

NIPPERS (U6 to U14s)

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CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS – SUNDAY 12 FEBRUARY – WATER EVENTS

Due to the beach closure last Sunday, the water events for the Club Championships will be held this Sunday. Under 8's, 9's and 10's to marshal at 8.15 for an 8.30 start. The Under 11's, 12's, 13's and 14's to marshal at 9.45 for a 10am start. Lets hope the surf conditions improve from last weekend! Under 6's and 7's remain at their normal time of 8am.

SERIOUS FUN WITH TELSTRA

Bronte Nippers Festival Day - Sunday 12 February

Nathan Hindmarsh, Parramatta Eels Captain and Hayden Allum, Australian Under 23 Life Saver and 2011 Australian Board and Tube Rescue Champion, and Telstra are coming down to Bronte Nipper's on 12 February to join the fun. Take a little time out with us, get a photo with you and your mates, win prizes, grab a Telstra 'Serious Fun Pack' to help you though the day or just hang out with some sporting heroes.

We're here to help our junior lifesavers turn into our next SLS heroes. So come on down and join in some serious Nipper fun and help create a future lifeline for lifesavers.

*As part of this activation Telstra will have a photographer on site to take pictures of the different age groups meeting the sporting ambassadors. To help facilitate this process, we ask that parents give consent for their child to have their pictures taken. After the event, the photos will be available for download from a specially designed, secure website which is accessible by entering a special phone number. **Please fill out the attached consent form and bring along to Nippers this weekend.***

NIPPER DISCO – FRIDAY 10 FEBRUARY

The all age nipper disco is on this **Friday 10 February at 5pm**. Bring the kids down with their dancing shoes on for a fun and social night. The BBQ will be hot, soft drinks will be available for the kids and the bar will be open for all you parents.

TRAINING FOR STATE COMPETITORS

Due to the upcoming state and branch competition, training is now restricted to those going to Branch and State. Sprint training at 5.30 on Wednesday, Board training at Bondi at 4.30pm and Saturday at 4pm at Bronte.

BRONTE SURF BOARD RIDING ROUND 3 - NEW DATE SUNDAY 26 FEB

Due to the clash with branch, the third and final round of the Bronte Bell Surf board riding competition will take place on Sun **26th FEBRUARY at 6am at Bronte**. The surfing will be completed before the start of nippers. Come along and see the future of surfing at Bronte!

KOZII SWIMWEAR

The new Kozii swimwear has arrived and is on sale this Sunday.

BRONTE'S END OF SUMMER PARTY

Featuring Sydney's hottest DJ – Friday 9 March. Get your tickets early. Tickets are \$45 each and include food, drink at bar prices. [Click here](#) to purchase the hottest ticket in town.

ACCOMMODATION AT KINGSCLIFF – STATE TITLES (MARCH 1 – 4)

A two bedroom apartment at Peppers Salt Resort has become available. It has been booked and paid for by Leonie Faddy who is no longer able to make it. If you are interested, please contact Leonie direct on 0425 262 480, ASAP (cost is \$864).

BRONTE NIPPERS SWIMATHON

A disappointing turn out for the final day of the Swim-a-thon on Saturday with an additional 21 swimmers there pounding out the laps to raise much needed money for Nippers. It is not too late to contribute to the fund raiser though.....see the attached sheet that you can get your child's swim coach to sign, and the sponsorship sheet as well. Either fixed donations or money per lap. We realise this is a busy time of the year, but this all goes toward new gear for 2012-13 that is much needed.

Well done to the kids who turned up for the event over two weeks, special mentions go to Toby Alker in the Under 9 who ended up cracking 101 laps and raised \$404 in the process from his family and friends. Likewise Hugo Podgornik beating last weeks boys record of 86 laps with seconds to spare.

For those of you that have participated and collected your money, there are three options available for depositing the money to the Club...

1. Drop off at Club office during office hours including Sunday between 8-12pm
2. Direct deposit into club account at any Commonwealth Bank Branch or via internet banking;

A/c name: Bronte SLSC, BSB: 062 124, Account 00800834

3. Direct transfer via payment gateway which is found on the home page at www.brontesurfclub.com.au, quote swimathon and nipper name under the heading 'need to make a payment'

**RESULTS BRONTE Nippers
2012 Swim-a-thon**

	# of Laps	\$'s per lap	Fixed Donation	TOTAL
UNDER 7 BOYS	18	0	0	0
UNDER 7 GIRLS	120	0.85	100	134
UNDER 8 BOYS	24	3.5	0	84
UNDER 8 GIRLS	0	0	0	0
UNDER 9 BOYS	121	0	0	0
UNDER 9 GIRLS	398	0	185	185
UNDER 10 BOYS	348	7	1378	1980
UNDER 10 GIRLS	126	4.35	265	482.5
UNDER 11 BOYS	297	8	55	410
UNDER 11 GIRLS	127	0	0	0
UNDER 12 BOYS	66	0	0	0
UNDER 12 GIRLS	0	0	0	0
UNDER 13 BOYS	0	0	0	0
UNDER 13 GIRLS	302	0	600	600
UNDER 14 BOYS	0	0	0	0
UNDER 14 GIRLS	50	0	0	0
TOTALS	1997	23.7	2583	3875.5
	# of Laps	\$'s per lap	Fixed Donation	TOTAL

U11 SYDNEY SURF LIFESAVING DEVELOPMENT CAMP

The Bronte Boys (Reg Dowse, Mackenzie Leamon, Jack Mossman, Oscar Peter, Max Weale & Joseph Wightwick) and the Bronte Girls (Georgie Perry & Maya Bailey) were exceptional throughout the weekend. All participated with great enthusiasm and respect for the rules and objectives of the camp which included an emphasis on the progression from Nippers to being a Surf Lifesaver. All integrated easily with the many other club participants. Bronte Club can be very proud of this bunch – all great kids and the two minders (Jake Dowse and Andrew Bailey) were given a very easy ride!

The highlight was undoubtedly the helicopter – what a machine, and what a impact it has on landing and take-off! A very close second would be the jet-ski rides which were a big thrill. The food? well everything was eaten, but home cooking definitely better appreciated. An action packed, fantastic experience and thoroughly enjoyable weekend!

