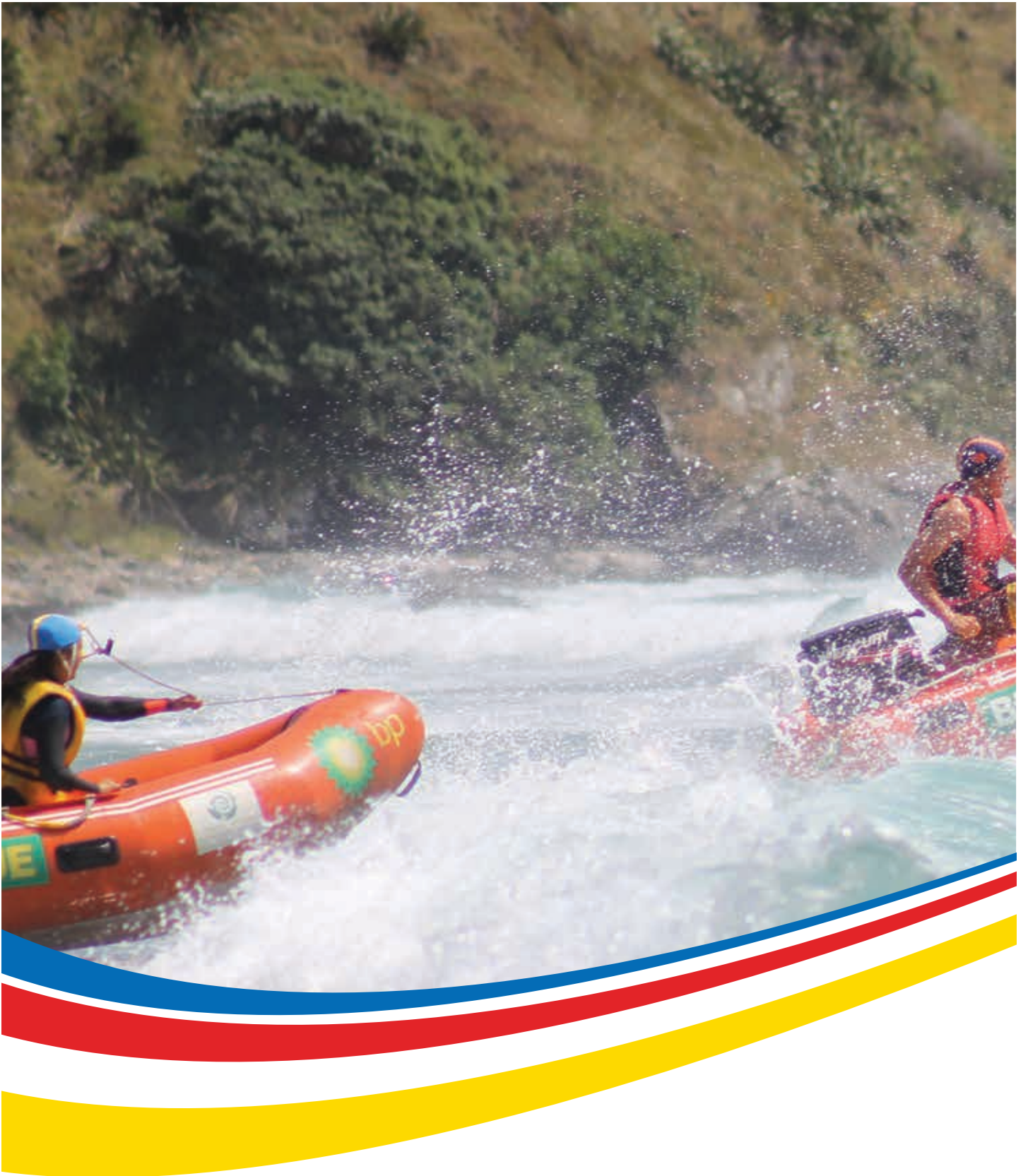




82nd Annual Report 2015



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Last summer, nearly **1,500** active lifeguards gave up their personal time to patrol our beaches for the safety of the public who flock to them. They put their lives on the line each weekend ensuring that the tens of thousands of people who enjoy our beaches leave with only happy memories of a day in the sun.

Lifesaving is in their blood—it's their passion. They are dedicated to keeping the public safe, committed to saving lives and even if sometimes they are the unsung heroes of the beach, they come back, weekend after weekend; **they are in it for life!**



Very real results...

454 Lives saved

33,398 Preventative actions (PA)

989 First-Aids

85,986 Hours on patrol

124,918 People involved in PA

201 Searches



Vision

Be the lead provider of water safety services on our beaches and coastlines.



Mission

Working to prevent drowning and injury on our beaches and coastlines.



Values

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| INTEGRITY: | We will act with sincerity in everything we do. |
| TRUST: | We will operate in an honest & truthful environment. |
| COURAGE: | We appreciate & will recognise the extraordinary skill and effort to save a life. |
| ATTITUDE: | We will undertake our responsibilities with a professional attitude & zest for life. |
| COMRADESHIP: | We will work as a team to be the best. |
| COMMITMENT: | We are dedicated to the safety & wellbeing of our members, clubs and the wider community. |
| TRADITION: | We will always look to move forward but we will never forget our past . |



Life Members

• Muriel Brown*	1957	• Buddy Lucas*	1991	• Bob Mercer	2010
• A. Pearce*	1961	• Valerie Walton	1991	• Dick (Richard) Pocock	2010
• Albie Veart*	1962	• Ross Malyon	1992	• Gareth Neilson	2011
• John Chapman*	1976	• John Thomas	1993	• Wayne Franich	2012
• Abbie Day*	1977	• Ian MacLaine	1994	• Stephen Pye	2012
• Eddie Millar*	1978	• Neil Reid	1995	• Patricia Reid	2012
• Bob Rogers*	1978	• Noel Kay	2000	• Warwick Bell	2013
• Bert McCarthy	1979	• Ian Hill	2003	• Christopher Parsons	2013
• Jim Ferguson*	1980	• Graeme Danks	2004	• Jim Coe	2013
• Denis Black	1981	• Neil Falloon*	2004	• Johnny Clough	2013
• Malcolm Beattie	1986	• Dennis Cooksley	2006	• Mark McCarthy	2014
• E. Wright*	1987	• Robert Ferguson	2008	• Stephen Smith	2014
• Roger Curtice	1989	• Murray Bray	2008	• Alan Franich	2015
• Bob Harvey	1990	• Timothy Jago	2010	• Stephen Butler	2015

* Deceased





Chairman's Report

Kia ora tátou,

I wish to thank our motivated staff for ensuring our portfolios and business units have been managed professionally. I thank our Board for challenging the status quo and having the fortitude and foresight to drive improvement. There have been a number of challenges however the correct outcomes have been achieved. We as a movement are always looking for improvement to our operations however this does come with different challenges when we are working with 17 clubs, finding common ground and implementing a model that is best for SLSNR, so I thank our clubs and club delegates for giving us the support to bring in models that improve what we do.

As you are all aware SLSNR has a new CEO. I know our CEO is looking forward to working with NR staff, our board, clubs and members moving into summer, looking at our business model, systems and programmes to ensure SLSNR is operating the best it can be. As always we review our business strategic plan and work towards financial stability.

SLSNR has many things on the go. You would have all seen the new Health and Safety Reform Act 2016. The board, clubs and volunteers are captured in the new rules. We all

need to get our head around this and implement. Our new radio network project is on track for implementation before our season starts. Clubs have been getting many updates on this. I thank our working party for delivering this on time and at no cost to clubs. The review of our ARAFB future options and already in progress is our constitution review.

The SLSNR AGM is on the 30th September which will require clubs making informed decisions on the people they want to represent SLSNR over the next year or two. SLSNR is in a good place and we will go into our AGM in a strong position

Those that attended had a great night at the 2015 Toyota Financial Services SLSNR Awards of Excellence. There were something like 400 clubbies in attendance. It's great to be part of a movement with so many fantastic people involved. Congratulations to all the clubs and recipients of the different awards.

We have continued to see our membership recruitment maintained, and continuous review of development and delivery of the essential programs that support our clubs, members and most importantly clubs are well set up with essential lifesaving equipment. However we need to be aware of the growing and diversifying population of our region. Our nipper programme is a fantastic success story with most clubs having large numbers of 7 to 14 year olds. The challenge will be to integrate them into our patrols.

SLSNR will continue with constitutional and governance independence. The SLSNR board is very clear we will protect SLSNR assets, be in charge of our own destiny and protect our ability to plan for an increasingly complex and demanding future. However we will always align and work with SLSNZ to

enhance Surf Lifesaving New Zealand nationally on national arrangements and common governance work or issues.

I would also like to formally thank our sponsors and funders who have supported us over the past season and over the past years. As the population we serve in the Northern Region continues its significant rate of growth and associated diversity, the importance of your support also grows.

On behalf of the Board of Surf Life Saving Northern Region, I would like to express our gratitude for the dedication,

participation of our CEO, board, SLSNR staff and our volunteers patrolling our beaches whose sense of duty defines us as a movement.

Peter Brown
President/Chairman





CEO's Report

It is with great pleasure that I present this annual report for Surf Life Saving Northern Region, and am able to reflect back on a year in which the organisation has experienced some significant changes and notable successes.

Although I have only been in the role for a short time I have had the privilege of looking back over the past twelve months and seeing how our results attest that we truly are a leading provider of water safety services in the Northern Region.

Increased demands continue to be put upon our movement as we are faced with a rapidly growing population in our region recreating on the water in greater numbers and differently than ever before. Our patrol statistics for 2014/2015 demonstrate the importance of and our continued ability to provide the very best lifeguards overseeing our beaches and coastline. This year our frontline surf lifeguards patrolled for over 85,000 hours, conducted 454 rescues, administered first aid to 989 people, were involved in 201 searches and recorded 33,398 preventable actions. As importantly as this we provided a means for our community to enjoy and recreate at our favourite playground – the flagged area.

We understand that as our population changes so do the coastal locations they chose to frequent. We continue to evaluate where we are most valuable to be to ensure that the community are able to enjoy our beautiful beaches and coastlines safe in the knowledge that we are there to prevent and protect when called upon.

Success is of course not just restricted to what we do in the lifesaving space, our education goal this year was to spread our surf safety messages to yet unreached children throughout the region. This was achieved through our Beach Education and City Nippers programmes experiencing 48% growth in participants combined. We know that prevention is better than the cure and as such are steadfast in our belief

that education is a powerful and efficient tool in addressing our sectors water safety goals. This will be a major focus for us over the coming year as we conduct a full review of the education space in order to improve our impact in the future.

Surf sport is an important component to a large portion of our membership and is also the vehicle in which we attract juniors, our future lifeguards, into clubs. The event management team and officials continue to do a fantastic job and as a consequence our athletes benefit from the ability to participate in well run carnivals and championship events. This prepares them extremely well for national and international events. The success of many of our athletes who have gained selection into New Zealand Performance Squads and the New Zealand Black Fins is evidence that our sport programme structure is working and producing top performers.

A highlight of the year was our ability to progress with the Surf 10:20 project thanks to Auckland Council's strong support of our Long Term Plan submission. This has now allowed cornerstone funding of \$1.6m to gradually flow through to the Auckland clubs over the next three years. This is an exciting project that will help future proof the Auckland clubs facilities for years to come.

While our mandate continues to increase and the importance of continued funding to deliver our services is paramount, I'm pleased to report that this year's financial management ensures that we are in a healthy position going into 2015/2016.

Having a dedicated Grants Officer is helping our cause with overall gaming grants going up by \$83,000 compared to last year which enables us to progress projects outside of the business as usual activities. I would like to say a special thank you to Trillian Trust, Foundation North, NZCT, Pub Charity, Lion Foundation, North and South Trust, Pelorus Trust and Maurice Paykel Charitable Trust for their ongoing belief and support of lifesaving in the Northern Region.

We understand the importance of building stronger relationships with local and regional councils and we are pleased to say that this has been an area of focus throughout the year. Auckland Council through the Auckland Regional Amenities Funding Board continues to fund us to provide our services in Auckland and we are using this model as best practice to work with the Northland Regional Council and Waikato Regional Council. It goes without saying that the support from local and regional councils is critical to us and we are thankful for their ongoing support so that we can keep our communities safe on the beaches and coastlines.

The funding we received from Foundation North, ARAFA, NLS Trust and the Annual Appeal has enabled us to increase our distribution to clubs from \$699,531 in 2013/2014 to \$720,243 this year. This is a huge undertaking and means that our clubs can focus on delivering exceptional lifeguarding services while we work on their behalf to ensure they have the appropriate funds.

Efforts to generate new commercial and non-commercial partnerships were a major focus this year and we are fortunate to have Harcourts as our Primary Sponsor. We are confident that our brand association is a benefit but we are now looking at how we can better leverage that partnership and create more value with our seventeen member clubs.

Our ongoing relationship with Toyota Financial Services and the mission critical vehicles that they provide our team is invaluable to us. We rely on the Toyota vehicles to achieve our strategic priorities in lifesaving, education, sport and club sustainability and wish to thank the team at Toyota Financial Services for their support.

As I am writing this with three months under my belt I can only stand back and appreciate the excellent work done by the SLSNR staff during 2014/2015. In a year of change and uncertainty the focus and commitment of the staff to keep delivering on the strategic priorities is to be admired. I would like to congratulate the staff for a great year and assure the

community that we have a great team of professionals who are geared up for the coming season.

I also think it is important to extend thanks and gratitude to the volunteers who put their hands up this year to work on our standing and operating committees. Our mantra is 'volunteer led; professionally managed' and the various committee members are testament to that. These committees continue to tackle the important issues and give their valuable time this year to discuss, debate and provide solutions that have helped our organisation succeed. Thank you for your commitment.

I would also like to thank Peter Brown and the Board who have provided direction, leadership and support to the organisation which has been instrumental in successfully negotiating the past twelve months.

I am confident that with strong leadership and continued dedication and commitment of everyone in the movement that next year will be even more successful than the last.



Kenny Halliday
Chief Executive Officer



Lifesaving Report

Over the course of the 2014/15 patrolling season, Surf Life Saving Northern Region (SLSNR) and its clubs strived to reduce drowning rates within our community; creating safe recreation at our region's favourite playground. Pleasingly, our end of year statistics show that through our good work and the safer environment we have created, the public are accessing our patrolled coastal areas in record numbers. This has certainly been one of the warmest summers on record and has led to substantial growth across all key lifesaving metrics and statistics SLSNR measures. This, coupled with the continual population growth of Auckland, Waikato and Northland, will see an increasing strain on our resources and members and we must be careful to manage this over time.

The Lifesaving Operational Committee (LOC) has made some important progress in a number of key areas this season that will continue to set the Region up for success in the coming years in the lifesaving portfolio.

Work has almost completed on the Radio Network narrow-banding project. The LOC would like to acknowledge the work done by the Radio Network Working Party and the tireless work put in by key SLSNR staff members. The Radio Network is a key component of an effective emergency service and the LOC looks forward to moving quickly to the second stage of this project.

Implementation of the Support Services Review continues and the planned expansion of the Regional Water Craft (RWC) programme plays a major part in this. Two main goals for this coming season are to have the RWC Award nationally

recognised, while actively engaging the Northland community to ensure the sustainable use of an RWC in the Bream Bay area. Ultimately, both of these items will aid in our ultimate mission of preventing drowning and injury on our beaches and coastlines.

The LOC was excited to see the growth in the Patrol Championship event in 2015. We will continue to work with clubs in order to grow this event, as we see it as a great opportunity for all to test themselves against the top lifeguards in the region. Clearly the event benefitted from being held earlier in the season, and we look forward to extending the event to having more than 12 clubs competing. It is a great way for clubs to build guard lifesaving skills in a competition type environment. Congratulations to Mairangi Bay for not only winning this event, but also taking out Best Patrolled Beach at our recent Awards of Excellence.

A massive piece of work that started in 2015 and will continue into 2016 is the creation and update of our Policy and Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) documents to ensure clubs have guides for best practice in lifesaving operations. While this is not the most glamorous job, it is something that has great importance as we move with the times and create a safe environment for our lifeguards.

I would like to take this time to thank the Lifesaving Manager David Butt and the current members of the LOC for their continuing hard work on a number of projects. The LOC is lucky to have a key staff member like David and the continued input from clubs spread across the region, which gives us a greater depth of understanding of the lifesaving needs for the entire region. Lindsay, Leif, Lauren, Matt and Tara's strong principals and beliefs have put our organization first; their passion and enthusiasm will see Northern Region move from strength to strength.



Simon Bell
Chair
Lifesaving Operational Committee

SUMMARY OF PATROL STATISTICS FOR SELECTED SEASON

	Total Hours worked	Number of Rescues	Number of First Aids	Number of Searches	Number of Preventatives	Number of People Involved
Central Region	42,449	250	510	29	27,313	51,829
Eastern Region	64,223	487	605	89	40,132	245,943
Northern Region	85,986	454	989	201	33,398	124,918
Southern Region	30,275	137	238	26	15,156	36,866
SLSNZ	222,934	1,328	2,342	345	115,999	459,556



Sport Report

With the 2014-15 season well past we reflect on a successful year in terms of event delivery and athlete participation and capability. With all events run in favourable conditions, this gave our event management team and officials a good base to work off and deliver a full array of events for our athletes to ply their skills.

First local event and always at the end of winter was the Harcourts Northern Region Pool Champs.

With 245 entries this event still attained good numbers despite being held after the SLSNZ Pool Champs which were moved to accommodate the timing of Rescue '14 (ILS World Championships) in France.

The Whangamata Classic with 660 entries is now the third largest carnival in New Zealand, and the largest single day event on the sport calendar. A huge undertaking by Northern but valuable as it has proven its worth and need, reflected by the large number of athletes that attend from around the North Island.

This season saw the Harcourts Northern Region IRB Champs run on its own date. Usually this event has been run over the same weekend as the Regional Champs.

The event was hosted by Waipu, with 22 Crew entries in total. Eight Northern Region Clubs took part in the event and two out of Region Clubs; Waihi and St Clair. Competition was tight with the top three Clubs only separated by 8 points. Sunset Beach took out the overall Club Points for the event.

The Harcourts Northern Region Champs were once again hosted by Ruakaka. Just under 500 competitors participated and this included 84 Masters. This event clashed with the Oceania and New Zealand National Canoe Racing Champs which did impact on competitor numbers. Again the competition was very close with Piha eventually taking out the overall Club points from Red Beach and Mairangi Bay.

Northern Region Clubs were yet again very successful throughout the season at national events.



In late August at the SLSNZ Pool Champs held in Auckland, Mairangi Bay placed 3rd, Piha 4th and Red Beach 8th in the overall points.

The SLSNZ National Champs were held in Gisborne in near perfect conditions. Northern clubs made up a large proportion of the top 10 clubs with Mairangi Bay placed 3rd, Piha 5th and Red Beach 8th in the overall points. Muriwai took out the overall Boats points for the second year in a row.

The SLSNZ IRB Nationals were hosted by Warrington in the South Island and Sunset Beach placed 7th in the overall points.

The New Zealand Surf Boat Series was dominated by Northern Region Boat crews with the following placings obtained:

Open Men

Mairangi Bay Merkins 1, Piha A 2

Open Women

Red Beach Sirens 1, Muriwai Cats 2, Piha Black Pearls 3

U23 Men

Red Beach Pirates 2

U23 Women

Muriwai Muzzies 1, Orewa Stars 2

U19 Men

Sunset 3

U19 Women

Muriwai Minis 1, Piha Princesses 2, Orewa Aces 3

Special mention must go to Mairangi Bay's Danielle McKenzie, Chanel Hickman, Jason Pocock and Steve Vaughan who

were all members of the New Zealand Black Fins who in September defended their World Champs title at Rescue '14 in Montpellier, France. This was an outstanding achievement.

September also saw Danielle McKenzie qualify for the Kelloggs Nutri-Grain Ironman Series in Australia. This was a fantastic result for Danielle.

In early January the biennial Trans-Tasman Tri series was hosted by NSW Country in Australia. Northern's team was selected after a winter of training, preparation and local competition. They competed with distinction finishing third overall but as history shows the closest points spread on record. This event continues to help develop our athletes and management team outside the normal club scope which on return benefits clubs in the long term.

Trans-Tasman Tri Series Team

Adam Parker (Orewa)	Jake Hurley (Mairangi Bay)
Annalise Lockie (Orewa)	James Scott (Orewa)
Ashley Harding (Mairangi Bay)	Kayla McKenzie (Mairangi Bay)
Chelsea Grant (Red Beach)	Kelsi Boocock (Red Beach)
Cole Drinnan (Orewa)	Kirsty Wannan (Piha)
Danielle McKenzie (Mairangi Bay)	Scott Fairbairn (Mairangi Bay)
Ella Drinnan (Orewa)	Sean Newcombe (Piha)
Hannah Williams (Piha)	Stefan Powney (Orewa)
Jack Wilson (Orewa)	Ryan Gilmour (Piha)

Coach: Simone Spencer, Assistant Coach Bjorn Battaerd, Team Manager Steve Vaughan, Assistant Team Manager Dave Shanks

Our Boat section was also represented on the International stage with three Northern crews representing New Zealand in the Annual test Series against Australia in Waihi.

The New Zealand Surf Boat Crews were Piha A Mens crew, the Red Beach Sirens Womens crew and the Muriwai Cats were the NZ Womens development crew.

It is pleasing to see a large number of Northern members have gained selection to New Zealand Performance squads, a testament that we are on the right track with our event



and programme structure and that the clubs are retaining athletes from the Junior ranks with their coaching and training programmes.

Jason Pocock (Mairangi Bay) was appointed as the New Zealand Open Team Coach. Steve Ferguson (Piha) as the NZ Assistant Team Coach. Duane Dalton (Mairangi Bay) was reappointed as a SLSNZ Selector and Steve Vaughan (Mairangi Bay) as the NZ Assistant Team Manager.

Upon the completion of the SLSNZ Championships, High Performance Squads were announced. The following Northern Region athletes were named in the Squads:

Open Squad:

Teneale Hatton (Piha)
Chanel Hickman (Mairangi Bay)
Jake Hurley (Mairangi Bay)
Danielle McKenzie (Mairangi Bay)
Kevin Morrison (Mairangi Bay)

Development Squad:

Kelsi Boocock (Red Beach)
Bayden Botha (Mairangi Bay)
Ella Drinnan (Orewa)
Ryan Gilmour (Piha)
Grace Kaihau (Orewa)
Briar McLeely (Red Beach)
Stefan Powney (Orewa)
Hannah Williams (Piha)

Sanyo Cup Team:

Hannah Williams (Piha)

Jake Hurley (Mairangi Bay)

Danielle McKenzie (Mairangi Bay)

International Surf Rescue Challenge Team:**New Zealand Black Fins**

Danielle McKenzie, Mairangi Bay

Teneale Hatton, Piha

Chanel Hickman, Mairangi Bay

New Zealand Youth Team

Kelsi Boocock, Red Beach

Hannah Williams, Piha

Grace Kaihau, Orewa

Jake Hurley, Mairangi Bay

Baydon Botha, Mairangi Bay

Congratulations to all for their selections and we wish them luck for the upcoming international competitions.

There were some outstanding performances by Northern Region athletes at the Australian Surf Life Saving Championships (Aussies '15). Jake Hurley (Mairangi Bay) took out 3rd place in the U19 Mens Beach Flags and won a gold medal in the U19 Mens Beach Relay. He also made

it through to the U19 Mens Beach Sprint final. Danielle McKenzie (Mairangi Bay) won golds in the Open Women's Ski Relay, Open Womens Tube Rescue and Open Mixed Double Ski and also made finals in the Open Womens Iron, Ski, Board, Double Ski and Taplin Relay.

Two Northern Region Boat crews; the Red Beach Sirens and Muriwai Muzzies took part in the Gallipoli 100, commemorating the 100 year anniversary of Anzac troops landing in Gallipoli. The crews rowed along the Dardanelles and around the Gallipoli Peninsula before landing on a beach not far from where the Anzacs landed. There were about 40 crew from Australia, New Zealand and Turkey. This was truly an historical event to be involved in.

On behalf of the Sport Operational Committee, thank you to all of the officials, coaches, athletes, clubs, volunteers and staff who have worked together and contributed to a successful season.

Wayne Franich

Chairman

Sports Operational Committee





Junior Surf Report

The 2014-2015 season has been another successful year for Junior Surf. This is due to a wide range of voluntary contributions by Club Junior Surf coordinators, Surf Officials, Coaches, Team Managers, club helpers, water safety people and so on. Junior surf is about teaching our kids good knowledge and skills on land and in the water to set them on a pathway to become good competent lifeguards in the future. We are achieving this through the commitment of these members. So I thank you.

Surf Club is about kids, but also about parents. If parents are not encouraged to become involved nothing in the club would be able to happen. Therefore it is very important that all clubs encourage as much parent participation and support as possible. This year through early investigation we discovered a large short fall in official numbers to meet the required ratio for competition, this was rectified with extra training carried out at Waipu beach, which affected the carnival timetable. So I ask all clubs to make sure that this year they are well ahead of the official numbers required for this season.

Both the Red Beach and Waipu Harcourts Junior Surf Interclub carnivals had good weather and very good participant numbers. The Harcourts 2015 Northern Region Junior Surf Champs, I believe was one of the best-run Junior Surf carnivals I have been to in a long time, with excellent management around tides and arena set up. There was a change of guard on the trophy cabinet this year with Orewa taking first place in the overall points at the Harcourts Junior Surf Champs and the Cath and Eddie Millar Cup, well done!

Harcourts Junior Surf Twilight Carnivals were a great success with a lot of calculations going on between participants trying to work out the best course of points to win. This is proving to be a very good formula and giving them all a great lead up to Oceans (the SLSNZ Under 14 National Championships). The Oceans '15 carnival this year



had more manageable surf with all clubs from Northern Region doing very well.

The Rookie Challenge has always proved to be a popular event and this year was no different. What was truly exceptional was the result whereby Mairangi Bay Teams took out 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. This is an outstanding performance and is a real testament to Mairangi Bay and the emphasis they clearly put on ensuring their Rookies were developing the skills to become future Lifeguards.

For the last few years Glen Phipps has had the role of Junior Surf Event Referee but has now moved into Senior Surf Sports; Dylan Turner has now been appointed to this role. I would like to thank Glen Phipps for his commitment and effort for the past few seasons and I welcome Dylan into his new position. I am positive that Dylan will fulfill this role just as successfully.

Thanks to my fellow committee members who give up their time and make unbiased decisions on behalf of Junior Surf. I would also like to thank Simone Spencer for her continuous and dedicated support to Junior Surf.

Steve Franich

Chair
Junior Surf Operating Committee

Development Report

I would like to start off by thanking the current members of the Development Operational Committee (DOC) this season for the hard work and assistance for the past season:

- Nicole Fearon
- Adi Jenkins
- Pauline Butt
- Lauren Gibbs

I would also like to thank David Butt for his support at DOC meetings and for putting up with all the requests and organising all of the finer details required to keep everything running smoothly.

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT CAMP

This year once again saw the successful Youth Development Camp run on Motutapu Island. This camp continues to be a great starting point for our young lifeguards to network with members from other clubs and learn valuable skills to increase their capabilities as lifeguards.

The camp continues to be immensely popular with 51 of our young lifeguards from 14 of our 17 Clubs, across all corners of our Region, attending along with 6 representatives from the other Regions as far down as Dunedin.

A big thank you to Tai Kahn for helping to organise and assist the leaders on this camp while the staff changes were underway and also to the leaders who gave up their time to attend the camp and mentor the younger guards.

INTERMEDIATE GUARD SCHOOL

The Intermediate Guard School was handed back to the LOC to run this year, however, it remains an important stepping-stone for our guards to up-skill themselves. This was run



twice over the summer in some very testing conditions out at Bethells Beach. Once again it was good to see a number of candidates who have been on Youth Development Camps on this school and starting to progress and build their skills as lifeguards, as well as working their way through the pathway to becoming a highly skilled member of our organisation.

Forty budding lifeguards from 14 of our Clubs took part along with 2 lifeguards from SLS New South Wales. Without the assistance of clubs providing the venue and instructors giving up their time, this would not be possible.

Thanks to everyone who was involved in this.

SENIOR LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

The Senior Leadership Experience takes a break this year as planned and shifts into a biennial cycle, returning to the development opportunities next season. Work has already begun sourcing a suitable location and refining the experience, ready for 2016.

SURF LIFESAVING BUDDY LUCAS SCHOLARSHIP

A massive congratulations to Pia Goldsmith of Bethells Beach, for being selected as this year's Buddy Lucas Scholar. Pia is well known through the region for her work in the Beach Ed Program, Regional Guard Service and her work with the Diversity candidates. Pia will be focusing her project on a number of key points around membership retention, with the aim of setting up systems at her club to support her goal of increasing membership retention over the next two seasons. This is a valuable area of research, not just to Bethells, but to all clubs across our Region. Experience is a valuable asset, which we cannot afford to lose and we look forward to seeing her project take shape over the coming months. My thanks to Denis Black for his continued support of this scholarship.

Nick Devcich

Chair

Development Operational Committee



Surf Education Report

The 2014/2015 Surf Education season was again very busy with 14,254 school students on the beach, in the school pool or in the class room learning about beach and surf safety. The Surf Education team continued to provide a high quality service to the public through the delivery of its Surf Education programmes; Beach Ed, Surf to School and City Nippers.

PREVENTION IS VITAL

Drowning is the third highest cause of unintentional death in New Zealand. To reduce the incidence of drowning and injury, Surf Life Saving Northern Region has implemented a range of safety interventions including education programmes targeting those using aquatic environments.

SURF EDUCATION PROGRAMMES PERFORMANCE

The 2014-2015 season has been another significant one for Surf Education, with the number of students attending courses increasing year-on-year with Beach Education numbers increasing by 6% and City Nippers increasing by 42%. This is due to the expansion of City Nippers to

Eastern/Bucklands Beach and Maraetai Beach, both in East Auckland. The feedback from the local community was very positive. The increase in Beach Education numbers could have been higher, had we not had so many cancellations from schools in Term 1 of 2015.

The number of students that attended the Surf to School programme has decreased by 47%. The possible reason being is that our primary focus has been Beach Education which teaches the students at the beach environment opposed to a classroom setting and the increasing competition in the field of water safety education.

One of the on-going challenges is demand being considerably higher in Term 1 than Term 4. The majority of schools want Beach Education programmes delivered in the warmer weather of Term 1 and the impact is capacity issues for SLSNR, with the majority of Beach Education Instructors being University Students who are more available in Term 4 than in Term 1.

SLSNR emphasizes to schools that they should book the Surf Safety Education programmes for their students in term 4 due to the benefits of learning about water safety before the summer holidays kick in. Therefore Beach Education is offered to the KiwiSport funded schools with the limitation that these schools can only book in Term 4.

ACTUALS 2013/14 VERSUS TARGETS AND ACTUALS 2014/15

2013/14 Actuals	% that the 2014/15 Target increased from 2013/14 Actuals	2104/15 Target	2014/15 YTD Actual	+/- % of YTD Actuals vs 2013/2014 Actuals
10,282	+17%	12,000	10,900	+6%
4,308	+23%	5,300	2,924	-47%
302	+19%	360	430	+42%
14,892	+18.5%	17,660	14,254	-5.5%

The table shows that the deficit of totals between the season (2014/15) and the previous season (2013/14) was solely contributable to the decrease in Surf to School numbers.

FEEDBACK FROM CRAWSHAW SCHOOL ON THEIR BEACH ED DAYS:

"All activities on the day were worthwhile and I would recommend this programme. It was by far one of the most valuable experiences for our students this year. Well-paced, expectations outlined and followed. Professional! Wonderful for staff and parents as well. Searching for rips was a great activity and one which may save a life! Also the beach safety tips! So essential, especially with our students; some can't swim and still jump in the river. Must do every year, what a treat!"

OTHER SERVICES AND ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMMES

New opportunities have arisen with requests from other community organisations. This season we delivered Beach Ed, for the second time to a Korean swimming school and another request came from the Asian Community Sport Advisor at Counties Manukau Sport to develop a programme and Surf Safety workbook to teach water safety to 20 Korean adults. The intention was that the adults would pass the learnings onto their children and grandchildren. With the growing diversity in the Auckland population, the need for this type of education will only continue to increase.

In 2014, a corporate requested a nationwide presentation to all their employees on surf/water safety education. Unfortunately we couldn't present in the areas of Palmerston North and New Plymouth as we do not have staff close to these locations.

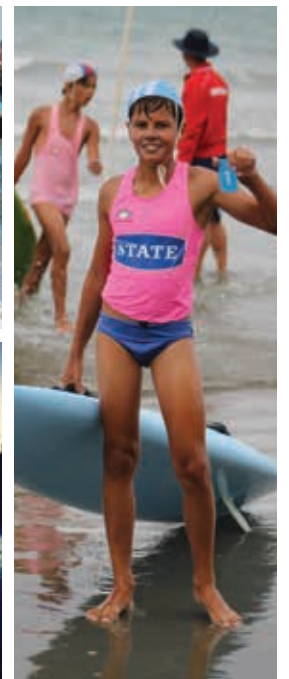
THANK YOU

Thank you to all lifeguards; your work of teaching children how to stay safe in a beach environment has been outstanding.

A big thank you to the 13 clubs and club representatives that hosted schools and the Beach Ed Lifeguards.



Dee Lampe
Surf Education Manager







Bethells Beach

Well it's been another stellar season for Bethells Beach.

The team completed a whopping 5,183 patrolling hours with six of them well exceeding 100 hours and none of these were Regional Lifeguards, yet...

A positive season regarding rescues with exception only to the drowning at O'Neil's during the Regional patrols. My hat goes off to Danny Tenheuver and his team for their professionalism. In addition huge praise to our own Kylan Dray-Winter who assisted with the search but also became the liaison between Police, Lifeguards and the victim's family, a massive and draining impact and one that Kylan excelled in.

This we also added to our ranks by qualifying another 20 Lifeguards, five new Lifeguard Instructors and I am also happy to advise that the Diversity program is still alive and kicking with eight candidates working their way through their Lifeguard award.

We continue to have extremely strong representation within Junior Surf with numbers expanding on the previous year and also a strong group who competed at the Oceans this year. The Rookie program also continues to shine with five Rookies attaining their Rookie certificates. The season focus was to look at improving lifeguard knowledge, patrolling

and first aid skills. Our Rookies completed 150 patrol hours learning practical Lifeguard skills and also competed at the Rookie Challenge Mangawhai Heads – strong in First Aid – down a man on water events – fantastic camaraderie and determination. Also congratulations to Hunter Challis who was a finalist for Rookie of the Year at the SLSNR Awards of Excellence.

Strong representation in the sports arena, especially within the Masters categories of which the Worlds have become a significant focus.

With our five year plan now updated we continue our focus on growth, retention, benchmarking our skills against other countries, sports and junior surf to name a few, so in a word watch this space!

Final congratulations to our new Life Members – Tasha Harvey and David Oldham and also congratulations to Pia Harpourt who secured this year's Buddy Lucas scholarship.

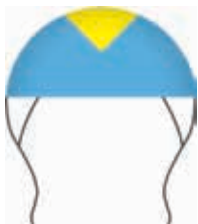
Cheers and see you on the beach (or the battleground if you are in the Masters!)

Dave Comp

President

Bethells Beach Surf Life Saving Patrol





Far North

The 2014-2015 season has been one of contrast and heavy work load for (FNSR). With every season FNSR

commences with the lead up and running of the 90 Mile IRB Classic and this season another successful event was held. Soon however the realities of life came knocking. In October we lost one of our Founding members and club stalwart, Terry Tepania, after a short illness; our sincere condolences to Frances and family.

Event guarding at the 90 Mile IRB Classic was followed in November by the Lake Ngatu triathlon, one week later the Paihia swim and then in December the Ahipara school water day at Matauri Bay.

With these events behind us we can concentrate on our core business, Surf Life Saving. By the end of November we had notched up our first out-of-hours rescue, at Shipwreck Bay, this was a promise of things to come. At the beginning of December our first Search & Rescue (SAR) was under way

with a successful rescue at Mookerau, a young girl with head and spinal injuries air lifted out. And so it began, with 3 more SARs and sadly 3 people taken in our waters.

Things were hotting up on our beaches with our guards attending a total of six motor vehicle accidents resulting in four air evacuations and sadly another life lost. Not only on the beaches were we busy but also on the water with two separate successful rescues of kayakers in difficulty and one unsuccessful night search. An early morning aerial search proved fruitless so this remains unsolved.

The last event on our event guarding program is the 90 mile Snapper Bonanza, with over 700 competitors covering 28 kms of beach, this is arguably our hardest event however things ran smoothly and after four days we were able to relax again.

Our season ended with a weekend at Whatawhuihui allowing our lifeguards, families and supporters a chance to unwind: a big thank you to all of them.



With 5 new guards, 5 new drivers, 8 crewpersons and 2 new instructors, FNSR is looking good. Big thanks to Danielle, Jane, Erana and Sergio for all their work.

To our callout squad: Simon, Laree, Josh, Thom, Tania, Owen, Tyler, Sam, Erana and Samantha, a huge thank you for stepping up to the mark and spending so many hours out there.

To Liz and Laree who keep our wheels turning, a big thanks.

To the future, we are now awaiting final planning consent on our extensions; this has been a difficult task up until now. A big thank you to Thys Mekkelholt, project manager, for all his expertise, diligence and hard work.

In closing I wish to thank David Butt for all his assistance this season and help in getting FNSR to this point and to Matt Williams for helping not only us but also the Far North communities in successfully setting up the Far North Emergency Services Forum. Now managed by the NZ Police, this group has the NZ Fire Service, Rural Fire, SLS,



Coastguard, St Johns and DOC successfully participating in the SAR responses in the Far North.

Let's hope for a good up and coming season, see you all at the 90 Mile.

Dave Ross

President

Far North Surf Rescue



Karekare

Firstly I would like to acknowledge all our lifeguards, their partners, volunteers and club members for the amazing job they have done in the past year in keeping Karekare safe for the public.

The bread-and-butter of any surf club has to be successfully patrolling the beach to ensure the safety and enjoyment of recreational users of the beach. On that count we have always been, and remain, a very successful club. But part of achieving that is also ensuring that clubbies themselves get a lot out of being club members. Good times, opportunities to develop as lifeguards and sportspeople, social opportunities, and the sense of belonging to a worthwhile organisation that you feel proud to be loyal to is all part of the mix. The report card on that score is patchier. Some of that is for reasons beyond our control, but much of it we must take responsibility for ourselves. We can't help the weather, the moving sand or the lack of access, but we can be attentive to how we treat one another. That said, the physical environment of the club does make a big difference to how we feel about the club and each other.

Over the last 5 years we have had significant access issues and a building project that has been unable to proceed on the basis of the access situation and a substantial funding proposal before the Council on behalf of all lifesaving clubs in Auckland. Over a period of three years involving intense discussion and negotiation with the Council we announced late last year that we had reached agreement for the Council to put in place a temporary bridge and dry foot access to the club and beach. This was put in place

early this year. As a consequence we have all had a better season and seen an increasing number of patrons enjoying the beautiful beach at Karekare. This has had a positive impact on our membership and patrolling with 17 new members qualifying this year and a lot more use of the club facilities and social activity.

The Council voted on its long term plan and we are really excited to say that there have been two HUGE successes for the club over the next three years. There is \$1,000,000 in the plan to complete the long term all weather vehicle access to the club from the car park.

There is funding of approximately \$700,000 for the new lifesaving facility at Karekare. This will see access to the club and our new lifesaving facility completed over the next few years.

The club has had another good competition season in 2014-2015. While we did not secure the same results at Regional level that we enjoyed the previous season, the team did perform well and attended all Northern Region carnivals, the Eastern & Northern combined Whangamata Classic, the Eastern and Northern Regional Championships and the Nationals.

Karekare has found over the last year that communication and consultation has not been a strong point in the region. This is a worrisome trend, so as a club we are committed to increasing our participation in the broader region with the hope of building stronger relationships and reversing the current trend.

Andy Shaw

President

Karekare Surf Life Saving Patrol Inc





Kariaotahi

OVERVIEW

There is an old cliché that says time flies when you're having fun, this season has definitely been one that has flown by so quickly. The members decided to go back to two day patrols this season and this seemed to build a lot more of a family atmosphere amongst the patrols, a social atmosphere and a lot of friendships. The club on weekends were bursting at the seams with up to 30 guards staying at the club and enjoying the cooked meals that were prepared for them. Having attended some of this myself it was certainly a great atmosphere.

GENERAL

Another great season for the club, we continue to achieve excellent results from the work we do and the club is recognised within the community and the wider region for this great work.

On a personal note, more than a little frustrating I couldn't be at the beachfront as active with the team as I have been in the past, but watch out, I'll be in full swing next season with rehab continuing to go well.

This was the second year where formalised roles within the Lifesaving sphere of the club had been functioning. It has proven to be effective ensuring highest standards are met without burdening our valuable volunteer resources.

I thank all of those who helped and picked up these roles, it really has worked to make the past season so smooth.

TRAINING

We continue looking at other training opportunities the club can extend to its members outside of the usual lifesaving scope, to further enhance our lifeguards and the delivery of the club's services.

Very pleasing to see an increasing number of qualifications being gained by our lifeguards compared to previous season, long may this continue. Our club's greatest asset is our active lifeguards and with this comes the recognition that we continue to develop them as lifeguards and grownups!

"A champion is someone who gets up, even when he can't."

Unknown

EVENT LIFEGUARDING

It was a quieter season this year with limited events but still, our reputation after only a season or two of event safety is well respected. This is a great space to be in, when the time is right to expand into a larger more commercial venture.

CALL OUT SQUAD

It's been a fairly active year for the squad with a number of call outs as clearly evident by the Rescue of the Month citations.

PATROL OPERATIONS


A quieter season on an operational front, I'll let the statistics do the talking but pleasing to see Preventative Actions remain very high.



PATROL STATISTICS

Overall seasonal activity compared to previous years.

LIFEGUARD ACTIVITY

		Hours	Rescues	First Aids	Searches	Preventatives	People Involved
2015	Callout	98	8	2	9	3	21
	Event	44	0	1	0	6	15
	Volunteer	5604	13	25	5	1616	8803
	Other	15	0	0	0	0	0
2014	Callout	17	4	0	6	0	0
	Event	89	4	2	2	46	119
	Volunteer	3856	19	36	3	1105	5732
	Other	150	0	0	0	0	0

RESCUE OF THE MONTH NOMINATIONS

This year the club nominated four of its rescues for Rescue of the Month.

- December 2014 – During patrol, CPR on Patient 1km north of Club; Regional Rescue of the Month.
- December 2014 – Afterhours IRB & Tube Rescue
- March 2015 – Call Out, IRB Rescue of two persons north of the Club; SLSNZ Recognition Award
- April 2015 – Call Out, land based search for overdue fisherman; Regional & National Rescue of the Month.

THANK YOU

It's been another busy, but really awesome season. Thank you to all lifeguards, your efforts have been outstanding.

Thanks to my fellow Board members. Again, it's been a great year.

Jim Coe

President

Kariaotahi Surf Life Saving Club



Mairangi Bay

Despite some interesting and varied challenges during the 2014/15 season, when you have a season

like the one just been the memories will always fall back onto the outstanding contributions made by the many members of the club.

The committee in its volunteer capacity has continued to run the club in a prudent manner. The constant challenge is to share the workload and like many volunteer organisations we find that a few are doing a mountain of work. Our goal going forward is to better streamline this.

Chairman Steve Vaughan continues to lead from the front and has been busy as usual keeping the club together and achieving on so many fronts. Sometimes juggling leadership with role of councillor, mentor and mediator. He also represented the club at the North Harbour Regional Sports Awards where we received the honour of Club of the Year.

Lifeguarding is a key pillar of the club and despite our immediate beach we find ourselves spread not only across the East Coast Bays beaches but assisting other clubs in our region and heavily involved in key event guarding activities around Auckland. A big thank you to Dan Short who has stepped into the Director of Lifesaving role; and grown immensely over the season. We have been involved with a very impressive 15 rescues, 76 first aids, 18 searches and 2564 preventative actions during the past season. It was also impressive and pleasing this year to see us win the Northern Region Patrol champs and we congratulate all the members of the team.

Surfsports have had some pretty amazing results this past year! It is impossible to go past club members Jason Pocock, Steve Vaughan, Danielle McKenzie and Chanel Hickman being part of a NZ team to retain back to back world titles. Danielle progressed from there to making the Australian Iron Woman series. Danny Morrison has



had a huge year as Director of Surfsports. Many special Mairangi Bay club members have been a part of that in all aspects and achieving the phenomenal result of 3rd at the National Championships. Due to having no club coach this year, Danny stepped up to take on this role and gained a loyal group who trained the house down and competed outstandingly all season. The efforts of Danny and Sprint Coach Vaughan Roberts saw an impressive five members get selected for National High Performance Squads. Our past Club Coach Jason Pocock must also be congratulated on being selected to be the NZ High Performance Coach. This is an outstanding achievement and a very popular choice. Our boaties were not to be outdone and this past season saw the Mighty Merkins become the first East Coast club to win the Piha Classic and also be crowned National Boat Series Champions. Finally Surf sports could not occur without all the officials where we are well represented - you are awesome.

The membership role within the club continues to deliver great results for us. We welcomed 42 newly qualified lifeguards to the club and again continue to be a nationwide

leader in this aspect of Surf Lifesaving. Nicole Fearon deserves mention for the many hours she has put into this role and it is extremely disappointing that she will be stepping down.

In his first year on the committee as Financial Controller Michael Buck has developed into the role. Michael has shown a keen eye for the detail and is great in following up on any unpaid money that is due to the club.

The Junior club really is an amazing breeding ground of future lifesavers that are bonding extremely well, creating a community of lifelong friends and networked families. Tony Sands has been tireless in his work for the junior club and has surrounded himself with a very competent and passionate committee. In addition a big thank you to the many Junior Surf parents who work tirelessly behind the scenes and on the beach to make this the best junior programme in NZ.

Volunteer clubs and organisations around NZ are constantly striving to remain relevant and also solvent. This is a mammoth task and one that would be near on impossible without the very generous support of gaming charities and sponsors. I would like to make a special thank you to ASB Community Trust, Pub Charity, Trillian Trust, Deb McCool, ECB Engineering, Cube Design and Print and our latest sponsor Grant Blythen and his team at North Shore Honda.

Great people continue building a great club which was awarded the 2015 Toyota Financial Services 'Club of the Year'.

Duane Dalton

President

Mairangi Bay Surf Life Saving Club





Mangawhai Heads

I have pleasure in presenting my annual report to members and the community.

This season has been one in which the club has achieved many great things to be proud of, most notably the Jackman paddle race which had a record number of paddlers from all disciplines and ages. The event welcomed Dave's son, Sam Jackman and his nephew Jay Jackman to the competition who performed extremely well given the depth of talent they were competing against. There were the traditional club events like the Golf day, and door knock in which so many of our key members contributed with enthusiasm and enjoyment. This season cannot be remembered without a tinge of sadness with the passing of our Patron, Marie Flavell. Her love for this club and its members have shone through for a great many seasons and her passion for teaching and helping others will leave us with an impossible gap to fill. Her legacy to our club will no doubt live on in her children and grandchildren that are deeply rooted into the fabric that is the Mangawhai Heads Club. Marie developed an oath or commitment statement for all Mangawhai lifeguards to read when they first obtain their bronze or lifeguard award and it's in these words you get a real sense for the person she was, always encouraging and empowering people to be better, go further and do more. In my humble opinion they are words that should make the foundation for a very meaningful life, lifeguard or not.

A special thanks to the patrol captains and the volunteer lifeguards who give up their time to train for patrol and to turn up on the day to keep our beach a safe place; without the dedication of these members our club would not exist. Thanks also to the Kaipara District Council for funding the Regional Guards at Mangawhai on the week days and over the Christmas school holidays – it is a vital service and an attraction for visitors to know the beach is patrolled.

JUNIOR SURF

Another huge effort and giant leaps are being taken each year to ensure the future of the Mangawhai surf club. A large number of junior surf members passed their 200 metre badge and the input from Shay and Steve Waldron, Paul Smith and Glen Kehoe has been huge. I feel this gets said every year but it is true that without Shay & her efforts there would be no junior club.

CONGRATULATIONS

Hearty congratulations to Hannah Williams again on her fantastic achievements this year in competitions around the country and overseas; a huge effort from her and her support networks.

COMMITTEE AND MANAGEMENT

A big thanks to Club Captain Patria Harris who has done a sterling job and has picked up straight from where Tim left off. Very quickly she established herself in the role and put her own mark on it, taking ownership of events and competitions even when the communication had fallen short. I'm sure the committee would agree your patrol management was above and beyond and for that I congratulate you. Also Jess Costello, for her ongoing efforts in training and directorship of the club, Alex & Rochelle Tidyman for all their hard work at the events both pre, during and post events. Tony Baker was the usual rock solid Chairman who can be relied on, but also delivered one of the best seasons in Public Relations. Tony has done a great job this season and it's with regret we'll see him step down from the chairmanship to focus on the Northland Surfing roles he has committed to. Also a big thanks to all the committee members and supporters who work so hard to make the club the success that it is.

Much of our season is focused on delivery of vital services which, as everyone knows is the reason for it all and so I

think there is a lot of difficult work to be done for our club. We are in a unique position of being the only consistently patrolled club in our council region i.e. the Kaipara Council and this challenge for us is, as always around funding and the councils ability to provide a service for its community through our club. I feel strongly that with the assistance of the Northern Region staff we can get to where we need to, but with a cash strapped council it won't be an easy task.

As I thank all those who worked so hard in the previous season I notice we are racing toward another summer season and the hard work will once again be required. So rest well and come in keen and excited to the upcoming summer; I have a feeling it will be a busy one on the beaches.

Dan Russek

President
Mangawhai Heads Surf Life Saving Club





Muriwai

We went in to the 2014-15 year with a simple set of goals: Great Lifeguards – Winning Competitors – Happy Times. Our approach was the correct one, as we have proven successful across numerous elements of club life.

- Overall membership has reached an all-time high of 680+
- We have 160+ active patrolling lifeguards, and qualified 29 new guards.
- Junior surf ranks swelled to 252
- We won two Rescue of the Month awards, and the regional and national Rescue of the Year.
- Our boaties secured their second successive Champion Surf Boat Club title
- A new club logo/brand and new apparel have been introduced to huge acclaim
- Pak 'n' Save Lincoln Road came on board as a sizeable 5 year sponsor of Junior Surf activities
- Our swim/board/ski/sprint competition team grew in size and performance and we got back amongst the medals
- Both junior and senior prizegivings were sell-out events, our largest in memory



- The call-out squad has been activated on several occasions, and is now the country's busiest
- Appointment of a new paid coach to work across junior and senior ranks

We can be justly proud of our lifeguards. Patrols scored highly in SLSNR proficiency audits, our equipment is maintained at an exceedingly high level of operability, there is widespread participation in training for new awards and the strength of our patrols means we are always very well placed to confront the demands that busy peak summer days impose on us. The Lifesaving team needs to be applauded for delivering world class services.

We have put in place a Sports Leadership Team to deliver our goal of Winning Competitors. A 10 point plan has been put in place already for the 2015/16 season, starting with setting higher expectations of ourselves, the appointment



of a paid coach, bolstering the leadership team by putting the right people in to the right roles earlier to acknowledge our sport programme is now 12 months year around, and confirming we undertake our sports activities as 'one club'.

The Junior Surf section has grown markedly in recent years. Structures and systems suitable for a smaller operation a few years ago have sometimes recently been found wanting, so in the coming year our arrangements will be adapted to be more relevant and agile.

The social side of the club has been dynamic. Our junior and senior prize-givings saw the clubhouse over-flowing. The new club logo and brand and new apparel range have proven to be exceptionally popular. The creation of family friendly events targeting the local community have been a big success. Club members are availing themselves of the free facilities for an increasing range of events and activities.

The Muriwai Lifeguard Service Amenities Trust had a busy year, quietly undertaking minor works and installing additional services and facilities to deliver those elements of the building that could not be afforded in the initial construction phase. The vastly improved club facilities we now enjoy are proving highly cost effective from a club cost to occupy perspective,

and are also proving pivotal in attracting new members to the club and taking us closer to the local community.

We are able to meet the cost of our core services thanks to sustainable funding from SLSNR, Auckland Council, regional sponsors, Foundation North amongst others. We have been successful in attracting new sponsors to the club, but must do even more in this area if we are to remain abreast of cost increases. We have introduced a Business and Revenue Committee, which will assume responsibility for setting annual budgets, driving sponsorship and grant acquisitions, general fundraising activities, overseeing bar trading activities and commercial opportunities

We take this opportunity to thank in no particular order our numerous tireless volunteers and committee members, our valued sponsors and funders, those few unsung heroes that quietly do the things the rest of us never quite get around to doing, and the local community for supporting us.

Tim Jago

President

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service





Omaha

It has been an exciting season at Omaha Beach SLSC. Our lifeguards have once again done a fantastic job keeping our community safe as they enjoy the beautiful beach we are lucky enough to call home.

Sadly, two fatal boating accidents in the early summer served as reminders that our beaches can still be dangerous. These tragedies highlight the crucial job our lifeguards do, putting in 2,559 hours of patrolling over the summer. As the stats for the season show, the toll would no doubt be higher if not for their efforts. Well done to all of you.

This season, like all others, we have tried to improve our capabilities. Thanks to generous grants from Infinity, Stonewood Homes, Team McMillan BMW and the SLSNR allocation, we were better equipped to patrol than ever before.

Surf Sports – an essential part of lifeguard development – were another area we wanted to build this season. New racing boards were possible thanks to Infinity Foundation and Auckland Council. Orewa SLSC was outstanding, helping us establish surf canoe and surf boat programs, and we enjoyed working with Waipu SLSC to develop a joint training program for IRB racing.

Our members are mostly very young and we are very lucky to be a part of their lives just as their eyes are being opened to the many possibilities ahead of them. We want to create as many opportunities as we can, to help them learn and grow. In doing so we hope to attract, develop and retain more young people and their families, and to build around them a strong club where they will always feel welcome, no matter where their lives take them.



This goes hand-in-hand with our other goal to build stronger ties with the wider community: in November we hosted the Harcourts Regional Surf Sports and IRB carnivals at Omaha, and in March we hosted the best Stand-up paddlers in NZ and the world at the NZSUP Championships. We have built partnerships with the Matakana Military Arts School, Matakana Beach Outfitters, Saltwater Eco, Total Sport and Mahurangi College, among others.

Our events team has put on a series of great social events to promote club bonding, we enjoyed participating in other local events such as the Kowhai festival, Matakana X-Run and Matakana seagull race, and we have been able to update our look this year too, with a new club logo, website and new club apparel.

Thanks go to all of the committee and other club officers, all of whom deserve recognition for their efforts this season.

Next season we look forward to more of the same: the NZSUP champs return to Omaha in February 2016. The Harcourts Regional Surf Sports and IRB carnivals will return to Omaha in November and we are thrilled to be hosting the Harcourts Northern Region Championships in February.

Our new School Holiday Programme will be rolling out over the Summer Holidays after a successful trial run in October. This program really sums up what we are trying to be as a club: it's a great chance for us to partner with local providers; it gives our young lifeguards an awesome summer job to reward them for all their efforts over the season; and we hope it will be seen as beneficial to the community.

See you all next summer.

Julian Ostling

President

Omaha Beach Surf Life Saving Club



Orewa

As I write this report we are nearing the end of a relatively mild winter. Another season is almost upon us but activity within our club has not ceased. Our members have continued to train through the winter in both surf sport & life saving. Our committees have finished & debriefed last seasons activities, only to go straight into planning for the next. We are now truly open for business 12 months of the year.

Once again a busy season was experienced by our guards. As I say every year, we just get busier & busier. With the growth in Auckland's population, let alone our local populous, our beach is being well used both on, in and off the water. The importance of our club to function across all areas efficiently & professionally has never been more important than the present and into the future. With a new clubhouse on the horizon, the want has now rapidly turned into a need with both internal & external demands creating pressure on already compromised infrastructure. We have a building committee working hard to get our new building to Resource Consent. This will become reality in the very near future, and then the real work begins with the raising of funds for Building Consent and the build.

Within our club, Orewa continues to be well represented in a number of Operational Committees and Boards, both Regionally and Nationally, a sign of a strong club. The strength I identify is that these members have been able to move forward from the club's committees, only made possible through the fact that we have a large number of new members willing to give time and become involved at club management level. Our reliance on the entire membership to help run the club has never been more important as we continue to grow. I thank this section of our membership for their commitment and support.

With Life Guarding the reason for our being, the size of our patrols reflect the increased demands on the beach



and capability expected of our club. Again, this season we continued to patrol more than one beach and as always Orewa Beach in its entirety. Some may comment that with a large membership we may need a larger area to patrol but I know that too many patrolling members is never enough; particularly with Auckland's growth projected to continue. It is very encouraging to see the number of our older members, mainly Junior Surf parents, training and sitting their Surf Lifeguard Awards; great to have an older element added to our patrolling base moving forward.

Surf Sport is our retention tool and analysis of data from the last few seasons on a Regional basis shows that it is essential that a good sport programme within a club is in place to bring through and retain our younger members. This works with our senior members and now our older members through the masters category adds another dimension. Sport helps to secure and retain our membership. With a new coach in place this season, we are ensured that a strong sport programme will continue. Another part of the complex package that makes up a sustainable club in today's environment.

Increased size and profile within our community gives our sponsors and supporters exposure. With this support we can plan for the future, enabling us to continue to give service to the community and indirectly assist in the building of valuable citizens. Our sponsors are a key component to our existence which we do not take for granted and are grateful for. Our thanks goes to them all.

In closing thanks must go to Surf Life Saving New Zealand and Surf Life Saving Northern Region for the guidance and governance provided to our movement.

To our members, staff and parents, thank you to you all for your contribution and commitment to the Orewa Surf Life Saving Club through this past season.

Wayne Franich
President

Orewa Surf Life Saving Club





Piha

Overall Piha has had a great year. The club is in great health. The patrolling side of the club is strong and well resourced. Our junior section is growing, and our competition teams are succeeding at the top level. Piha is now a real force in the competition world with our competition teams taking on the more traditional "sporting" clubs that have lead the way for many years. However, going into our 82nd year we are facing many challenges. We are growing and have increasing demands. We have just had a very successful AGM with great members taking up the different positions to ensure our leadership at the top is in good hands.

During the 2014 and 2015 season Piha SLSC has further consolidated their position as one of the top clubs in New Zealand and the Northern Region. We have improved in all areas. Our junior section of our club and competition teams are improving every year with some outstanding team and individual results. However due to increased demands the Piha Board is reviewing the club operations to ensure a best model to take us forward to ensure our long term sustainability and also to ensure we have the correct structure in place.

There are many things on the go currently.

- The big one is Project 80 where we are working hard to extend and improve our club's facilities.
- The Board is looking at the best model going forward for Piha SLSC to meet our growing club's needs; we have new demands to fund in all sections of our club
- We now, for the first time have our own water supply. We have put in a bore which will mean over summer we will not have to buy water in.

- As with all clubs we are working hard to attract new sponsors. We will soon be in a position to announce a new, exciting sponsor who has come on board.
- We need to ensure we can offer resourcing to continue improving our sport teams.
- On the patrolling side of things we have achieved our business goal with IRBs and motors; having nothing older than six years.
- We are working hard to make our "Day of Giants" day an iconic event.
- We have our junior Huntington Beach team departing for USA in July 2016.
- We are trying to simplify and ensure we meet the new challenges to meet Health & Safety requirements.

There is a need to increase our member's training and to offer further courses. We will increase Patrol support for our members in the 2015 / 2016 season, offering development courses such as Intermediate Guard, Advanced Life Guard, Youth Development, First Aid and IRB Operation. This is a priority going into the new season.

Piha looks forward to our upcoming summer season which will be our 82nd year of saving lives. I thank all our club leaders and members for putting in so many hours, whether it be coaching or patrolling. The results are there for all to see. The challenge is to fully resource all the different areas of our club to maintain support and improvement.

Lastly, I would personally like to thank our sponsors for staying with us so we can do what we do best.

Peter Brown

President

Piha Surf Life Saving Club





Raglan

I would like to thank all members who have personally contributed their time and effort during this past season to make it one of our most successful yet. Our Club patrols one of the busiest beaches in New Zealand and thanks to the commitment and dedication of our lifeguards, we had a safe season with no drownings.

The community services we delivered in conjunction with the Regional Guards were impressive:

Rescues	49
First Aids	106
Searches	22
Active Lifeguards	93
Preventative Actions	6,341
People involved	23,652
Volunteer hours	3,961

I am proud to acknowledge that we had six finalists in the 2015 Toyota Financial Services Awards of Excellence; Jess Reilly, Aubrey Panis, Meaghan and Keagan Gaarkeuken, Isaac van der Vossen and Liz and Dennis Amooore from the Raglan Surf Life Saving Amenities Trust. Congratulations to Jess Reilly who won the Instructor of the Year Award, to Aubrey Panis who won Regional Lifeguard of the Year and Liz and Dennis Amooore who received the Innovation of the Year Award for the installation of solar power to the tower. In addition, the Club was placed third in the Best Patrolled Beach Competition and was a finalist in the Club of the Year Award.



A special thank you to our sponsors: Trust Waikato, the Lottery Grants Board, Surf Lifesaving New Zealand, Surf Life Saving Northern Region, the WEL Energy Trust, the Trillian Trust, the Gallagher Charitable Trust, the Waikato District Council, Meridian Energy and the Emergency Services Rescue Group. Without their help our Club would not function effectively.

I would also like to record the Club's gratitude to the bequest from Ailsa Gibson for \$10,000. This funding will be used to upgrade the accommodation quarters for our lifeguards with new bunks, mattresses and floor coverings being purchased and put in place.

In terms of long term funding it is important to note that the Club is building up positive, ongoing relationships with key funders and supporters through its quality delivery of its community services detailed above. This bodes well for the generation of grants and donations in the future.

I would also like to acknowledge our members and associate members for their ongoing support in various roles within the operation of the Club and with the acquisition and maintenance of our resources.

We have had the opportunity to continue developing relationships further with the Raglan Community and I would like to thank the businesses and committees that help support surf lifesaving, including the Raglan Chamber of Commerce.

In terms of the 2015/16 season the key focus areas are:

1. The ongoing upskilling of our up and coming leaders and the membership generally.
2. Recruitment of experienced members of the community who can assist with Club and patrol management.
3. Further development of the Clubhouse as a community resource.
4. Completion of our clubhouse management policies, aimed at ensuring the clubhouse is family friendly and a fun place to be at for all members and visitors.
5. Continue to enhance our community profile by supporting community events such as the Maui Dolphin Day and having appropriate signage erected in Raglan to advertise our surf safety services that are available to the public.

6. Work with the Waikato Regional Council, the Waikato District Council and community agencies to resolve the issues created by the recent sand erosion of the Raglan beaches.

And lastly and certainly not least, a big thank you to our dedicated volunteer lifeguards, who have continued to grow in numbers this season and up-skill themselves to make our beach safer. Well done!

I look forward to working with you all again next season.

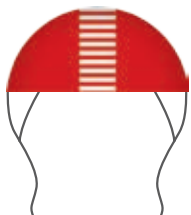
God bless

Andrew Withers

President/Club Chair

Trust Waikato Raglan Surf Lifesaving Club





Red Beach

The Red Beach Club and its members enjoyed another very busy and productive season.

After a reasonably promising start to the season and some pretty solid performances at the club carnivals before Christmas, things didn't quite come together for the remainder of the season. That being said, a successful defence of our own Owen Chapman Cup, a third place finish at ERC's, second at NRC's and eighth at Nationals are not exactly failures and within and alongside these results were some fantastic individual feats. The performances of the Pirates U23 Men's boat crew in taking Gold and the Sirens Open Women's crew taking third at the World Champs (Rescue 2014) in France in October were outstanding with the Sirens going on later in the season to represent New Zealand in the Trans-Tasman series with Australia. Congratulations also to Kelsi Boocock and Briar McLeely in being named in the New Zealand Development Squad and our club members representing New Zealand in Flatwater Kayaking at Junior and Open World Championships and hopefully helping qualify a women's crew for the Rio Olympics. Thanks to the hard work of our coaches Dan Peacocke and Vaughan Skiffington over the course of the season.

Our Juniors also had something of a lean year by their standards with a second placing at the District Champs, a seventh at Oceans 15 and a loss of the Cath and Eddie Millar Cup for just the first time in the last 13 years it has been contested. Again, however, there were some fantastic individual performances and away from the strictly competitive stuff, 300-plus kids and assorted parents, coaches and supporters enjoying themselves and learning valuable beach and water skills on a Sunday morning is a fantastic sight pointing to the continued future strength of the club.

Lifesaving activities were again spread across both Red Beach and Pakiri (over the peak of the season) with over 3,300 voluntary patrol hours logged and the 16 rescues being more than double the previous season. The large club that we are in members, patrolling two beaches still puts



a lot of strain on resources and a huge thanks to Robyn Presland, Debra Cairns and Craig Gledhill for their work in organising and co-ordinating patrols, the patrols themselves and particularly the 'Carnival' patrol who held the fort during carnivals and who were justifiably recognised at Prizegiving as 'Patrol of the Year'. Over the course of the year a further 39 new lifeguards received their "Bronzes" and in June, 14 keen souls gained their IRB qualifications.

A number of our rowers were privileged to participate in two significant Gallipoli 100 events commemorating the centenary of the Anzacs' landing. A group of 10 rowers plus supporters travelled to Gallipoli to join with Australian crews in rowing along the Dardanelles before landing at Anzac Cove on 22nd April. Another group also joined Australian crews for a re-enactment of the Anzac landings at Collaroy Beach. At the latter event our club patron Bryan Heron was given the honour of raising the New Zealand flag.

The financial statements show the club to be in relatively good shape, notwithstanding the continued challenges in generating income to meet the needs of an expanding membership base.

As always I would like to thank our sponsors, many of whom have now supported Red Beach for a number of years:

Our major Sponsors: **Flying Herons, Argosy Property Limited, NZ 1st Financial Services, Northern Arena, Dads Pies and Hiway Stabilizers.**

Our Red Beach Family of Sponsors continues to grow with a number providing in-kind support to the building project: **Allproof Industries, Cornish Truck & Van, D&H Steel Construction, Hutchinson Consulting Engineers, Pinewoods Holiday Park, Silverdale Liquor, Tegel, GBJ Concrete, Linfox, Orewa United Travel, Express Aluminium, Orewa New World, Blakey Contractors and Placemakers.** And also our **Business House Sponsorship** category with 28 local businesses signing up to support Red Beach.

We also acknowledge the generous support we again received from **BNZ** with their 'Closed for Good' initiative and various grants and donations received from **ASB Community Trust, Lion Foundation, B H Heron Lifeguard Trust, Harcourts Foundation, NZ Community Trust** and the **Lottery Grants Board.**

Our Club redevelopment has continued slowly with still some considerable work to be completed before we can say

we are finished (if ever). Delays have been a combination of timing (not to be building during the peak surf season), contractor availability and probably most importantly, funding limitations. Through the SLSNR Surf 10:20 initiative we are hopeful of receiving a further injection of funds to assist in completion of the building with an objective of completing in the 2015 calendar year.

Finally, thanks to all our members and wider community for their support over yet another busy season and congratulations to those Red Beach members who were recognised in the recent SLSNR Awards of Excellence.

Mike Taylor

President

Red Beach Surf Life Saving Club





Ruakaka

Ruakaka has 390 members, many of these memberships comprise young families. We have a thriving junior surf programme, three full compliments of patrols and some serious and successful surf athletes, some of whom we had the pleasure to watch compete here on our beach during the Harcourts Northern Regional Champs.

PATROL OPERATIONS

Once again our Club Captain Tania Ahrens has done a grand job leading our guards through a memorable year of interventions and rescues. Tania attributes the increase in numbers of rescues and preventative actions to physical changes to our beach following some significant storms.

We live in changing times; physical changes to the beach means increased risk and demographic changes in our beach-user population exacerbated by warming waters.

62 people drowned in New Zealand during the first six months of this year with six tragedies happening right here in Bream Bay. Nationally this is a 30 % increase on 2014 but a doubling for Northland. While this has been addressed by Surf Lifesaving nationally we need to remind ourselves that these changes in beach use and user risk-taking may be most apparent in locations such as Ruakaka. We have responded to this challenge: nationally 342 new lifeguards qualified in the 2014/15 season. That is an average of 18 per club. Thanks largely to Gretchen's efforts, our club qualified 29.



I would like to take this chance to mention the Summer Safe Car parks programme. Every patrol weekend a couple of guards distributed flyers to the vehicles parked adjacent to the club. This programme was run from eight car parks in the region and during the patrol days there wasn't a single theft.

OPERATIONAL SUPPORT

We have a lot of gear; thank you to Ryan, Craig, Ben and Dene, Joel and John for taking care of it.

This coming year we hope to expand our patrols with recognised patrol support staff. The objective is to capture the maturity and experience of members with critical skill sets who are not interested in qualifying as regular guards or who no longer wish to refresh as active guards.

ADMINISTRATION

The noted changes from administration are the uptake of our own EFTPOS account which has appreciably eased the processing of the growing number of membership payments. We have now transferred our accounts to Xero with the support of our Treasurer, Phillipa.

JUNIOR SURF

Coaching Nippers on the beach is the very definition of a perfect summer Sunday morning.

Our annual Gala Day was, once again a success due to the hard work and excellent organisation of Neil Campbell and all the helpers. A special highlight was the pleasure of having Brian Hutton, one of our club's founding members, back on the beach to help out.

NEW CAPABILITIES

This coming season a Rescue Water Craft (Jet-ski) will be stationed here at Ruakaka to serve the Bream Bay area, thanks to the hard work and generosity of the Whangarei, Waipu and Marsden Lions Clubs.

FACILITIES RENEWAL

Our current clubhouse was built in 1982 and has served us extremely well. Some very important infrastructure upgrades have already been done: a new water tank and our wastewater system sorted, a number of electrical upgrades and a new floor and work station in the tower. That is just the beginning.

GOVERNANCE

I would like to recognise David Traill. It is great to have David in our club and on our patrol roster. Most importantly, David brings a wealth of knowledge and experience on risk analysis and organisational governance to our club and to the organisation as a whole.

FUTURE PROOFING

I encourage all our committee members to identify deputies who will assist them in their work and hopefully gain the interest to assume roles in the future. Being a guard, coach, surf official or sausage sizzler is great fun. You don't need to be a great athlete, you just need the willingness to contribute to a great team.

Thank you all.

Andrew Forsythe

President

Ruakaka Surf Life Saving Patrol



Sunset Beach

During the summer of 2014/2015 the Club was placed under immense pressure from the on-going erosion of the public assets at Sunset Beach. The lower car park and the rescue tower faced erosion that has resulted in the car park being closed off for public use and the tower has also needed to be relocated at the expense of the club.

A partnership approach of: Waikato District Council, Department of Conservation and Trust Waikato Sunset Beach Lifeguard Service has been established to determine an holistic approach to this major problem.

The Club has embarked on a feasibility study funded by Trust Waikato for the planning of a new complex on the recently purchased land adjacent to the existing clubhouse.

The new facility is proposed to house emergency medical and clinic facilities, equipment storage, a communications centre, accommodation and community access to meeting rooms. We have set a target of 2017 to have this completed.

Our beach patrolling was again up to the highest lifeguard standards and from five SLSNR Audits carried out over the season we achieved a 100% outcome for each audit.

We continue to provide an emergency service to the region and community and our volunteer lifeguards worked a total of 3,753 hours over the summer which resulted in 22 ocean rescues and 1,825 preventative actions involving 9,245 people. In addition, we assisted the Police in after-hours call outs for accidents. An outstanding contribution to the community.



The Club continues to recruit new members from the region and our current membership stands at 141 which is the highest for many years. In collaboration with the Pukekohe High School , we conducted Lifeguard introductory sessions which involved 300 potential recruits over a two week period. This innovative approach to recruitment will stand us in good stead for the future.

Our principal sponsor, Trust Waikato continues to provide operational funding and specific grants for our Junior Lifeguard program. The Club is indeed grateful to the Trustees of Trust Waikato for their long term support. Trust Waikato have announced that a new three year term of sponsorship will continue through until 2018. Truly a marvellous partnership. The NZCT Trust provides the Club with Gaming Grants that enable us to provide competitive and operational equipment throughout the season. Our competition team is funded by way of grants to attend competitive events throughout New Zealand. The results we have achieved through this partnership/sponsorship has placed the Club at the top of the region and nationally in IRB Racing.

My thanks to our volunteer lifeguards who give so willingly of their time to patrol the beach throughout the summer,



and to the club executive for the hours of volunteer service they give in administering the club's business. Finally to the families and the community who support us all summer long we simply can't express our thanks enough to you.

Malcolm Beattie obe
President, Life Member
Sunset Beach Lifeguard Service



United North Piha

United's 2014 AGM saw a change in personnel for 8 of the 9 available positions and the adoption of a new constitution. Mick Kearney, the new chairman, provided the leadership and support to ensure the transition was seamless and for the new committee to be effective in their roles.

The club maintained 2 fully serviced patrol areas on North Piha Beach during the peak of the season, recording 11% less volunteer patrol hours than the 2013/14 year. However, the effectiveness of our lifeguards work on the beach is reflected in the increase of preventative actions by 20%, with these interventions impacting some 3600 beach users.

A long held program of rescue equipment management planning ensures that IRB's and ATV's are in near new condition so that patrols are not impacted by breakdowns and maintenance costs are minimal, the provision of this equipment achieved is from the regular financial support of Foundation North, Waitakere and Portage Licencing Trusts and other community trusts.

Our active patrolling membership was slightly down this past season and a focus has been placed on recruitment to boost patrolling numbers for the upcoming and future seasons. Our experience of the Diversity Program was that it was poorly supported by SLSNR and the Schools involved. Very few of the candidates had a real interest in actually being involved in Lifesaving, so significant hours of our club instructors' time was expended for minimal membership returns, compared with that of our standard recruiting strategy.

This season the club has invested heavily in the development and upskilling of its members, sending 4 representatives to each of the Intermediate Lifeguard School and Youth Development Camps and over 50% of the active members gaining Level 2 or 3 First Aid qualifications, VHF Radio qualifications, or IRB qualifications.



United's Junior Guard program has reached its pre-set limit of 60 participants, and received a major boost with new soft top boards sponsored by the NZ Community Trust.

A major success of the junior surf program was the surfing lessons provided by Matt Sheales of Tamariki Tours. The success of our junior surf program can be measured in the number of current patrolling members who have come through these ranks.

Catie Mulrennan, our new Director of Surf Sports procured a surf boat for the club to expand the opportunity for members to take part in team events and to compliment the existing canoe crews.

We take this opportunity to acknowledge the excellent work carried out by SLSNR professional staff and their responsive attitude to our requests for assistance. In particular, we would like to congratulate Matt Williams for his tenacity and efforts with the Surf 10:20 Project, achieving \$1.9m from Auckland Council. As one of the clubs that has been involved with this program since it was first mooted in 2009, having had Resource Consent in place for 4 years we look forward to moving the project forward.

The club has been impacted by a 12% reduction in income this season, over half of which was due to lower operational grants from SLSNR & SLSNZ and reduced venue and equipment hire payments from the Regional Guard Service and Beach Education programs.

United look forward to improved communication and engagement with the new SLSNR Board, in the 2015/16 season.

Gareth Neilson
President

United North Piha Surf Life Saving Club



Waipu Cove

What a summer, it was one out of the bag. As we sit through a cold, but as not yet very damp winter, the new season is almost upon us. To everybody involved in Waipu Cove SLSC, I just want to say thank you, this club is run by volunteers and you do a fabulous job. Junior Surf through to the committee members and very importantly the surf life guards. The club only exists because of your efforts, both during the patrolling season and especially the off season. Please keep up the great work; I know how frustrating it can be at times. A special thanks to Jaine Curran who is standing down as Club Captain this year. Jaine has done an awesome job organising everybody and especially sorting out the ever present paperwork. Thankfully Jaine is staying on as a patrol leader so her experience and attention to detail will be greatly appreciated.

Before I go any further I just want to acknowledge the passing of our Registrar of 22 years, Ian MacLaine. Ian, a past president of Waipu Cove SLSC, among many other surf achievements regionally and nationally, served the club faithfully for 51 years. To the members of Ian's family present today, thank you for allowing Ian to devote so much of his and your time to the rebuilding and development of the strong club that we have today, a fitting tribute to a well loved man.

Although we have had a fantastic summer it has been tinged with sadness in the water as well, we have had two drownings in Bream Bay over the 2014/15 season. Although there are never any winners in these situations, our surf lifeguards handled themselves with professionalism and courage, well done to those involved.

Now to the remainder of the 2014/15 season, in terms of our primary role in making our patrolled beach safe, Waipu Cove

surf life guards have had a memorable season. Statistically everything is on the rise, as you will notice when you read the season summary. Regionally and nationally we have held our own in awards granted and participation in competition events, bring on 'Oceans 2016' and Ohope beach Nationals next year. Perhaps most importantly though we have a vibrant club which is open to all age groups and welcoming to all life guards, juniors, parents, friends and family; long may this continue.

Now to the future, what will 2015/16 bring? Firstly I hope it brings you all back to Waipu Cove in whatever role, we need you all. We have obviously made a commitment to patrol our beach from Labour Weekend until Easter 2016, this is our primary role. This commitment however does not exclude FUN and it does not exclude FRIENDS, if your friends are not interested in surf or life saving there are plenty of other things to do and help out with, so bring them along. As a very famous World War One poster once said – WE NEED YOU!

You may have noticed a few changes to the club; hopefully it has become more user-friendly, warmer and drier. We are encouraging more groups to hire, as this is where our economic future lies. With increased income comes increased independence. If we can be financially self-sufficient we can grow at our pace and not be told how to run our club.

Signing off for the old season and looking forward to the new, your president:

Rick Stolwerk

President

Waipu Cove Surf Life Saving Club





Whangarei Heads

Whangarei Heads Volunteer Surf Life Saving Patrol have had another successful season, clocking up 2,843 volunteer hours, 13 rescues, 31 first aids and 4 searches. We had a total of 39 active lifeguards over the season and of those, 46% patrolled more than 50 hours which goes to show the continued commitment our guards have to keeping our beach safe. We were blessed with a summer of good weather and regular surf which made our weekends at the beach even more pleasant

We do have some trials ahead of us, noting that a large portion of the work required to keep the club running continues to be done by a small handful of people with the risk of burnout increasing as the year's progress. We are working on ways to remedy this, including starting a succession plan which will help with our major issue of a large amount of the club operational knowledge residing within a few key members.

After many years of service, and after taking our Junior Surf movement from an uncoordinated adhoc structure to a robust and highly desired programme, our Junior Surf Coordinator, Sue Bidois has handed over the reins to a new Coordinator, Angie Ohlson. Angie steps into the role having a good base of parents who will help ensure we continue to see growth and success in our Junior Surf programme.

With a core group of keen youngsters coming through the ranks we are hoping for further growth in the number of our lifeguards who represent Whangarei Heads around Northern Region, in roles from Event Lifeguarding to Regional Lifeguard Service to SurfCom.

Lindsay Hill

President

Whangarei Heads Volunteer Surf Life Saving Patrol



2014 Harcourts Northern Regional Pool Championships

West Wave Aquatic Centre, 20th & 21st September 2014

CLUB RESULTS

Place	Club	Points
1st	Piha	226
2nd	Mairangi Bay	125
3rd	Orewa	121.5

4x50m Obstacle Relay

U12 Men	
1st	Orewa A
2nd	Piha A
U12 Women	
1st	Orewa B
2nd	Red Beach A
3rd	Piha A
U14 Men	
1st	Mairangi Bay A
2nd	Red Beach A
3rd	Orewa A
U14 Women	
1st	Mairangi Bay A
2nd	Orewa B
3rd	Piha A
U16 Men	
1st	Mairangi Bay A
2nd	Piha A
3rd	Red Beach A
U16 Women	
1st	Mairangi Bay A
2nd	Piha A
3rd	Red Beach A
U19 Men	
1st	Piha A
2nd	Kariotahi A
U19 Women	
1st	Kariotahi A
2nd	Bethells Beach A
Open Men	
1st	Piha A
2nd	Piha B
Open Women	
1st	Piha A
Masters	
1st	Orewa A
2nd	Red Beach A

100m Rescue Medley

U16 Men		
1st	S Fairbairn	MB
2nd	K Kramer	RB
3rd	J Brown	MB
U16 Women		
1st	J Tairua-Doyle	PIHA
2nd	E Drinnan	ORE
3rd	E Cripps	MB
U19 Men		
1st	M White	PIHA
2nd	A Reiser	MB
3rd	A Parker	PIHA
U19 Women		
1st	A Ryland-Higgins	KARIO
2nd	L Ioelu	PIHA
3rd	B Williams	PIHA
Open Men		
1st	S Newcombe	PIHA
2nd	S Ferguson	PIHA
3rd	V Hahn	PIHA
Open Women		
1st	K Wannan	PIHA
4x50m Medley Relay		
U12 Men		
1st	Orewa A	
2nd	Piha A	
U12 Women		
1st	Orewa B	
2nd	Red Beach A	
3rd	Piha A	
U14 Men		
1st	Red Beach A	
2nd	Mairangi Bay A	
3rd	Mairangi Bay B	
U14 Women		
1st	Mairangi Bay A	
2nd	Orewa B	
3rd	Piha A	

ABBREVIATIONS

FN	Far North
WH	Whangarei Heads
RUA	Ruakaka
WC	Waipu Cove
MH	Mangawhai Heads
OMA	Omaha
ORE	Orewa
RB	Red Beach
MB	Mairangi Bay
RAG	Raglan
SUN	Sunset Beach
KARIO	Kariaotahi
KK	Karekare
PIHA	Piha
UNP	United North Piha
BB	Bethells Beach
MUR	Muriwai
FITZ	Fitzroy
TM	Taylor's Mistake
TB	Titahi Bay
LB	Lyll Bay
NPOB	New Plymouth Old Boys
PAP	Papamoa
WHANG	Whangamata
MM	Mount Maunganui

U16 Men		
1st	Mairangi Bay A	
2nd	Piha A	
3rd	Red Beach A	
U16 Women		
1st	Mairangi A	
2nd	Red Beach A	
3rd	Hot Water Beach A	
U19 Men		
1st	Piha A	
2nd	Kariotahi A	
U19 Women		
1st	Kariotahi A	
Open Men		
1st	Piha B	
2nd	Orewa A	
3rd	Kariotahi A	
Open Women		
	Piha A	
	Kariotahi A	
100m Manikin Tow		
U16 Men		
1st	S Fairbairn	MB
2nd	B Coombes	MB
3rd	J Brown	MB
U16 Women		
1st	H Newnham-McGrath	PIHA
2nd	E Drinnan	ORE
3rd	D Ryland-Higgins	KARIO
U19 Men		
1st	M White	PIHA
2nd	A Reiser	MB
3rd	A Walker	PIHA
U19 Women		
1st	A Ryland-Higgins	KARIO
2nd	B Williams	PIHA
3rd	L Ioelu	PIHA
Open Men		
1st	S Newcombe	PIHA
2nd	V Hahn	PIHA
3rd	P Marsh	PIHA
Open Women		
1st	K Wannan	PIHA
2nd	B Camplin	PIHA
Masters Men		
1st	S Ferguson	PIHA
2nd	T Burgess	ORE
3rd	R Moratti	RB
Masters Women		
1st	S Athineou	BB
2nd	E De Kort	ORE
3rd	K Kramer	RB

6x 50m Mega Relay		
Open Mixed		
1st	Mairangi A	
2nd	Piha A	
3rd	Piha B	
50m Rescue Medley		
U11 Men		
1st	N Makaea	ORE
2nd	G Wenman	ORE
3rd	H Fernie	PIHA
U11 Women		
1st	N Burke	ORE
2nd	S Bester	ORE
3rd	M Kaka-White	MU
U12 Men		
1st	B Elliot	KARIO
2nd	C McDermott	RB
3rd	A Kirkman	ORE
U12 Women		
1st	E Sutherland	ORE
2nd	A Te Aukura	MB
3rd	K Wignell	ORE
Under13 Men		
1st	J Selman	RB
2nd	J Thompson	PIHA
3rd	H Wenman	ORE
Under13 Women		
1st	A Quirke	MB
2nd	M Brittenden	PIHA
3rd	L Holloway	MB
Under14 Men		
1st	Z Cooke	PIHA
2nd	M Slessor-White	MB
3rd	T Slaughter	PIHA
Under14 Women		
1st	L Makaea	ORE
2nd	I Hillman	MB
3rd	T Denvir	RB
4 x 25m Manikin Relay		
Under16 Men		
1st	Mairangi Bay A	
2nd	Red Beach A	
3rd	Piha A	
Under16 Women		
1st	Piha A	
2nd	Mairangi Bay A	
Under19 Men		
1st	Piha A	
Under19 Women		
1st	Kariotahi A	
2nd	Bethells Beach A	
Open Men		
1st	Piha A	
2nd	Piha B	

2014 Harcourts Northern Regional Pool Championships

Open Women		
1st	Piha A	
4 x 25m Brick Relay		
U12 Men		
1st	Orewa A	
2nd	Piha A	
U12 Women		
1st	Mairangi Bay A	
2nd	Orewa B	
3rd	Piha A	
U14 Men		
1st	Mairangi Bay A	
2nd	Piha A	
3rd	Orewa A	
U14 Women		
1st	Mairangi Bay A	
2nd	Orewa B	
3rd	Mairangi Bay B	
100m Patient Tow		
U12 Men		
1st	Red Beach A	
2nd	Orewa B	
3rd	Piha A	
U12 Women		
1st	Orewa B	
2nd	Orewa A	
3rd	Red Beach A	
U14 Men		
1st	Mairangi Bay A	
2nd	Red Beach B	
3rd	Orewa D	
U14 Women		
1st	Mairangi Bay A	
2nd	Orewa D	
3rd	Mairangi Bay C	
50m Swim with Fins		
U11 Men		
1st	N Makaea	ORE
2nd	G Wenman	ORE
3rd	H Fernie	PIHA
U11 Women		
1st	N Burke	ORE
2nd	S Bester	ORE
3rd	C Delaney	PIHA
U12 Men		
1st	B Elliot	KARIO
2nd	H Williams	RB
3rd	R Clancy	PIHA
U12 Women		
1st	A Te Aukura	MB
2nd	E Sutherland	ORE
3rd	K Wignell	ORE

U13 Men		
1st	J Selman	RB
2nd	M Denvir	RB
3rd	M Armstrong	PIHA
U13 Women		
1st	A Quirke	MB
2nd	M Brittenden	PIHA
3rd	N MacKenzie	PIHA
U14 Men		
1st	M Slessor-White	MB
2nd	T Smeets	ORE
3rd	T Slaughter	PIHA
U14 Women		
1st	L Makaea	ORE
2nd	T Denvir	RB
3rd	A Schwalger	BB
U16 Men		
1st	S Fairbairn	MB
1st	T Ambler	PIHA
2nd	J Brown	MB
U16 Women		
1st	H Newnham-McGrath	PIHA
2nd	E Drinnan	ORE
3rd	E Cripps	MB
U19 Men		
1st	M White	PIHA
2nd	A Walker	PIHA
3rd	A Parker	PIHA
U19 Women		
1st	A Ryland-Higgins	KARIO
2nd	L Ioelu	PIHA
3rd	R Gleeson	BB
Open Men		
1st	S Newcombe	PIHA
2nd	V Hahn	PIHA
3rd	T Jacka	PIHA
Open Women		
1st	K Wannan	PIHA
2nd	B Camplin	PIHA
3rd	S Nogueira Ribiro	BB
Masters Men		
1st	S Ferguson	PIHA
2nd	T Burgess	ORE
3rd	K Dray-Winter	BB
Masters Women		
1st=	E Wenman	PAP
1st=	J McDermott	MB
3rd	A Blackler	WHANG
100m Manikin Carry with Fins		
Open Men		
1st	M White	PIHA
2nd	S Fairbairn	MB
3rd	S Ferguson	PIHA

Open Women		
1st	A Ryland-Higgins	KARIO
2nd	K Wannan	PIHA
3rd	B Williams	PIHA

Line Throw

U19 Men		
1st	Mairangi Bay A	
2nd	Piha B	
3rd	Piha A	

U19 Women		
1st	Kariotahi A	
2nd	Piha A	
3rd	Kariotahi B	

Open Men		
1st	Piha C	
2nd	Piha A	
3rd	Kariotahi A	

Open Women		
1st	Piha B	
2nd	Piha A	

Masters Men		
1st	Orewa B	
2nd	Red Beach A	
3rd	Orewa A	

Masters Women		
1st	Red Beach A	
2nd	Bethells Beach A	
3rd	Bethells Beach B	

200m Super Lifesaver

Open Men		
1st	M White	PIHA
2nd	S Ferguson	PIHA
3rd	S Newcombe	PIHA

Open Women		
1st	K Wannan	PIHA
2nd	E Drinnan	ORE
3rd	B Camplin	PIHa

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Ruakaka, 14th & 15th February 2015

CLUB RESULTS

Place	Club	Points
1st	Red Beach	240
2nd	Papamoa	211
3rd	Orewa	185

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

MEN

Beach Sprint U16 Men		
1	R Gilmour	PIHA
2	R Delaney	PIHA
3	S Somerville	CANT
Beach Sprint U19 Men		
1	J Hurley	MB
2	C Busby	RB
3	A Parker	PIHA
Beach Sprint Open Men		
1	J Hurley	MB
2	A Saunders	ORE
3	B Battaerd	WHANG
Beach Sprint Masters Men		
1	M Readman	RB
2	R Rogers	RB
3	K Dray-Winter	BB
2km Beach Run U16 Men		
1	S Somerville	CANT
2	O Dove	PIHA
3	J Gordon	PIHA
2km Beach Run U19 Men		
1	J Balk	CANT
2	A Parker	PIHA
3	E McCathie	ORE
2km Beach Run Open Men		
1	N Berry	PIHA
2	G Hunter	MB
3	B Gillies	PIHA
2km Beach Run Masters Men		
1	A Newick	BB
2	N Gordon	BB
3	F Maher	OMA
Run Swim Run U16 Men		
1	T Ambler	PIHA
2	O Williams	WHANG
3	F Campbell-Scott	WHANG

Run Swim Run U19 Men		
1	C Jeffery	CANT
2	C Drinnan	ORE
3	A Walker	PIHA
Run Swim Run Open Men		
1	B Gillies	PIHA
2	S Newcombe	PIHA
3	B Battaerd	WHANG
Surf Race & Teams U16 Men		
1	R Godfrey	MM
2	S Johnson	MM
3	F Campbell-Scott	ORE
1st	Muriwai (Jam)	
2nd	Red Beach (1)	
3rd	Piha (Black)	
Surf Race & Teams U19 Men		
1	C Drinnan	ORE
2	C Beamish	MB
3	A Walker	PIHA
1st	Piha (Black)	
2nd	Orewa (Blue)	
Surf Race & Teams Open Men		
1	S Ferguson	PIHA
2	S Newcombe	PIHA
3	B Gillies	PIHA
1st	Piha (Black)	
2nd	Whangamata (Black)	
3rd	Orewa (Blue)	
Surf Race Masters Men		
1	W Campbell	MM
2	N Gordon	BB
3	A Wright	RUA
Beach Relay U16 Men		
1	Piha (Black)	
2	Orewa (Blue)	
3	Red Beach (1)	

ABBREVIATIONS

FN	Far North
WH	Whangarei Heads
RUA	Ruakaka
WC	Waipu Cove
MH	Mangawhai Heads
OMA	Omaha
ORE	Orewa
RB	Red Beach
MB	Mairangi Bay
RAG	Raglan
SUN	Sunset Beach
KARIO	Kariaotahi
KK	Karekare
PIHA	Piha
UNP	United North Piha
BB	Bethells Beach
MUR	Muriwai
FITZ	Fitzroy
TM	Taylor's Mistake
MM	Mount Maunganui
WS	Westshore
OMANU	Omanu
WHANG	Whangamata
PAP	Papamoa
WB	Waihi Beach
WAI	Waikanae

Beach Relay U19 Men		
1	Mairangi Bay (A)	
2	Piha (Black)	
3	Red Beach (1)	
Beach Relay Open Men		
1	Mairangi Bay (A)	
2	Orewa (Blue)	
3	Red Beach (1)	
Beach Relay Masters Men		
1	Bethells Beach (Bethell Studs)	
2	Red Beach (Rascals)	
3	Red Beach (Lionred)	
Tube Rescue U16 Men		
1	Whangamata (Red)	
2	Muriwai (Jam)	
3	Piha (Black)	
Tube Rescue U19 Men		
1	Mairangi Bay (A)	
2	Piha (Black)	
3	Mairangi Bay (C)	
Tube Rescue Open Men		
1	Piha (Black)	
2	Piha (Green)	
3	Whangamata (Black)	
Board Race U16 Men		
1	H Gledhill	RB
2	S Johnson	CANT
3	R Godfrey	CANT
Board Race U19 Men		
1	J Scott	ORE
2	M Thetford	RB
3	W Rebberds	CANT
Board Race Open Men		
1	B Battaerd	WHANG
2	W Rebberds	CANT
3	C Jeffrey	CANT
Board Race Masters Men		
1	W Campbell	MM
2	F Maher	OMA
3	N Gordon	BB
Board Rescue U16 Men		
1	Whangamata (Black)	
2	Canterbury	
3	Red Beach (2)	
Board Rescue U19 Men		
1	Canterbury	
2	Piha (Black)	
3	Orewa (White)	
Board Rescue Open Men		
1	Piha (Green)	
2	Red Beach (1)	
3	Canterbury	
Board Relay U16 Mens		
1	Whangamata (Black)	
2	Red Beach (1)	
3	Orewa (Blue)	
Board Relay U19 Mens		
1	Canterbury	

2	Orewa (Blue)	
3	Orewa (Red)	
Board Relay Open Mens		
1	Red Beach (1)	
2	Piha (Black)	
3	Whangamata (Black)	
Double Ski U19 Men		
1	Orewa (Blue)	
2	Mairangi Bay (A)	
3	Piha (Black)	
Double Ski Open Men		
1	Piha (Black)	
2	Mairangi Bay (A)	
3	Mairangi Bay (C)	
Double Ski Masters Men		
1	Bethells Beach (BB Borrowers)	
2	Mt Maunganui (B)	
3	Mt Maunganui (A)	
Ski Race U16 Men		
1	S Readman	RB
2	C Tall	ORE
3	H Shaw	RB
Ski Race U19 Men		
1	J Scott	ORE
2	M Broderick	MM
3	J Reshef	MB
Ski Race Open Men		
1	M Lee	MB
2	S Ferguson	PIHA
3	T Mitchell	MB
Ski Race Masters Men		
1	W Campbell	MM
2	N Gordon	BB
3	A Newick	BB
Ironman U16 Men		
1	O Williams	WHANG
2	H Gladhill	RB
3	C Bradding	WHANG
Ironman U19 Men		
1	J Scott	ORE
2	C Jeffery	CANT
3	A Parker	PIHA
Ironman Open Men		
1	S Ferguson	PIHA
2	B Battaerd	WHANG
3	B Gillies	PIHA
Ironman Masters Men		
1	W Campbell	MM
2	M Readman	RB
3	J Allan	MM
Taplin Relay U16 Men		
1	Whangamata (Black)	
2	Red Beach (2)	
3	Canterbury	
Taplin Relay U19 Men		
1	Orewa (Blue)	
2	Canterbury	
3	Mairangi Bay (A)	

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Taplin Relay Open Men		
1	Piha (Black)	
2	Orewa (Blue)	
3	Red Beach (1)	
Ski Relay U19 Male		
1	Orewa (Blue)	
2	Mairangi Bay (A)	
3	Mairangi Bay (B)	
Ski Relay Open Men		
1	Piha (Black)	
2	Mairangi Bay (A)	
3	Red Beach (1)	
Beach Flags U16 Mens		
1	R Gilmour	PIHA
2	R Delaney	PIHA
3	C Owens	ORE
Beach Flags U19 Mens		
1	L Gjaltema	RB
2	C Pearson	ORE
3	R Gjaltema	RB
Beach Flags Open Mens		
1	D Rippon	PIHA
2	A Saunders	ORE
3	L Gjaltema	RB
Beach Flags Masters Mens		
1	M Dray-Hogg	BB
2	W Campbell	MB
3	P Barron	MM
BOAT and CANOE RESULTS		
Short Course Canoe U19 Women		
1	Red Beach (Antagonists)	
2	Waihi Beach (Waihi A)	
3	Orewa (Orewa Jets)	
Short Course Canoe U19 Men		
1	Red Beach (Lazyandreds)	
Short Course Canoe Open Women		
1	Red Beach (Rockingreds)	
2	United North Piha (Canoodlers)	
Short Course Canoe Open Men		
1	Red Beach (Flyingmalyons)	
2	Red Beach (Lionred)	
3	Karekare (The A Team)	
Short Course Canoe Masters Women		
1	Red Beach (Rockingreds)	
2	Red Beach (Flyingmalyons)	
3	Bethells Beach (Bethalls Boogie Boards)	
Short Course Canoe Masters Men		
1	Red Beach (Flyingmalyons)	
2	Waipu Cove (A)	
3	Red Beach (Lionred)	
Short Course Boats U19 Women		
1	Red Beach (Blakeysangels)	
2	Muriwai (Minis)	
3	Bethells Beach (Beauties)	
Short Course Boats U19 Men		
1	Red Beach (Doomsquad)	

2	Bethells Beach (Bolt)	
Short Course Boats U23 Women		
1	Orewa (Orewa Stars)	
2	Bethells Beach (Birds)	
3	Muriwai (Muzzies)	
Short Course Boats U23 Men		
1	Red Beach (Pirates)	
2	Orewa (Orewa Outlaws)	
Short Course Boats Open Women		
1	Muriwai (Cats)	
2	Orewa (Orewa Ospreys)	
3	Orewa (Zee Zee)	
Short Course Boats Open Men		
1	Orewa (Orewa Thunders)	
2	Red Beach (Boomers)	
3	Orewa (Orewa Snipers)	
Long Course Canoe U19 Women		
1	Red Beach (Antagonists)	
2	Waihi Beach (Waihi A)	
3	Red Beach (Roros)	
Long Course Canoe U19 Men		
1	Waipu Cove (A)	
2	Red Beach (Lazyandreds)	
Long Course Canoe Open Women		
1	Red Beach (Rockingreds)	
2	United North Piha (Canoodlers)	
3	Bethells Beach (Bethells Birds)	
Long Course Canoe Open Men		
1	Red Beach (Flyingmalyons)	
2	Red Beach (Lionred)	
3	United North Piha (A)	
Long Course Canoe Masters Women		
1	Red Beach (Rockingreds)	
2	Red Beach (Flyingherons)	
3	Bethells Beach (Bethalls Boogie Boards)	
Long Course Canoe Masters Men		
1	Red Beach (Flyingmalyons)	
2	Red Beach (Lionred)	
3	Red Bach (Rascals)	
Long Course Boats U19 Men		
1	Red Beach (Doomsquad)	
2	Bethells Beach (Bolts)	
Long Course Boats U19 Women		
1	Red Beach (Blaketsangels)	
2	Muriwai (Minis)	
3	Bethells Beach (Beauties)	
Long Course Boats U23 Women		
1	Muriwai (Muzzies)	
2	Red Beach (Giggles)	
3	Bethells Beach (Birds)	
Long Course Boats U23 Men		
1	Red Beach (Pirates)	
2	Orewa (Orewa Outlaws)	
Long Course Boats Open Women		
1	Bethells Beach (Baracudas)	
2	Muriwai (Cats)	

3	Orewa (Orewa Ospreys)	
Long Course Boats Open Men		
1	Orewa (Orewa Thunder)	
2	Orewa (Orewa Snipers)	
3	Mairangi Bay (Mad Dogs)	
WOMEN		
Beach Flags U16 Women		
1	B Downey	RB
2	A Lockie	ORE
3	G Lucas	WC
Beach Flags U19 Women		
1	A Harding	MB
2	H Williams	PIHA
3	E Stanford	MUR
Beach Flags Open Women		
1	A Harding	MB
2	A Lockie	ORE
3	B Camplin	PIHA
Beach Flags Masters Women		
1	L McCallum	BB
2	J Campbell	MM
3	A Cooper	BB
Beach Sprint U16 Women		
1	A Lockie	ORE
2	A Turner	MB
3	L Puckett	OMA
Beach Sprint U19 Women		
1	G Swanney	WB
2	B Moffat	WC
3	A Harding	MB
Beach Sprint Open Women		
1	A Harding	MB
2	G Newman	MB
3	M De Kort	ORE
Beach Sprint Masters Women		
1	M Hill	BB
2	D Collings	OMA
3	S Randell	ORE
2km Beach Run U16 Women		
1	G.Pitt	MUR
2	E. Walker	PIHA
3	K Hunter	MB
2km Beach Run U19 Women		
1	L Johnson	PIHA
2	H Williams	PIHA
3	A Ryland-Higgins	PIHA
2km Beach Run Open Women		
1	L Bailey	RB
2	K Wanna	PIHA
3	N Johnson	RB
2km Beach Run Masters Women		
1	J O'Conner	MM
2	L McCallum	BB
3	S Randell	ORE
Run Swim Run U16 Women		
1	G Patelesio	PIHA
2	E Drinnan	ORE

3	D Ryland-Higgins	PIHA
Run Swim Run U19 Women		
1	H Williams	PIHA
2	K Boocock	RB
3	A Ryland-Higgins	PIHA
Run Swim Run Open Women		
1	K Wanna	PIHA
2	D McKenzie	MB
3	L Bailey	RB
Surf Race & Teams U16 Women		
1	E Drinnan	ORE
2	E Cripps	MB
3	J Tairua-Doyle	PIHA
1st	Piha (Black)	
2nd	Mairangi Bay (A)	
3rd	Red Beach (1)	
Surf Race & Teams U19 Women		
1	H Williams	PIHA
2	K Boocock	RB
3	A Ryland-Higgins	PIHA
1st	Piha (Black)	
2nd	Muriwai	
Surf Race & Teams Open Women		
1	D McKenzie	MB
2	K Boocock	RB
3	K Wanna	PIHA
1st	Piha (Black)	
2nd	Mairangi Bay (A)	
3rd	Red Beach (1)	
Surf Race Masters Women		
1st	J O'Conner	MM
2nd	D Reardon	MM
3rd	D Collings	OMA
Beach Relay U16 Women		
1	Orewa (Blue)	
2	Mairangi Bay (A)	
3	Waipu Cove (A)	
Beach Relay U19 Women		
1	Orewa (Blue)	
2	Mairangi Bay (A)	
3	Omaha (C)	
Beach Relay Open Women		
1	Mairangi Bay (A)	
2	Orewa (Blue)	
3	Red Beach (1)	
Beach Relay Masters Women		
1	Bethells Beach (Bethells Boogie Broads)	
2	Red Beach (Rockingreds)	
Tube Rescue U16 Women		
1	Piha (Green)	
2	Whangamata (A)	
3	Red Beach (1)	
Tube Rescue U19 Women		
1	Orewa (Red)	
2	Red Beach (2)	
3	Mairangi Bay(A)	

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Tube Rescue Open Women		
1	Piha (Black)	
2	Mairangi Bay (B)	
3	Mairangi Bay (A)	
Board Race U16 Women		
1	A Phipps	MB
2	B Downey	RB
3	J Tairua-Doyle	PIHA
Board Race U19 Women		
1	H Williams	PIHA
2	K Boocock	RB
3	A McKenzie	MB
Board Race Open Women		
1	D McKenzie	MB
2	M Boon	MB
3	C Jeffrey	CANT
Board Race Masters Women		
1	J O'Connor	MM
2	D Reardon	MM
3	S Randell	ORE
Board Rescue U16 Women		
1	Orewa (Blue)	
2	Piha (Black)	
3	Red Beach (1)	
Board Rescue U19 Women		
1	Red Beach (1)	
2	Piha (Black)	
3	Mairangi Bay (A)	
Board Rescue Open Women		
1	Mairangi Bay (A)	
2	Red Beach (1)	
3	Red Beach (2)	
Board Relay U16 Women		
1	Piha (Black)	
2	Red Beach (1)	
Board Relay U19 Women		
1	Mairangi Bay (A)	
2	Red Beach (1)	
3	Orewa (Blue)	
Board Relay Open Women		
1	Mairangi Bay (A)	
2	Piha (Black)	
3	Red Beach (1)	
Double Ski U19 Women		
1	Mairangi Bay (A)	
2	Orewa (B)	
3	Mairangi Bay (B)	
Double Ski Open Women		
1	Mairangi Bay (A)	
2	Piha (Black)	
3	Red Beach (1)	
Double Ski Masters Women		
1	Mt Maunganui	
Ski Race U16 Women		
1	B Downey	RB
2	C Wheeler	MB
3	B Vari	RB

Ski Race U19 Women		
1	H Williams	PIHA
2	A McKenzie	MB
3	K McKenzie	MB
Ski Race Open Women		
1	D McKenzie	MB
2	M Boon	MB
3	L Bailey	RB
Ski Race Masters Women		
1	D Reardon	MM
Diamond Lady U16		
1	J Tairua-Doyle	PIHA
2	E Walker	PIHA
3	E Drinnan	ORE
U19 Ironwoman		
1	H Williams	PIHA
2	K McKenzie	MB
3	A McKenzie	MB
Open Ironwoman		
1	D McKenzie	MB
2	M Boon	MB
3	K Wannan	PIHA
Masters Ironwoman		
1	J O'Connor	MM
2	S Randell	ORE
3	D Reardon	MM
Taplin Relay U16 Women		
1	Piha (Black)	
2	Mairangi Bay (A)	
3	Red Beach (1)	
Taplin Relay U19 Women		
1	Red Beach (1)	
2	Piha (Black)	
3	Mairangi Bay (A)	
Taplin Relay Open Women		
1	Piha (Black)	
2	Mairangi Bay (A)	
3	Red Beach (1)	
Ski Relay U19 Women		
1	Mairangi Bay (A)	
2	Red Beach (1)	
3	Red Beach (2)	
Ski Relay Open Women		
1	Mairangi Bay (A)	
2	Piha (Black)	
3	Red Beach (1)	
Mixed Double Ski U19		
1	Mairangi Bay (A)	
2	Piha (Black)	
3	Red Beach (2)	
Mixed Double Ski Open		
1	Piha (Black)	
2	Mairangi Bay (B)	
3	Piha (Green)	
Lifesaver Relay		
1	Orewa (Orewa Thunders)	
2	Orewa (Orewa Snipers)	
3	Muriwai (Muriwai)	

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Waipu Cove, 18th January 2015

CLUB RESULTS

Place	Club	Points
1st	Sunset Beach	28
2nd	United North Piha	24
3rd	Red Beach	20

Tube Rescue Open

1	United North Piha Gold	UNP
2	Mairangi Bay Blue	MB
3	Red Beach	RB

Tube Rescue U21

1	United North Piha Gold	UNP
2	Ruakaka A	RUA
3	Bethells Beach Banter	BB

Tube Rescue Women

1	Red Beach	RB
2	Waipu Cove A	WC
3	Sunset Beach B	SUN

Mass Rescue Open

1	Red Beach	RB
2	Sunset Beach A	SUN
3	United North Piha Gold	UNP

Mass Rescue U21

1	Waihi Beach U21	WB
2	Bethells Beach Banter	BB
3	Ruakaka A	RUA

Mass Rescue Women

1	Waipu Cove A	WC
2	Sunset Beach	SUN
3	Red Beach	RB

Assembly Rescue Open

1	Sunset Beach A	SUN
2	United North Piha Gold	UNP
3	Sunset Beach Gold	SUN

Assembly Rescue U21

1	Ruakaka A	RUA
2	Waihi U21	WB
3	Waihi Beach Team Z	WB

Assembly Rescue Women

1	Sunset Beach A	SUN
2	Waipu Cove A	WC
3	Waihi Beach	WB

Single Rescue Open

1	Red Beach	RB
2	Mairangi Bay Blue	MB
3	Sunset Beach Gold	SUN

Single Rescue U21

1	United North Piha Gold	UNP
2	Ruakaka A	RUA
3	Sunset Beach A	SUN

Single Rescue Women

1	Sunset Beach A	SUN
2	Red Beach	RB
3	Waipu Cove A	WC

Open Teams Rescue

1	United North Piha Gold	UNP
2	Sunset Beach A	SUN
3	Waihi Beach	WB

ABBREVIATIONS

RUA	Ruakaka
ORE	Orewa
UNP	United North Piha
MUR	Muriwai
MM	Mount Maunganui
SUN	Sunset Beach
KARIO	Kariaotahi
RAG	Raglan
PIHA	Piha
MB	Mairangi Bay
PAU	Pauanui

2015 Northern Region Patrol Championships

Mangawhai Heads, 11th January 2015

RESULTS

Placing	Club
1st	Mairangi Bay
2nd	Bethells Beach
3rd	Ruakaka



2015 Harcourts Northern Regional Junior Surf Championships

Orewa, 31st January & 1st February 2015

CLUB RESULTS

Place	Club	Points
1st	Orewa	198
2nd	Mairangi Bay	171
3rd	Red Beach	160

7 Year Olds				
	Girls		Boys	
Run Wade Run				
1st	N McLaren	ORE	B Swanberg	OMANU
2nd	H Hall	ORE	B Wanden-Hannay	KK
3rd	N Simpkins	RB	T Brown-Hale	WC
Boogie Board Race				
1st	H Hall	ORE	B Swanberg	OMANU
2nd	K Kingi	MB	J Allen	WHANG
3rd	N McLaren	ORE	M Milaljevich	MUR
Diamond Race				
1st	H Hall	ORE	B Swanberg	OMANU
2nd	L Humphreys	ORE	B Wanden-Hannay	KK
3rd	A Readman	RB	M Milaljevich	MUR
Beach Flags				
1st	N Simpkins	RB	K Martinez	PIHA
2nd	H Beaumont	RB	L Usher	RB
3rd	L Humphreys	ORE	J Scott	MUR
Beach Sprint				
1st	I Mitchell	MB	T Dean	RB
2nd	K Francis	ORE	B Pohio	ORE
3rd	C Cooke	MB	R Welsh	MB

ABBREVIATIONS

WH	Whangarei Heads
RUA	Ruakaka
WC	Waipu Cove
MH	Mangawhai Heads
OMA	Omaha
ORE	Orewa
RB	Red Beach
MB	Mairangi Bay
RAG	Raglan
SUN	Sunset Beach
KARIO	Kariaotahi
KK	Karekare
PIHA	Piha
UNP	United North Piha
BB	Bethells Beach
MUR	Muriwai
WHANG	Whangamata
OMANU	Omanu

8 Year Olds				
	Girls		Boys	
Surf Race				
1st	M Clegg	PAU	J Cornish	RB
2nd	C Cooke	MB	L Hamblyn-Ough	RB
3rd	I Peterbridge	ORE	A Rogers	RB
Boogie Board Race				
1st	L Grunwell	PIHA	J Whitcombe	PIHA
2nd	J Middleton	PIHA	K Challis	BB
3rd	A Martinez	PIHA	H Lymburn	WC
Board Race				
1st	M Clegg	PUA	A Rogers	RB
2nd	C Cooke	MB	B Van der Net	RB
3rd	I Mitchell	MB	J Cornish	RB

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Run - Wade - Run					Diamond Race				
1st	L Grunwell	PIHA	H Lymburn	WC	1st	K Rogers	RB	N Makaea	ORE
2nd	C Gonowon	ORE	J Whitcombe	PIHA	2nd	N Burke	ORE	H Cooke	MB
3rd	O Tukia	PIHA	K Challis	RB	3rd	M Kake-White	MUR	G Wenman	ORE
Beach Flags					Beach Flags				
1st	I Mitchell	MB	B Van der Net	RB	1st	L Walker	KARIO	O Howarth	RB
2nd	M Clegg	PAU	A Rogers	RB	2nd	E Butler	RB	J Mitchell	MB
3rd	S Grant	MUR	R Welsh	MB	3rd	S Houston	RB	J Benny	ORE
Beach Sprints					Beach Sprints				
1st	M Clegg	PAU	B Pohio	ORE	1st	K Babe-Vercoe	WC	J Benny	ORE
2nd	I Mitchell	MB	T Dean	RB	2nd	L Macready	MB	N Makaea	ORE
3rd	C Thornton	RB	N Pfeiffer	MB	3rd	K Rogers	RB	O Abernethy	BB
Diamond Race (Non badge)									
1st	M Clegg	PAU	H Lymburn	WC	11 Year Olds				
2nd	T Gleye	RB	J Whitcombe	PIHA		Girls		Boys	
3rd	C Cooke	MB	K Challis	BB	Surf Race				
Diamond Race (200m badge)					1st	A Te Aukura	MB	S Poching	MB
1st	L Grunwell	PIHA	A Rogers	RB	2nd	E Sutherland	ORE	O Gordon	WHANG
2nd	I Ramsey	PIHA	L Hamblyn-Ough	RB	3rd	S Gardiner	RB	B Reshef	MB
3rd	A Martinez	PIHA	B Van der Net	RB	Board Race				
					1st	S Gardiner	RB	N Gordon	WHANG
9 Year Olds					2nd	A Te Aukura	MB	R Clancy	PIHA
	Girls		Boys		3rd	K Wignell	ORE	J Buckle	WC
Surf Race					Diamond Race				
1st	Z Crawford	MB	L Blackburn	MB	1st	A Te Aukura	MB	O Gordon	WHANG
2nd	C Twose	MB	K O'Leary-Lodge	ORE	2nd	S Gardiner	RB	B Reshef	MB
3rd	L B Wiese	MB	C Dalton	MB	3rd	E Sutherland	ORE	A Kirkman	ORE
Board Race					Beach Flags				
1st	Z Crawford	MB	C Dalton	MB	1st	S Gardiner	RB	A Henare	RB
2nd	C Twose	MB	F McIntyre	RB	2nd	A Te Aukura	MB	B Reshef	MB
3rd	P Hall	BB	N Allen	WHANG	3rd	N Kempthorne	KARIO	A Syminton	OMA
Diamond Race					Beach Sprints				
1st	Z Crawford	MB	C Dalton	MB	1st	C Whiu	BB	A Syminton	OMA
2nd	C Twose	MB	L Blackburn	MB	2nd	A Johnson	MB	A Henare	RB
3rd	L Wiese	MB	K O'Leary-Lodge	ORE	3rd	S Gardiner	RB	D Larsen	MB
Beach Flags									
1st	M Ramsey	PIHA	K M Wood	PIHA	12 Year Olds				
2nd	H Fenker	MB	A Gardiner	RB		Girls		Boys	
3rd	K Hall	RB	B Hilson	MUR	Surf Race				
Beach Sprints					1st	A Quirke	MB	J Selman	RB
1st	M Ramsey	PIHA	H Whiu	BB	2nd	M McDowall	RB	P Makgill	RB
2nd	M Flint	MB	A Gardiner	RB	3rd	Ayla Hall	ORE	M Denvir	RB
3rd	M Jones	RB	K M Wood	PIHA	Board Race				
					1st	G Hill	ORE	H Wenman	ORE
10 Year Olds					2nd	C Thomas	MB	B Readman	RB
	Girls		Boys		3rd	A Hall	ORE	D Vujcich	ORE
Surf Race					Diamond Race				
1st	K Rogers	RB	N Makaea	ORE	1st	A Hall	ORE	P Makgill	RB
2nd	N Burke	ORE	M Hughes	RB	2nd	C Bester	ORE	J Selman	RB
3rd	S Kerr	MB	G Wenman	ORE	3rd	T Dalton	MB	W Brick	MB
Board Race					Beach Flags				
1st	N Burke	ORE	N Makaea	ORE	1st	T Dalton	MB	B Griffiths	ORE
2nd	H Turner	RB	G Wenman	ORE	2nd	M McDowall	RB	C Brennan	OMANU
3rd	M Kake-White	MUR	N Fit	RB	3rd	A Hall	ORE	B Gregory	PIHA

Beach Sprints					Board Rescue				
1st	T Dalton	MB	C Brennan	OMANU	1st	Red Beach (A)	ORE	Red Beach (A)	RB
2nd	S Clark	PIHA	B Gregory	PIHA	2nd	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB	Orewa (Blue)	ORE
3rd	C Thomas	MB	B Griffiths	ORE	3rd	Orewa (Blue)	ORE	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB
13 Year Olds					Under 14 Group Events				
	Girls		Boys			Girls		Boys	
Surf Race					Board Relay				
1st	L Makaea	ORE	M Slessor-White	MB	1st	Orewa (Orange)	ORE	Orewa (Blue)	ORE
2nd	B Doyle	ORE	L Booth	MB	2nd	Orewa (Blue)	ORE	Orewa (Purple)	ORE
3rd	T Denvir	RB	L Ata	ORE	3rd	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB
Board Race					Cameron Relay				
1st	L Makaea	ORE	L Pearson	ORE	1st	Orewa (Blue)	ORE	Orewa (Green)	ORE
2nd	S Reiser	MB	L Ata	ORE	2nd	Red Beach (A)	RB	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB
3rd	K Drinnan	ORE	L Booth	MB	3rd	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB	Red Beach (A)	RB
Diamond Person					Board Rescue				
1st	L Makaea	ORE	C Swanberg	OMANU	1st	Orewa (Blue)	ORE	Orewa (Green)	ORE
2nd	B Boyle	ORE	L Booth	MB	2nd	Orewa (Yellow)	ORE	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB
3rd	A Mittendorff	RB	M Slessor-White	MB	3rd	Red Beach (A)	RB	Orewa (White)	ORE
Beach Flags					Tube Rescue				
1st	L Makaea	ORE	X Cuff	ORE	1st	Orewa (Oreange)	ORE	Red Beach (A)	RB
2nd	S Hildesley	RB	L Ata	ORE	2nd	Mairangi Bay (E)	MB	Orewa (Yellow)	ORE
3rd	B Doyle	ORE	B Pearson	ORE	3rd	Red Beach (B)	RB	Red Beach (C)	RB
Beach Sprints					Beach Relay				
1st	S Sandford	OMANU	X Cuff	ORE	1st	Red Beach (A)	RB	Orewa (Blue)	ORE
2nd	L Makaea	ORE	B Kelsey	ORE	2nd	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB
3rd	A Mittendorff	RB	C Jones	RB	3rd	Orewa (Green)	ORE	Red Beach (A)	RB
					Beach Sprints				
Under 10 Team Events					1st	S.Sandford	OMANU	X Cuff	ORE
	Girls		Boys		2nd	L Malaea	ORE	B Kelsey	ORE
Beach Relay					3rd	A Mittendorff	RB	C Jones	RB
1st	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB	Red Beach (A)	RB					
2nd	Red Beach (B)	R B	Orewa (Blue)	ORE					
3rd	Orewa (White)	ORE	Bethells Beach (U10A)	BB					
Board Relay									
1st	Muriwai (Black)	MUR	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB					
2nd	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB	Red Beach (A)	RB					
3rd	PIHA (Red)	PIHA	Red Beach (B)	RB					
Cameron Relay									
1st	Muriwai (Maroon)	MUR	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB					
2nd	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB	Red Beach (A)	RB					
3rd	Red Beach(A)	RB	Orewa (White)	ORE					
Under 12 Group Events									
	Girls		Boys						
Board Relay									
1st	Orewa (Blue)	ORE	Orewa (Blue)	ORE					
2nd	Red Beach (A)	RB	Piha (Red)	PIHA					
3rd	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB	Red Beach (A)	RB					
Cameron Relay									
1st	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB	Mairangi Bay (A)	MB					
2nd	Red Beach (A)	RB	Piha (Red)	PIHA					
3rd	Orewa (Blue)	ORE	Orewa (Blue)	ORE					

Season Summary

2015 Honours Awards

LIFE MEMBERSHIP

Alan Franich • Orewa
 Stephen Butler • United North Piha
 Mark McCarthy • Orewa

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

Jan Battaerd • Mairangi Bay

SERVICE AWARD

Brent Phillips • Sunset Beach
 Cheryl Evans • United North Piha
 Chris McCullough • Red Beach
 Dean Pouwhare • Red Beach
 Glennys Smith • Sunset Beach
 Donal Dray-Hogg • Bethells Beach
 Jacquelyn (Jackie) Grant • Mairangi Bay

Janine Ibbs • Sunset Beach
 John Moffat • Waipu Cove
 Benny Larsen • Orewa
 Nelson Palmer • Waipu Cove
 Adrian Jenkins • Bethells Beach
 Danny Morrison • Mairangi Bay
 Ray Baillie • Karekare

Tai Kahn • Whangarei Heads
 Terry Burbidge • Mairangi Bay
 Paula Kearney • Ruakaka
 Nikolai Gordon • Bethells Beach
 John Kearney • Ruakaka
 Leif Neilson • United North Piha

2015 Toyota Financial Services Awards of Excellence Winners



REGIONAL AWARDS

Volunteer of the Year

Malcolm Beattie • Sunset Beach Lifeguard Service

Surf Education Instructor of the Year

Kate Boersen

Club Administrator of the Year

Carolyn Edwards • Sunset Beach Lifeguard Service

Innovation of the Year

Raglan SLSC

Best Patrolled Beach

Mairangi Bay

Junior Competition Club of the Year

Orewa

Senior Competition Club of the Year

Piha

Masters Competition Club of the Year

Red Beach

Rescue of the Year

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service/Surf Life Saving

Northern Region

Patrol Championships

Mairangi Bay

Pool Championships

Piha

IRB Championships

Sunset Beach

Club of the Year

Mairangi Bay

Junior Surf Championships

Orewa

Northern Region Championships

Piha

LIFESAVING AWARDS

Outstanding Contribution to Powercraft

Shane Edwards • Sunset Beach

Instructor of the Year

Jessica Reilly • Raglan

Rookie Lifeguard of the Year

Ted Kennedy • Mairangi Bay

U19 Lifeguard of the Year

Daniel Short • Mairangi Bay

Surf Lifeguard of the Year

Zane Rademaker • United North Piha

Examiner of the Year

Ollie Irwin • Bethells Beach

Regional Lifeguard of the Year

Aubrey Panis

SPORTS AWARDS

Outstanding Contribution to Junior Surf

Tony Sands • Mairangi Bay

U14 Sportswoman of the Year

Lucy Makaea • Orewa

U14 Sportsman of the Year

Jonathan Selman • Red Beach

Surf Coach of the Year

Steven Ferguson • Piha

Developing Surf Official of the Year

Dylan Turner • Red Beach

Surf Official of the Year

Wayne Franich • Orewa

U16 Sportswoman of the Year

Grace Kaihau • Orewa

U16 Sportsman of the Year

Ryan Gilmour • Piha

U19 Sportswoman of the Year

Hannah Williams • Piha

U19 Sportsman of the Year

Jake Hurley • Mairangi Bay

Open Sportswoman of the Year

Danielle McKenzie • Mairangi Bay

Open Sportsman of the Year

Jake Hurley • Mairangi Bay

Competition Team of the Year

Red Beach Sirens Open Women's
Surfboat Crew

Membership

Unclassified* Female	17
Unclassified* Male	49
Masters Female	1014
Masters Male	1502
Open Female	335
Open Male	355
Under 19 Female	310
Under 19 Male	279
Under 16 Female	246
Under 16 Male	193
Under 14 Female	1203
Under 14 Male	1190
TOTAL	6695

* No DOB registered on the PAM database



Patrolling Activities

	Total Hours	Rescues	First Aids	Searches	Preventive Actions	Safety Interventions
Baylys Beach Patrol Location	6	1	0	0	0	0
Baylys Beach RLS	504	4	3	0	699	2,218
Beach Education Northern Region	43	0	11	1	0	0
Bethells Beach SLSP	5,040	17	28	9	1,233	4,184
Bethells Beach RLS	1,386	5	7	6	1,301	2,893
Far North SLSC	997	5	4	7	164	263
Far North RLS	312	0	2	0	115	364
Karekare Surf Lifesaving Club	2,732	13	13	1	812	2,115
Karekare RLS	865	7	4	0	440	1,088
Kariaotahi SLSC	5,808	21	28	14	1,625	8,839
Kariaotahi RLS	864	10	2	0	936	4,075
Mairangi Bay SLSC	3,278	1	18	1	452	1,072
Mairangi Bay RLS	4,215	14	58	17	2,112	7,021
Mangawhai Heads VLS	2,480	33	20	0	516	1,797
Mangawhai Heads RLS	832	4	25	0	535	1,396
Muriwai Lifeguard Service	5,289	66	64	14	1,767	6,867
Muriwai RLS	2,400	9	21	4	1,522	5,652
NR Event Guard Team	1,503	1	17	5	45	166
NR Lifeguard Support 1	341	7	4	3	306	797
NR Lifeguard Support 2	67	2	3	0	127	794
Omaha Beach SLSC	2,538	7	40	11	586	2,042
Omaha RLS	768	2	10	3	612	2,135
Orewa SLSC	5,396	14	129	15	696	3,537
Orewa RLS	998	5	40	5	757	1,614
Piha SLSC	5,200	31	73	6	903	6,124
Piha RLS	3,178	15	53	4	1,655	6,347
Raglan SLSC	3,916	34	62	20	3,681	14,495
Raglan RLS	1,552	15	44	2	2,660	9,157
Red Beach SLSC	3,207	15	38	6	384	2,060
Red Beach RLS	976	1	7	0	510	1,571
Ruakaka SLSC	2,850	12	24	8	397	1,156
Ruakaka RLS	680	10	6	2	577	1,606
Sunset Beach LS	3,081	18	22	17	1,402	7,276
Sunset Beach RLS	672	4	3	4	423	1,969
United North Piha Lifeguard Service	4,437	17	17	6	866	3,481
United North Piha RLS	1,024	0	2	0	734	2,229
Waipu Cove SLSC	2,978	11	34	3	254	1,283
Waipu Cove RLS	744	10	22	3	601	1,855
Whangarei Heads SLSP	2,190	12	21	3	605	2,319
Whangarei Heads RLS	648	1	10	1	388	1,061
Volunteer Total	61,423	328	635	141	16,343	68,910
NR Support + EG Team Total	1,911	10	24	8	478	1,757
Regional Lifeguard Service RLS	22,618	116	319	51	16,577	54,251
TOTAL FOR REGION	85,986	454	989	201	33,398	124,918

Independent Auditor's Report

on the Summary Financial Statements to the members of Surf Life Saving Northern Region Incorporated

The accompanying summary financial statements on pages 64 to 67, which comprise the summary Statement of Financial Position as at 30 June 2015, the summary Statement of Comprehensive Income, summary Statement of Changes in Equity, summary Statement of Cash Flows and related notes, are derived from audited financial statements of Surf Life Saving Northern Region Incorporated ('the Society') for the year ended 30 June 2015. We expressed an unmodified audit opinion on those financial statements in our report dated 17 September 2015. Those financial statements and the summary financial statements do not reflect the effects of events that occurred subsequent to the date of our report on those financial statements.

The summary financial statements do not contain all the disclosures required for full financial statements under generally accepted accounting practice in New Zealand. Reading the summary financial statements, therefore, is not a substitute for reading the audited financial statements of the Society.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Board is responsible for the preparation of a summary of the audited financial statements in accordance with *FRS-13 (PBE): Summary Financial Statements*.

AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITY

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the summary financial statements based on our procedures, which were conducted in accordance with International Standard on Auditing (New Zealand) ISA(NZ) 810, "Engagements to Report on Summary Financial Statements".

In addition to audit services, our firm provides other services in the area of business services. We have no other relationship with or interests in Surf Life Saving Northern Region Inc.

OPINION

In our opinion, the summary financial statements derived from the audited financial statements of the Society for the year ended 30 June 2015 are consistent, in all material respects, with those financial statements, in accordance with FRS-13 (PBE).

**BDO Auckland**

17 September 2015

120 Albert Street,
Auckland, New Zealand

Summary Financial Statements

For the year ended 30 June 2015

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015	2015	2014
	\$	\$
INCOME		
Auckland Regional Amenities Grant	1,200,000	1,140,000
Gaming	516,225	433,305
Foundation North	354,333	310,244
Sponsorship	193,953	52,762
Fundraising and Donations	89,665	83,229
Community Education	141,569	134,869
SLSNZ	268,717	288,177
Legacies	15,643	126,695
Membership User Pays	97,111	93,412
Local Councils	158,050	122,108
Facility Development	-	50,889
NLS Trust Distribution	60,000	-
Other Income	53,477	38,835
TOTAL INCOME	3,148,743	2,874,525
EXPENDITURE		
Lifesaving	952,737	758,723
Sport	168,792	149,920
Leadership Development	17,184	28,615
Community Education	225,441	203,686
Club Sustainability	790,088	760,134
Cost of Delivery & Administration	917,995	813,303
Facility Development	-	50,889
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	3,072,237	2,765,270
Finance Income	68,004	56,014
Finance Expenses	28	1
NET FINANCE INCOME	67,976	56,013
Distribution to NLS Trust	-	76,695
TOTAL NLS DISTRIBUTION	-	76,695
NET SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR	144,482	88,573
Other Comprehensive Income - Net of taxes	-	-
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE SOCIETY	144,482	88,573

NOTE:

These summary financial statements have been prepared for and on behalf of the Board of Surf Life Saving Northern Region Incorporated, which authorised the issue of the financial report on 17th September 2015.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Balance at the beginning of the year	1,238,293	1,149,720
Net surplus for the year	144,482	88,573
BALANCE AT THE END OF THE YEAR	1,382,775	1,238,293

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

AS AT 30 JUNE 2015	2015	2014
	\$	\$
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	708,003	606,604
Investment	699,876	671,333
Trade and Other Receivables	16,682	27,045
Due from Related Parties	17,903	132,692
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	1,442,464	1,437,674
NON CURRENT ASSETS		
Property, Plant & Equipment	159,542	152,107
Capital Work in Progress	31,173	-
TOTAL NON CURRENT ASSETS	190,715	152,107
TOTAL ASSETS	1,633,179	1,589,781
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Trade and Other Payables	216,139	236,942
Employee Benefits	29,586	18,859
Due to Related Parties	4,679	95,687
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	250,404	351,488
TOTAL LIABILITIES	250,404	351,488
NET ASSETS	1,382,775	1,238,293
TOTAL EQUITY	1,382,775	1,238,293

NOTE:

These summary financial statements have been prepared for and on behalf of the Board of Surf Life Saving Northern Region Incorporated, which authorised the issue of the financial report on the 17th September 2015.

SIGNED



Malcolm Beattie // Board Member



David Traill // Board Member

Summary Financial Statements

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015	2015	2014
	\$	\$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Grants, Sponsorships, Donations & Fees	3,276,468	2,755,455
Payments to Suppliers & Employees	(3,108,108)	(2,699,223)
Interest paid	(28)	(1)
NET CASH GENERATED FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	168,332	56,231
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Interest received	64,217	52,180
Sales of property, plant and equipment	1,217	7,961
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	(72,650)	(57,119)
Capital Work in Progress	(31,173)	-
Investment in Term Deposit	(28,543)	(171,333)
NET CASH GENERATED FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(66,932)	(168,311)
NET CASH GENERATED FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	-	-
Net increase/(decrease) in cash held	101,399	(112,080)
Cash and bank accounts at the beginning of the year	606,604	718,684
CASH AND BANK ACCOUNTS AT THE END OF THE YEAR	708,003	606,604

Accounting Policies

Surf Life Saving Northern Region Incorporated is an incorporated society in New Zealand established under the Incorporated Societies Act 1908. These summary financial statements comply with generally accepted accounting practice.

The summary financial statements are for the year ended 30 June 2015 and have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 43 (PBE) Summary Financial Statements.

The summary financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis.

These summary financial statements are presented in New Zealand dollars (NZD) which is the Society's functional currency.

RELATIONSHIP TO FULL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The summary financial statements were authorised by the Board on 17th September 2015 and these have been prepared in order to provide interested persons with a succinct overview of the past performance of the entity. The

specific disclosures have been extracted from the audited full financial statements dated 17th September 2015.

The full financial statements were prepared in accordance with NZ IFRS under NZ GAAP. The full financial statements were audited by BDO Auckland who issued an unqualified audit opinion. The Society is a public benefit entity.

The Society qualifies for differential reporting as it is not publicly accountable and it is not large as defined in the framework for differential reporting. The Society has taken advantage of all available differential reporting exemptions except that a cash flow statement is presented.

Users of the financial statements should note that the information contained therein cannot be expected to provide as complete an understanding as provided by the full financial statements of the financial performance, financial position and cash flows of the Society.

Users can request the full financial statements of the Society from the CEO, Kenny Halliday, at 3 Solent Street, Mechanics Bay, Auckland Central or from the Charities Commission website: [Http://www.charities.govt.nz](http://www.charities.govt.nz).



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Simone Spencer

Portfolio Manager

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Surf Education Manager

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