when we come together and remember those Kirra SLSC members and dear family who sadly are no longer with us – Lest we Forget”</i> Commencing from 3:30pm	Kirra Surf Club Bar/Bistro

Annual Kirra Golf Day – Game day bookings:



Dear Kirra Golf Game players,

Whilst Wynnum was the venue of choice, unfortunately our mate Greg Dunn was unable to book a Sunday date in mid-2020 for the annual Kirra Golf Game at the Wynnum Golf Club. Group bookings and pennants scheduling previously made several months ago for all Sundays at the club. (Email: From Wynnum Golf Pro Shop: Hi Greg, unfortunately none of those dates are available). However, Greg has booked two dates at the Wynnum Golf Club for a Sunday in July 2021 (Email: From Greg: To ensure we don't miss out in playing Wynnum in July 2021, I have booked July 3 & July 11)..... *“Thanks Greg for all your efforts – much appreciated!”*

Greg has also made a booking at the Coolangatta Tweed Heads Golf Club for Sunday 26th July 2020 for 24 players with tee off at 8:30am for this year's Golf Game. Further updates on the 2020 Kirra Golf Game will be provided in future Newsletters.



Hope you enjoyed this read..... Please share the Kirra Surf Club Old Boys Association – Newsletter with your circle of friends and work colleagues connected with and supporting our Kirra SLSC.....

Many thanks for your continuing support of the Association's Committee, your Association, and our Kirra Surf Life Saving Club.
Committee – Kirra Surf Club Old Boys Association
(Peter, Adam, Paul and Mark)

“Once a Kirra member – Always a Kirra member!”