

GOLD COAST MALIBU CLUB



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Next Club Round:

There will be no surfing in the December round as it is our Christmas Party (the second Saturday of Dec)! The next surfing club round will be on Sunday the 17th of January 2007. Meeting as usual at the Kirra Pizza Hut at 6 am QLD time.

Round Wrap up:

The decision was made quite quickly – 15mins (this would have to be a new record ☺), that we will surf the fabled waves of Rainbow Bay. For those of you that weren't able to make it, it was absolutely cracking 4 to 6 foot offshore and glassy all day with no one out. The reality was that Rainbow wasn't breaking all that great with a dropping tide and north to south sweep most surfers struggled to stay within cooe of the contest area. Having said that I think most people got a few waves and had a good time, lets face it, it beats the hell out of mowing the lawn or any of those other jobs which is on that never ending list that your better half has tattooed behind her eyelids so that just before you nod off to sleep she will conveniently remind you that you have not done them.

RESULTS:

I have absolutely no idea so stay tuned.

Annual General Meeting:

Yes, it was that time of year again you know the time of year when volunteers are requested and those not quick enough to step back with the others are our new club officials.

This year's unfortunate souls are as follows:

El Presidentia	Jacko
Secretary	Trea
Treasurer	Gerry
Newsletter	Dean
Contest Director	Neil
Tallier	Johnno
Trailer Steward	Wal
Soup Kitchen	Burger, Brett and Mike
Social Director	Sal (does anyone remember nominations being asked for social director? ☺)

The club and committee are only as strong as its members so don't be shy to lend your support to help these people make your club a success. A big thank you must be extended to the out going officials from last year without out them things would not have run as smoothly as you experienced.

Christmas Party:

This year's Christmas party / Presso will be held along side that of the Tweed Coast Old Mal Club's do. Saturday the 8th of December, at the Royal Chinderah Golf Club tee of will be at 1pm NSW time (12 midday QLD). The Presso will be at approximately 3 and wind up at about 5 so no one turns into a pumpkin, food and refreshments will be provided but in the words of our new social director "its not a marathon" this from a woman who struggled to make the beach for her heat in Scotts Head?

Other News:

We will get a photo of the Mal Leckie painting to circulate with the raffle tickets; this is to help support the children's ward at the Tweed Hospital. Sal our hard working social director has been in full swing again already booking a house for the Evans Head comp in 08. The "the green iguana" sleeps about 10 people depending how open minded you are? Sal is going to send a deposit but don't be slow in expressing your interest because it will fill quickly and you don't want to be the one sleeping with Wal, he flatulence problem in his sleep.

On a slightly somber note the Currumbin Longboard Club has dissolved Sal will speak with Sully and get back to you all when more of the facts are known. Also she as heard from about 8 people will be willing to joining our club please be nice and introduce yourself, talk slowly to these people as it may confuse them, don't mention their Tasmanian scar on their shoulder from the operation and make sure they unpack and pack your fair share of the trailer's equipment.

Jacko our new 'big um' chief suggested a retro division in our club rounds for next year. The guidelines have not yet been laid out so any and all input would be greatly appreciated – this is your chance to have a say don't miss it.

We've had some great coverage and responses for the Malfunction moving to Kingscliff. The Tweed Coast Old Mal Riders have been right all along who would a think it.

We will be chasing up club/malfunction footage for our 25th anniversary. Could all members let old heads know if they see them.

The Disabled Surfers Far North Coast, Surfers helping Surfers will be holding the 'Cocky Classic' at Kingcliff Main Beach on the Sunday the 9th of December. For those of you sharp enough to notice the date, it is the day after the Presso, so what better way to nurse those sore heads than a day at the beach helping others escape the challenges of their day to day lives and to enjoy the wonders of gliding effortlessly across the face of a wave. All interested parties are to be at the beach by 9am (assuming NSW time) for registration. For every participant they will need 6 volunteers so at this time of year don't be afraid to give a little time for these kids you never know they might just help you bring out your inner child! For any information please contact the Tweed Shire Rep - Peter Stanard 0438 580 537 or 5524 6390.

P.S They are even kind enough to put on some lunch for any volunteers.

The Last Word:

On my resent election to Newsletter Editor and Chief I spoke to my predecessors on what needs to be said and covered it each edition. Sadly I was not able to get much out of Gerry he was sitting some what dazed and confused as how he ended up in his new appointment of Head Bean Counter. Terry on the other hand took great delight in telling me how hard he had to make Shirl work to get it to Gerry in time to get it out on schedule. The only pointers I got out of

these guys was to include a form guide for the week ahead's racing and to question Bully's sexuality at every opportunity, the major problem I have with this is that I would never hear the brick coming. But alas I will try to live up to the high standard of the finely crafted literacy genius that flowed from the fingertips of these two masters. So in closing it is out with the old and in with the new. "Long live the King"

Until next time, may all your waves be uncrowded.

The Super 8's Scribe Dean

(this newsletter is complete drivel and should be believed at your own peril)