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From: David Stogdale - President of Gunnamatta SLSC

This week's GunnShot has:

- 1. AGM and Presentation night official notice 1 July 2023
- 2. Congratulations to Members awarded National Medals and also Clasps to their National Medals
- 3. Patrolling radios survey Have your say
- 4. AGM Committee Nominations and Proxy form
- 5. Winter Training courses -go to MT from Anywhere

AGM and Presentation night offical notice

Notice of the Gunnamatta Surf Life Saving Club 57th Annual General Meeting (AGM)

Saturday 1st July 2023

AGM Commences 5.30pm

Gather round at the Rye Hotel to catch up and celebrate the season that was.

The AGM will start at 5.30.

Presentation night will follow at 7.00pm

Ticket prices are \$40 for adults and \$30 for U18. This includes a drink once the presentation night commences and finger food.

Rye Hotel - 2415 Point Nepean Road, Rye

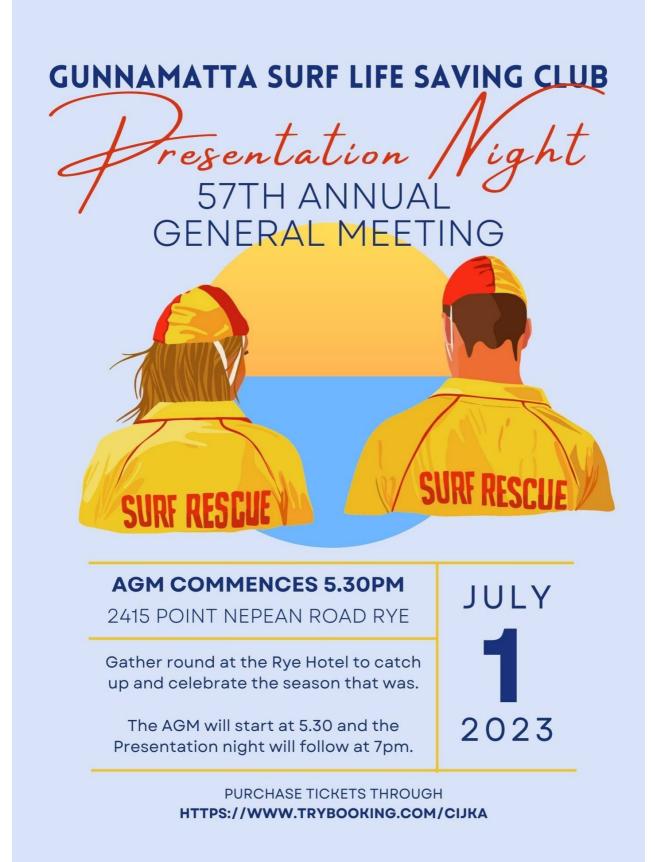
Purchase Tickets through:

https://www.trybooking.com/cijka

All members and Nipper Families are encouraged to attend.











Congratulations to members who have been awarded their National Medal or Clasp to their National Medal

The Club is delighted to announce that five members of the Club have been awarded the National Medal or the first Clasp to the National Medal.

National Medal Recipients: John Adams David Stogdale

First Clasp to National Medal: Peter Neville Donna Watt Joe Watt.

The National Medal is awarded to members of a range of service organisations, including Lifesaving. Within Lifesaving, it is awarded for 15 years of patrolling service with a minimum of 30 hours of patrolling per season while holding a current Bronze Medallion qualification.

The first clasp is awarded for a further 10 years of service on a similar basis.

These awards will be presented at the Club Presentation night on 1st July at the Rye Hotel.

Well done to all.

Patrolling Radios survey – Have your say!

As the operational season has ended, we would like to hear from patrollers' experiences with the new radio handsets, radio training, the radio network and accessories over the last season. LSV have provided an opportunity to express your thoughts via this link - https://lifesavingvictoria.wufoo.com/forms/mzqpzqq1uvzpu4/

The link takes you to a short questionnaire where you have an opportunity to express likes and dislikes directly to those developing the handheld radio sets, network and associated products for the next season.

This advice will not only be used to guide allocation to Gunnamatta but also assist the rest of the organisation.

Please submit their responses by **Sunday the 25th of June.** We will provide a summary of the responses received after survey ends.

Thank you

Toby Dobell Club Communications (equipment) officer





AGM Committee Nominations and Proxy form

Be part of the team.

If you wish to nominate for Committee, please use the forms at these links:

Committee nomination

https://drive.google.com/file/d/18kEmmcBfLPkQY3TNyz5ZUfRBDgav7tB5/view?usp=share_link

Proxy form (if you can not attend – get one of your club member friends to vote on your behalf).

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1B-3e2LSuOZIR7N18k_yjXfCHaO9YMvYB/view?usp=share_link





New Training courses at LSV and other Clubs.

Each week we will continue to highlight the many courses that are on the agenda from LSV (at State Centre – Port Melbourne) and at other Clubs. All of these courses are on the Member Training from Anywhere portal

<u>Our Club goal is to have over 50% of our patrollers holding current First</u> Aid and Advanced Resus qualifications before the start of next season.

Date	Location	Course
03 June 2023	LSV State Centre	ART & First Aid - ARTFA
17 & 18 June 2023	Frankston LSC	Training Officers Certificate
17 June 2023	LSV State Centre	ART & First Aid - ARTFA
26-27 June 2023 (Monday and Tuesday)	Fairhaven SLSC	Training Officers Certificate

All of these courses are open now. If you wish to attend one of the Training Officer courses please give me a call and we can discuss. The Club will run SSV courses at the end of the season for those that need to upskill to the new qualification. SRC's are eligible to attend ART/FA courses. NON patrolling Members (Nipper parents) may also attend these courses.

In order to check your qualifications, go to your individual member account inside the SLSA Members portal and search your qualifications. It will show you your current qualifications and your last proficiency date.

While you are there, check that your Skills Maintenance has been updated. Your proficiency and expiry for Bronze Medallion should be there. If it looks as though it has not been updated, please let us know via email: training@gunnamattaslsc.com.au

We will update the schedule of courses as they are added to the LSV listing.

See you soon,

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