



67th Annual Report & Financial Statement



2019-2020 *Season*



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CLUB OFFICERS

2019/2020 SEASON

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B H Heron MNZM
Mark Scheib

CLUB COMMITTEE

Co-Chairpersons	Mark Scheib & Kathy Kramer
Secretary	Ross Malyon QSM
Treasurer	Debra Cairns
Surf Committee Delegate	Kathy Kramer
Junior Surf Delegate	Richard Rogers
Squash Delegate	Kevin Robinson / Gary Catlin

SENIORSURF COMMITTEE

Chairperson	Ian Cairns
Secretary	Stephanie Busby
Treasurer	Kathy Kramer
Club Captain	Mark Readman
Sport Manager	Mark Readman
Competition Equipment Manager	Matt Bingley
Fundraising Coordinator	Jan Saull
Surf Boat Representative	Olivia Soesbergen
Surf Canoe Representative	Dave Young
Committee	Sam Goodare, Robyn Presland

Non-Committee Positions:

Sports Coach	Jack Gavin
Lifesaving Manager	Harry Mellor
Powercraft Manager	Peter Kramer
Sponsorship & Funding Manager	Ange Moore

JUNIORSURF COMMITTEE

Chairman	Richard Rogers
Secretary	Kelly O'Dea
JuniorSurf Coordinator	Kirsty Rutledge-Malyon
Sport Programme Coordinator	Caroline Anderson
Education Programme Coordinator	Toni Macrae-Rolston
Marketing & Membership	Brendan Smith
Communications Coordinator	Sidah Russell
Gear Steward	Morgan Tyne

Non-Committee Positions:

Officials Coordinator	Jo Meban
Camp Coordinator	Anita Savage
Clothing Coordinator	Club Administrator

LIFE MEMBERS

1960	D F Mitchel (Dec)	1985	C R Ash (Dec)	2000	G G Danks
1961	R K Dryland (Dec)	1985	R R Williams	2007	B H Heron MNZM
1963	C W Small (Dec)	1990	W R Pritchard	2011	P E Olsen
1966	R Scott (Dec)	1991	G W Small	2012	Y C Dey
1967	R N H Harker	1991	L Richards	2013	E C Richards
1970	T K Marsh	1991	E P Taylor	2018	V M Skiffington
1976	R W Malyon QSM				

(Dec) = Deceased

ACTIVE MEMBERS 2019/2020

Open Men (28) - Active

Banks, Clifford	French, Dylan	McDermott, Mike	Rutledge-Malyon, B
Bath, Simon	Gavin, Jack	Malyon, Scott	Santini, Nicolas
Blanchard, Mark	Giles, Andrew	Mellor, Harry	Turner, Dylan
Cairns, Daniel	Gjaltema, Rowan	Mount, Finn	Vasiljevic, Justin
Campbell, Brodie	Gledhill, Hamish	O'Halloran, Shane	Wilcock, Colin
Clarke, James	Goodare, David	Readman, Sam	Wright, Jed
Cleminson, Jonah	Kramer, Kees	Russell, Tim	Young, Joshua

Open Men (19) - Patrolling

Akehurst, Greg	Fortes, Peter	Lowe, Dominic	Schiltknecht, Noah
Anderson, Troy	Gardiner, Bruce	Maney, AJ	Stout, Garry
Bavage, Dave	Gledhill, Craig	Maney, Brian	Young, David
Benney, Warren	Kramer, Peter	Morton, Digby	Young, Sam
Butler, Craig	Lewis, Ryan	Rolston, Brenden	

Men Under-19 (17) - Active and/or Patrolling*

Casey, Sean *	Makgill, Patrick	Parkes, Justin	Sanderson, Joshua *
Creighton, Reuben	McDermott, Conor	Pihema, Te Maia	Scheib, Kade
Fortes, Jon	McDermott, Dylan *	Readman, Blake	Ward, Jamie
Gilbertson, Kalani	Nicholls, Lachlan	Reid-Akehurst, Jamie*	Williams, Henry
Henare, Angus			

Men Under-16 (20) - Active and/or Patrolling*

Anderson, Ethan	Curteis, Jett	Lewis, Toby	Phillips, Quinn
Archer, Caleb *	Fitt, Nathaniel	Lyndon, Jacob	Reid, Alex *
Bavage, Max *	Fortes, Samuel	McIntyre, Flynn	Reid, Isaac *
Bradshaw, Xavier	Gardiner, Akira	Moratti, Coby	Savage, Keanu *
Curran, Jakob	Hughes, Matthew	Paranihi, Sam *	Schiltknecht, Nino

* Patrolling only

Open Women (21) - Active

Aitken, Louise	Hildesley, Emma	Oneroa, Kathleen	Soesbergen, Olivia
Downey, Brie	Lefeber, Renee	Presland, Robyn	Thompson, Natasha
Duff, Rachael	Moratti, Jes	Russell, Teresa	Turner, Sharon
Ford, Danielle	Noble, Tobi	Savage, Anita	Turner, Zoe
Freesir-Wetzell, Jelani	O'Dea, Kelly	Schuster-Lewis, Bea	Wignell, Amanda
Grant, Chelsea			

Open Women (13) - Patrolling

Aitchison, Emma	Clark, Leah	Hargreaves, Lynn	McKenzie, Megan
Anderson, Caroline	Davey, Kat	Kramer, Kathy	Payne, Sinead
Busby, Stephanie	Goodare, Sam	McDermott, Jen	Sinclair, Maria
Campbell, Stacey			

Women Under-19 (23) - Active and/or Patrolling*

Armit, Mackenzie	Davey, Lauren *	Hughes, Jade	Parker, Georgia
Banks, Taryn	Dooley, Freya	Kayes, Olivia	Reid-Akehurst, Georgia *
Benney, Renee	Dyer, Naomi	Kramer, Mary	Small, Camille
Bingley, Alexsia	Enright, Bethany	Lane, Jessica	Wade-Su'a, Lyric
Campbell, Toni	Fagan, Hannah *	Marinthe, Keeva	Young, Maia
Cornish, Josie	Gardiner, Maddie *	Moratti, Ella	

Women Under-16 (28) - Active and/or Patrolling*

Bingley, Peyton	Grover, Maya	Meban, Rose	Seymour, Isabella
Butler, Ella	Hall, Katrina	Moore, Alex	Shand, Ashling
Fortes, Emily	Irvine, Reilly *	O'Reilly, Caitlin *	Short, Madeleine
Fortes, Kate	Irvine, Taylor *	Person, Ebony *	Stout, Thea
Fuentes, Nathalie *	Jones, Makenna	Porteous, Marissa	Turner, Hannah
Funnell, Sarah	Law, Amy *	Rogers, Kate	Tyne, Maja
Goodare, Holly	Law, Lucy *	Sell, Teresa	Waller, Alyssa *

Non-Active Members (10)

Boocock, Paul	Downey, Wade	Newton, Michelle	Rogers, Richard
Cornish, Kevin	Gurr, Chris	Readman, Mark	Scheib, Mark
Downey, Michelle	Moratti, Rod		

* *Patrolling Only*

SURF LIFEGUARD AWARDS (41)

Aitchison, Emma	Goodare, Holly	Lyndon, Jacob	Santini, Nicolas
Bath, Simon	Grover, Maya	McIntyre, Flynn	Savage, Keanu
Bavage, Max	Hall, Katrina	Meban, Rose	Schiltnecht, Nino
Campbell, Stacey	Irvine, Reilly	Moore, Alex	Sell, Teresa
Currin, Jakob	Jones, Makenna	Mount, Finn	Seymour, Isabella
Curteis, Jett	Lane, Jessica	Noble, Toni	Shand, Ashling
Fortes, Emily	Law, Amy	Paranihi, Sam	Short, Madeleine
Fortes, Samuel	Law, Lucy	Person, Ebony	Sinclair, Maria
Freesir-Wetzell, Jelani	Lewis, Toby	Reid, Alex	Tyne, Maja
Funnell, Sarah	Lowe, Dominic	Reid, Isaac	Young, Joshua
Gardiner, Akira			

PATROL SUPPORT QUALIFICATIONS (3)

Becker, Jacolize	Fagan, Hannah	Hargreaves, Lynn
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REFRESHED LIFEGUARDS (184) (Last year 148)

SURF INSTRUCTOR AWARD (1)

Goodare, Sam

IRB CREWMAN AWARDS (7)

Archer, Caleb	Butler, Ella	McDermott, Conor	Young, Maia
Bingley, Peyton	Fortes, Kate	Williams, Henry	

IRB DRIVER AWARDS (6)

Clark, Leah	Downey, Brie	Henare, Angus	Ward, Jamie
Cornish, Josie	Gilbertson, Kalani		

IRB INSTRUCTOR AWARDS (2)

Cleminson, Jonah	Mellor, Harry
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OTHER AWARDS & QUALIFICATIONS

Surf Officials Course, Level 1 (7)	Marine VHF Radio Operator (7)	
First Aid Level 1 : 19	First Aid Level 2 : 20	First Aid Level 3 PHEC : 1
First Aid Level 2 Refreshers : 12		First Aid Level 3 Refreshers : 1



Red Beach club members who obtained the Surf Lifeguard Award in November 2019.

JUNIORSURF MEMBERS 2019/2020 (443)

Male (234)

Abrasowizz Madej, R	Ducker, O	Lees, J	Rolston, T
Abrasowizz Madej, T	Duffy, A	LeFleming, G	Russell, H
Aitken, T	Duncan, S	Lehmann, J	Russell, J
Anderson, T	Edwards, K	Lencse, A	Rutledge-Malyon, J
Arciszewski, S	Farley, F	Leslie, M	Rystweij, A
Ashforth, C	Fenton-Fitt, D	Liddel, S	Rystweij, C
Atiaga, C	Field, O	Liddel, T	Rystweij, J
Atiaga, E	Foote, M	Lisefski, L	Saull, C
Avery, S	Forbes, C	Lisefski, M	Savage, A
Baker, A	Frost, L	Lodge, M	Schlumpf, F
Bambury, F	Gardiner, T	Malifa, C	Scott, I
Bamford, J	Garnett, J	Malifa, M	Selby, A
Barnes, R	Garnett, M	Marginet, A	Shaw, J
Barnes, Z	Garnett, P	Martin Dean, E	Sheppard, C
Bartram, L	Gilbertson, K	McCabe, P	Sheppard, T
Bayes, J	Graham, B	McCabe, T	Shirkie, C
Bennenbroek, C	Graham, M	McGiven, P	Short, H
Bennenbroek, L	Graham, M	McIntyre, R	Simpson, D
Bickerdike, A	Halpin, T	McIntyre, T	Smart, J
Blackburn-Huettner, W	Hammond, G	Mckay, H	Smidt, C
Blanchard, D	Hammond, P	McKenzie-Linnell, F	Smith, C
Blanchard, J	Harrison, E	McNabb, J	Smith, M
Bodley, M	Hay, B	Meban, A	Stephenson, J
Boric, E	Hay, R	Mehra, A	Still, R
Boric, L	Hefer, E	Merriner, S	Stratulat, M
Boyce, H	Heise, N	Micutuan, J	Taylor, A
Bradshaw, G	Herrett, L	Miller, F	Taylor, L
Brockbank, A	Hill, C	Mills, Z	Taylor, O
Browne, J	Hirst, J	Mitchell, A	Te Anini, P
Bryant, R	Hopkins, E	Molchanov, G	Thomson, W
Burrowes, R	Hopkins, Z	Morales, O	Tipene, H
Butland, S	Hurst, L	Morales, W	Tomsett, N
Butler, H	Inger, B	More, E	Tomsett, R
Byrne, F	Inger, K	Mulvey, K	Tracey, L
Caesar, M	Iseli, C	Murdoch, B	Turner, L
Callaghan, T	Jacobs, J	Musker, Z	Tyne, L
Callaghan, V	Jenks, C	Nyamadzawo, J	van der Net, B
Campbell, D	Jenks, C	O'Brien, C	Wainui, C
Campbell, L	Jenks, L	O'Mara, E	Wainui, N
Cardey, C	Jenks, L	O'Sullivan, J	Walker, A
Carr, A	Jennings, N	O'Sullivan, Z	Waller, C
Carter, L	Johnson, C	Owens, J	Watson, A
Carty, H	Johnson, C	Ozturk, K	Watson, L
Charlton, J	Johnson, L	Parker, B	Whitehead, A
Chirstie, F	Johnson, X	Peach, H	Whitelaw, M
Choudhry, S	Joubert, J	Pereira, Z	Wild, N
Clynes, B	Kalle, K	Persson-Moran, C	Williams, R
Clynes, J	Kalle, R	Pihema, M	Wilson, C
Cooper, L	Keepa, E	Pihema, P	Wilson, J
Cornish, J	Kelly, A	Preston, F	Wilson, J
Creighton, L	King, A	Reti, K	Wilson, M
Davidson Sangster, O	Kinsella, T	Reti, R	Wilson, N
DeMeulemeester, M	Knapp, J	Rist, B	Winch, T
Derham, E	Kolb, L	Roberts, Z	Withers, M
Donaldson, T	Lamont, M	Robertson, J	Woodford, C
Douglas-Brown, N	Langley, J	Robertson, T	Wyatt, R
Dubowy da Silva, G	Latoa-Levi, C	Rogers, A	Young, L
Dubowy da Silva, L	Latoa-Levi, J	Rogers, J	Young, M
Dubowy da Silva, S	Lawrence, L		

Female (209)

Andrews, S	Ellis-Plumer, L	Kubicki, M	Rutledge-Malyon, S
Archer, A	Engman, R	Lamont, M	Santini, P
Ashman, D	Evens, A	Latoa-Levi, B	Scott, E
Ashman, I	Forlong, N	Lawrence, E	Scott, L
Baker, H	Frost, L	Lawton, E	Selby, J
Baker, K	Fuentes, M	le Roux, K	Shalygina, A
Baker, M	Gardiner, A	Lees, C	Shalygina, S
Bamford, E	Gardiner, B	Lehmann, I	Shaw, E
Bartrom, M	Gardiner, I	Leonard, S	Shergill, P
Bavage, C	Gardiner, M	Lester, E	Simpkins, N
Beaumont, F	Giles, E	Lewis, O	Simpkins, R
Belz, C	Giles, G	Ling, A	Skene, L
Bhaga, P	Godfrey, H	Little, J	Smith, A
Blackburn-Huettner, L	Goldbert, I	Lodge, A	Sparks, G
Blackwell, F	Gornall, C	Lowe, A	Sparks, L
Boric, P	Gornall, L	Madsen, s	Stout, E
Bower-Martinez, I	Grimer, J	March, C	Strang, J
Brennan, R	Halpin, H	Marginet, H	Swarbrick, A
Briggs, Z	Halpin, N	Marshall, S	Taylor, J
Browne, Z	Hardy, C	Martin Dean, M	Thomson, L
Burrowes, S	Hardy, K	McComb, G	Tipene, H
Burton, A	Harris, M	McKenzie-Linnell, Q	Tomlinson, J
Caesar, C	Harrison, H	Meredith, Q	Tomlinson, T
Cameron, C	Harrod, P	Merriner, M	Tracey, L
Carr, E	Harwood, B	Miller, K	Troughton, S
Carter, T	Harwood, R	Mills, L	Vakeli, N
Christie, T	Haskel, K	Morgan, I	van der Net, S
Churton, S	Haslam, G	Mouldey, A	van der Westhuizen, D
Collins, B	Hefer, A	Murdoch, E	Van Tander, E
Conaghan, L	Hempel, B	Murdoch, V	Vercauteren, S
Coombe, E	Hempel, U	Musker, I	Ware, S
Cummings, A	Henderson, C	Newson, M	Warren, A
Currie, C	Henderson, I	Newson, O	Weakley, A
Dale, J	Hendry, M	O'Reilly, T	Weatherby, A
Dale, M	Herrett, L	O'Reilly, T	Webster, M
DeMeulemeester, M	Herrett, M	Owen, E	White, E
Dick, D	Hinchey, M	Owen, F	White, E
Dick, K	Hinchey, S	Owens, L	Wickens, E
Douglas, A	Hinds, B	Paea, S	Wickens, E
Douglas, N	Holmes, I	Palastanga, M	Williams, E
Douglas-Brown, I	Howe, A	Pearce, A	Williams, E
Draper, O	Humphreys, S	Pemberton, I	Williams, H
Ducker, E	Hurst, A	Person, B	Williams-Davison, A
Duff, K	Jennings, C	Pihema, A	Williams-Davison, L
Duff, P	Jennings, E	Raddock, L	Wilson, S
Duffett, A	Jennings, O	Rashid, Y	Withers, M
Duffett, H	Jones, A	Remihana, T	Woodford, C
Dunne, K	Kalle, S	Rist, M	Wyatt, H
Edwards, C	Kayes, R	Roest, M	Yearbury, J
Edwards, E	Kearney, L	Rogers, A	Young, I
Elley, A	King, I	Rolston, C	Young, L
Elley, I	Kinsella, D	Russell, M	Young, L
Elliott, R			



FUNDING Organisations



Launch of new surf canoes

Two new surf canoes were launched at Red Beach in October 2019, namely the *Flying Saull* – in memory of Nick Saull – and the *Flying Presland*. A karakia took place on the beach before the canoes were given a champagne launch by Bryan & Pat Heron of The Flying Herons. The club took delivery of a third canoe, the *Flying Cornish*, in December 2019.



JuniorSurf Training Day

The JuniorSurf division ended the 2019-20 season with an all-time record membership of 443 youngsters aged 4-13 years. In November, club photographer Ross Malyon took the opportunity to look in on a Sunday morning training session at Red Beach to bring you these pics.





67th ANNUAL Report

The Club Committee of the Red Beach Surf Life Saving Club (Inc) presents for your adoption the 67th Annual Report and Financial Statement for the year ended 30th April 2020.

THE 2019/2020 SEASON

The club has now completed its 67th year of operation and the way in which the season unfolded is documented in the following pages by way of reports and photographs.

The 2019-20 season spanned eight months, starting with the first Pool Interclub event in August 2019 and concluding with the NZ Championships in Gisborne in March 2020.

The season will be remembered for the onset of

the Covid-19 pandemic when the country went into lockdown on Thursday 26 March 2020. If the Nationals in Gisborne (mid-March) had been scheduled to take place a week later, the event would have been cancelled. How lucky we were!

Membership

In the Senior division, total Active membership has climbed to 169 and this number includes patrolling members who carry out voluntary patrols at both Red

Beach and Pakiri.

The Junior Surf division notched up an all-time record membership of 443 youngsters in its ranks, all aged 4-13 years. The club introduced Nipper members to its ranks in the 1973-74 season and around 20 youngsters aged 9-13 years joined up.

The 41 Surf Lifeguard Awards achieved show a small increase over the previous season.

	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20
Senior Men - Active	39	31	24	18	28
- Patrolling	24	32	15	23	19
U-19 & U-16 Men	39	36	35	38	37
Senior Women - Active	29	30	29	25	21
- Patrolling	8	8	7	10	13
U-19 & U-16 Women	38	30	36	39	51
TOTAL ACTIVE: Incl. Patrolling Members	177	167	146	153	169
Non-Active	5	7	2	10	10
JuniorSurf Members Incl. Tadpoles	368	425	381	423	443
Squash – Senior	54*	55*	46*	49*	54*
- Junior	8	17	35	40	21
*Incl. Off-Peak members					
Associate Members * Incl. Jnr Parent Associates	335	557*	645*	724*	701*
Surf Lifeguard Awards	43	30	22	38	41



60 Years of Service - Ross Malyon

In November 2019, club stalwart **Ross Malyon** was recognised for 60 years of service to both the Red Beach Surf Club and the surf lifesaving movement. The club sprang a surprise function at the clubrooms to mark the 60th anniversary of Ross's membership – he joined the club as a teenager in 1959. The function was attended by a large gathering of club members, young and old, past and present. Several of those present were also teenagers in the club during the early years of his membership.

Ross became involved in administration from an early age and has held numerous positions within the club, including that of secretary and/or executive officer for 51 years. He has notched up 49 years as the coordinator of the iconic Owen Chapman Cup surf carnival. He's a Life Member of three organisations - Red Beach Surf Club (1976), Surf Life Saving Northern Region (1992) and Surf Life Saving New Zealand (2004). He was awarded the Queens Service Medal in 1992.



Surf Patrols – Red Beach

The club's volunteer surf patrols were on duty from Saturday 30 November 2019 until Sunday 22 March 2020. There were six recorded rescues & assists. The patrolling season was cut short due to the Covid-19 lockdown which came into effect on 26 March.

<u>Patrol hours worked:</u>	1,440 hrs	<u>First Aids:</u> 26	<u>Searches:</u> 1	<u>Preventive Actions:</u> 188	
Total Rescues:	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20
* Incl. Assists	3	0	5	6*	5*

Surf Patrols – Pakiri Beach

For the 11th consecutive summer, Red Beach lifeguards patrolled at Pakiri Beach. They were on duty from Saturday 21 December 2019 to Sunday 22 March 2020. There were 5 recorded rescues & assists. Pakiri had 3 Regional Guards on duty during the Christmas/New Year holiday period.

<u>Patrol hours worked:</u>	1,033 hrs	<u>First Aids:</u> 8	<u>Searches:</u> 1	<u>Preventive Actions:</u> 131	
Total Rescues:	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20
* Incl. Assists	30	0	5	29*	5*

Paid Lifeguard Service (PLS)

Five (5) Red Beach lifeguards were appointed by Paid Lifeguard Service for the 2019-20 summer:

Brie Downey Conor McDermott Harry Mellor Georgia Parker Zoe Turner

Committee Meeting Attendances

Club (Management) (7 meetings)	Present	Apologies	Comment
Mark Scheib (President)	5	2	
Kathy Kramer	7		
Ross Malyon	7		Because of the Covid-19 lockdown, two (2) meetings were held via Zoom.
Debra Cairns	7		
Richard Rogers	6	1	
Kevin Robinson/Gary Catlin	4	3	Squash delegates
Surf Committee (8 meetings)			
Ian Cairns	6		
Stephanie Busby	4	2	
Kathy Kramer	4	2	
Mark Readman	4	2	
Matt Bingley	6		
Jan Saul	3	3	
Olivia Soesbergen	4	2	
Dave Young	5	1	
Sam Goodare	5	1	
Robyn Presland	5	1	
Harry Mellor			Non-Committee
Peter Kramer			Non-Committee

Club Awards

The following awards were presented at the 2019 Annual General Meeting of the club:

Recognition Awards: Paul Boocock, Jack Gavin, Joanne Meban, Kelly O'Dea, Toni Rolston, Anita Savage, Cecilia Tyne, Sam Young

Service Awards: Ian Cairns, Richard Rogers

Distinguished Service Awards: Mark Scheib



In July 2019, former Red Beach president Mike Taylor was recognised by Surf Life Saving Northern Region for his services to the movement. He was presented with an SLSNR Distinguished Service Award at the Awards of Excellence function held at Auckland's Cordis Hotel.



In July 2019, three Red Beach members received SLSNR Service Awards at the SLSNR Awards of Excellence night held at the Cordis Hotel.
From left: Robyn Presland, Wade Downey, Kathy Kramer.

2020-21 New Zealand High Performance Squads

At the conclusion of the 2020 NZ Championships in Gisborne, SLSNZ announced two squads for 2020-21 ... the New Zealand Open Squad and the Lifesaving World Championships Youth Squad.

We congratulate Red Beach club member **Patrick Makgill** on being named in the Youth Squad.

Regional & National Awards

Surf Life Saving Northern Region

At the time of going to print with this 2020 Annual Report, the SLSNR Awards of Excellence Night had not been held, due to the Covid-19 epidemic.

Awards won by the club for the 2019-20 season will be published in the 2021 Annual Report.

Surf Life Saving New Zealand

September 2019 : SLSNZ Service Award : Mark Scheib

Fundraising

During the 2019-20 season the following fundraising methods were employed:

Platinum & Gold Sponsors	Silver & Bronze Sponsors	Business House Sponsors
Rugby Night Fundraiser	Trip to Hawaii Raffle	Movie Night
Dad's Pies Sales	Friday Night Meat Raffles	Rotary Swimathon
Open Water Swim	Sunday BBQs	ACC Club Distribution
Northern Arena \$10 for 10 Days		

BH Heron Red Beach Lifeguard Development Trust

The six trustees are Bryan Heron, Ross Malyon, Graeme Danks, Pat Heron, Mark Readman and Jane Finlayson. Since 2009 the Trust has paid out almost \$28,000.

There were three (3) grants made during the period 1st July 2019 – 30th June 2020:

Patrick Makgill received a grant for \$500 to assist with travel costs associated with his selection for the SLSNZ Development Squad, to compete at the Sanyo Cup event in Japan, June 2019.

Olivia Soesbergen was granted \$500 towards the cost of attending the Aspiring Leaders Forum in Wellington from 27-30 June 2019.

Hamish Gledhill received a grant for \$500 to assist with travel costs and expenses associated with his participation in the Molokai-Oahu Paddleboard World Championships in Hawaii in July 2019.

Conclusion

There is a common resolve within the club to remain strong and to keep moving ahead to meet the best interests of both the club and its members. To everyone who has made a contribution over the past season, be it great or small, Red Beach Surf Life Saving Club extends a very big THANK YOU.

Ross Malyon, Club Secretary

President's Report

With the uncertain times we've all experienced from Covid-19, the epidemic has presented challenges to us as a club as well, with no income generated and losing all our bookings. The protocols we also faced coming out of Level 4 to Level 1 were all-consuming at the time. Special thanks to Debra and Jack with their commitment through this period to ensure we could all be back at the club as much as possible.

The first morning in Level 1 on Tuesday 9 June was very impressive ... on the water in pitch black darkness on surf skis and paddleboards at 6:00am in quite cold conditions! There was a head count of 21 seniors, from U16 through to Open age groups out training. Well done athletes, it again shows just how much we all enjoy being together!

Prior to Covid-19, the club fielded a very large team at this year's Nationals in Gisborne, in conditions that ranged from big surf through to small. We achieved some incredible results that you'll read in other reports within this Annual Report.

Once again our motto or question has been ... is success measured purely by results? We at Red Beach believe not, as the club spirit and culture within the club is the most important focus and well led by our club coach Jack. If we keep working on our culture the results will continue to grow as they have each year.

The large numbers at training, on the beach and in the pool continued to grow this season, so much so that we were getting lots of comment from other clubs. Congratulations to all of you for making our club stand out.

This was our eleventh season of patrolling at **Pakiri Beach** during the peak of the summer (Dec – March) in addition to normal patrols at **Red Beach** over the same period. Patrolling came to an abrupt end at both beaches on Sunday 22 March due to Covid-19. The country went into the Level 4 lockdown on 26 March.

Our lifeguards completed a total of 2,473 voluntary patrolling hours. We carried out 319 preventative actions, 10 rescues and patient assists, 34 First Aid treatments and 2 searches. The efforts by members, whether on the beach, upskilling, gaining additional awards or instructing, are greatly appreciated. During the season we had 41 new lifeguards qualify for the Surf Lifeguard Award.

To have an active role as part of our community in providing our service, training children and young adults is providing parents with the assurance that they are in the club for great reasons. Plus, our Masters' programme gives all ages an opportunity for well-being, good health and a sense of belonging. May this continue to grow the numbers at our club.

Special thanks to all the club members who are on the different Committees who give their time to help make the club what it is; all your effort and time involved is very humbling. Please take the time to read the reports from the different divisions and you'll hopefully recognise the work involved by these divisions.

Many thanks to Kathy Kramer who helps co-chair the Management committee along with myself, and oversees the financial reporting with Debra Cairns. Kathy's guidance, expertise and the effort she puts into the club is nothing short of amazing; thank you Kathy!

Thanks to all our active and associate members, friends, volunteers and other helpers and the wider community, plus our sponsors who continue to make the Red Beach Surf Life Saving Club the very special place it is.

Mark Scheib, Club President





In September 2019, Red Beach stalwart Mark Scheib was recognised by Surf Life Saving New Zealand for his services to the movement. He was presented with an SLSNZ Service Award at the Awards of Excellence function held at Te Papa in Wellington.



The deck extension at the club which became available for use in December 2019.



Lifesaving Report

Lifesaving Operational Team

Lifesaving Manager

Harry Mellor/Debra Cairns

Powercraft Manager

Peter Kramer

Chief IRB Instructor

Peter Kramer

Chief Lifeguard Instructor

Megan McKenzie

Lifeguard Award Instructors

Peter Fortes, Robyn Presland,
Georgia Parker, Megan
McKenzie, Sam Goodare

IRB Club Instructors

Kees Kramer, Brodie Campbell,
Jonah Cleminson, Harry Mellor

Northern Region Examiners

Robyn Presland, Debra Cairns,
Peter Kramer

Trainee Club Instructors

Sean Casey, Olivia Kayes

Our club members continue to volunteer their time to promote safety on our beaches and the statistics continue to demonstrate our contribution.

This season was somewhat unique as we responded to Surf Life Saving NZ's request to change patrolling hours to include more weekends at Pakiri. We performed a total of 34 patrols at Red Beach and 25 at Pakiri Beach. Due to the Covid-19 Level 4 lockdown, our last weekends of patrolling were cancelled although our call-out lifeguards were still on duty but fortunately weren't required for any incidents.

Our contribution included: 184 refreshed lifeguards, 2472.5 hours of volunteer life guarding, 4 rescues, 6 patient assists, 2 searches, 1 major & 33 minor first aids, and 319 preventative actions involving 1,118 people.

We continue to grow as a club and introduce new candidates to the joy of life saving. During the 2020 season we qualified 41 new lifeguards and 3 patrol support volunteers. As we qualify new lifeguards, there is a constant reminder that this is the beginning of their lifeguarding journey and that there are so many pathways and opportunities to develop and grow.

Our call-out squad was again led by Pete Kramer this year,



Club lifeguards on patrol at Pakiri, December 2019.

while Pete Fortes and Georgia Parker took on the joint role as Northern Region Peer Support.

Our role as lifeguards can be challenging, so our ongoing training is an important aspect of our development. This season saw 20 lifeguards gain Level 2 First Aid, 6 new IRB Drivers, and 2 lifeguards attended the Northern Region Intermediate Lifeguard School. Unfortunately, and due to Covid-19, the Northern Region Youth Development Camp was postponed.

We support our members in completing higher First Aid

certificates and encouraging our lifeguards to continue to attend the Intermediate Lifeguard School, youth development camp and the advanced and senior lifeguard awards. We look forward to learning from their experiences while they are on patrol.

Thank you to our lifeguards, our instructors, examiners and the families who support us and the community by loaning you to us to patrol our beaches. We must always remember that we are not only keeping the beaches safe for our community but must keep ourselves safe in our lifeguarding duties.

We have many things to be proud of as a club including who we are, along with the people who make up our membership.

**Chris Hailwood Memorial Cup:
U16 Lifeguard of the Year:**
Caleb Archer

**Jubilee Trophy: Best All
Round Patrolling Member:**
Brie Downey & Georgia Parker

**Nick Saull Memorial Trophy:
Contribution to Powercraft:**
Kees Kramer

Debra Cairns

Patrol Statistics

Red Beach : 30 November 2019 to 22 March 2020

Patrol hours completed	1440
Rescues & Assists	5
Searches	1
First Aids	26
Preventive Actions	188

Pakiri : Pakiri : 21 December 2019 to 22 March 2020

Patrol hours completed	1033
Rescues & Assists	5
Searches	1
First Aids	8
Preventive Actions	131



Club lifeguards on patrol at Pakiri, December 2019.



Patrolling at Pakiri, December 2019.



Eight Red Beach lifeguards obtained IRB qualifications following an exam at Piha in October 2019. Two obtained the IRB Instructor Award and six qualified as IRB Drivers. Pictured from left: Harry Mellor (Instructor), Brie Downey, Jamie Ward, Angus Henare, Jonah Cleminson (Instructor), Kalani Gilbertson, Josie Cornish, Leah Clark.



NZ CHAMPIONSHIPS

Midway Beach, Gisborne - 12-15 March 2020



GOLD (4)

U16 Men's Beach Flags	1st	Angus Henare
Open Men's Taplin Relay	1st	Jack Gavin, Daniel Cairns, Hamish Gledhill, Sam Readman, Patrick Makgill, Kalani Gilbertson
U19 Men's Taplin Relay	1st	Patrick Makgill, Kade Scheib, Lachie Nicholls
U16 Women's Taplin Relay	1st	Kate Rogers, Ella Butler, Hannah Turner

SILVER (4)

U19 Men's Board Relay	2nd	Blake Readman, Te Maia Pihema, Lachie Nicholls
U19 Men's Beach Relay	2nd	Patrick Makgill, Jon Fortes, Angus Henare, Akira Gardiner
U19 Men's Ski Race	2nd	Reuben Creighton
U16 Women's Ski race	2nd	Kate Rogers

BRONZE (8)

U19 Women's 2km Beach Run	3rd	Jessica Lane
U16 Women's Iron Person	3rd	Kate Rogers
U16 Women's Board Race	3rd	Kate Rogers
U16 Women's Ski Race	3rd	Ella Butler
U16 Women's Beach Flags	3rd	Katrina Hall
U16 Men's Beach Sprint	3rd	Akira Gardiner
U16 Women's Tube Rescue	3rd	Kate Rogers, Hannah Turner, Katrina Hall, Ella Butler
Open Men's Surf Teams Race	3rd	Jack Gavin, Dylan French, Kees Kramer, Patrick Makgill



Kate Rogers

Overall Club Placings for the Allan Gardner Trophy:

1. Mt Maunganui (163)	7. Orewa (38)	12= Wainui (26)
2. Waikanae (95)	8. Red Beach (36)	14. Ocean Beach Kiwi (23)
3. Omanu (80)	9= Lyall Bay (32)	15. Waimairi (22)
4. Mairangi Bay (66)	9= Midway (32)	16. Otaki (16)
5. Piha (48)	11. Taylors Mistake (27)	17= Paekakariki (15)
6. East End (44)	12= Titahi Bay (26)	17= South Brighton (15)

NZ Masters Championships:

1. Omanu (146)	5. Waimairi (34)	9= Red Beach (26)
2. Whakatane (55)	6. Wainui (33)	9= Ocean Beach Kiwi (26)
3. Lyall Bay (42)	7. Papamoa (32)	9= Mt Maunganui (26)
4. Midway (37)	8. New Brighton (27)	9= Waikanae (26)



Club Captain's Report

I continue to be amazed at how the club grows every season. We have developed great membership retention across all age groups with a good number of enthusiastic young Rookies and their families making the transition from Junior ranks into the Senior club. This season, we consistently fielded the highest numbers of competitors at carnivals, both regionally and nationally, with a good spread of numbers across all age group divisions. The biggest change was the increase in our Open Men's division.

Our positive environment and culture continues to thrive at Red Beach which is testament to the club's committees, coaches, managers and all members in general who support our movement with tireless amounts of voluntary hours. The wheels continue to turn in the right direction and seem to be gathering momentum year on year.

Naturally, the club is always trying to improve and to be the best we can. We have had a major step-up in our club facilities; in the level of lifeguarding we have delivered to the region and in sports results our athletes have achieved. This comes as no surprise, given the plans and programmes developed by our leadership teams and the club coach.

Once again, our athletes and families enjoyed multiple

camps away this season, at Ahipara and Gisborne. The first is always designed as a team building camp for the new and old members; the latter a hard-core training camp in the middle of the season. These camps were a great success and form important parts of the building blocks of Jack Gavin's competitive season plan.

One of the many highlights this season was the amazing results at the NRCs at Omaha. Red Beach absolutely dominated the event. Our club racked up an amazing 316 points, Jack's athletes won a total of 119 medals comprising of 32 Gold, 51 Silver and 36 Bronze, almost doubling the points of our nearest rivals. In addition, the Masters athletes added another 22 medals to the tally. Our teams occupied multiple places on the podium over many events and showed our true depth.

The Nationals at Gisborne finished off the competitive season on a high note. With so many amazing results from both individuals and teams, the club held its head high. Every year we can reflect on what might have been if things had gone our way, but that is the nature of our sport. Some of the highlights for me were the team results with Red Beach winning three of the six Taplin Relay finals which were across the U16, U19 and Open age groups.

This is a great indication of the development of our athletes and a credit to Jack Gavin's programme and the "compete hard for your mates" attitude that he instils.

Without detracting from any of the Nationals results, the club ended on a high by taking out the prestigious Open Men's Taplin Relay event. This was one of the most exciting races I have seen with the spectators going wild on the beach as the lead changed from leg to leg. Our young team lead by Jack "took it" to the powerhouse Open teams like Mt Maunganui and Mairangi Bay. The boys were always in the hunt and pulled off one of the most amazing finishes of the weekend, surging ahead in the final sprint along the beach to take out the Gold medal.

Next season, we will see a change in the age groups with the new U15 & U17 divisions replacing the U16 division. It's a change we will watch with interest.

I would like to finish by thanking those who continually put up their hands to make this club a success. The committees, the development coaches, the beach managers, the administrators, the sponsors and of course the club coach. Let's keep it going.

Mark Readman
Club Captain





Northern Region Championships

Hat trick at Omaha!

Red Beach scored a veritable hat trick at Omaha in February when it took out the Northern Region Championships for a third consecutive year. The club's senior athletes collected 32 Gold, 51 Silver and 36 Bronze medals and comfortably won the overall points trophy.

Overall Senior Points:

Red Beach (316) 1, Mairangi Bay (175) 2, Orewa (126) 3, Piha (92) 4, Omanu (52) 5, Bethells Beach (28) 6, Wainui (28) 7, Waihi (15) 8, Muriwai (13) 9, Omaha (8) 10.





The *Valkyries* crew took out the Gold medal in the U19 women's division for the 2019-20 NZ Surf Boat Series. From left: Keea Marinthe, Lyric Logotaeao-Su'a, Shane 'Bugsy' O'Halloran (sweep), Bethany Enright, Maia Young.



The Red Beach *Rabbits* were awarded the Silver medal in the Open Women's division for the 2019-20 NZ Surf Boat Series. From left: Tobi Noble, Danielle Ford, Kathleen Oneroa, Jed Wright (sweep), Zoe Turner, Olivia Soesbergen.



Surf Boat Report

Red Beach had two surf boat crews on the water during the 2019-20 season ... the *Rabbits* in their first year of the Open Women's division after having competed previously in the U23 division; and a first-year beginners U19 Women's crew - *The Valkyries* - that had transitioned previously with Jack Gavin's blessing from the comp squad to canoes and then to surf boats.

With the boatie squad losing a couple of Open division crews from last season, the *Rabbits* really stepped up, and in fact became the core of the boatie squad. Five great young women, all with leadership skills, all intelligent, and all with great interpersonal skills. And of course, all very good surf boat rowers.

What this meant is that the *Rabbits* jumped (hopped) in and helped out with accommodation bookings, carnival entries, and any activities, tasks or trainings that needed to be done or supported and led by example as role models for our new U19 women's crew, the *Valkyries*. Our group became tight, with morale strong and with the ethos of looking after each other, working hard to achieve and always having a laugh. A big bouquet to the Rabbits for making the season what it was and for the fun each of you, including Jed (*Rabbits* sweep), made it.

Whilst giving thanks, I must



commend Deb Cairns for her administrative support; Michelle Newton as a senior surf official and having our backs, ensuring we not only had but supplied the necessary information to enter and compete; Bruce Whitehead who, despite some health issues, offered his time and experience as Red Beach's representative in the surf boat and canoe arena officials team.

We can never thank enough our sponsors and we acknowledge the support of the club's major sponsors, especially our long-term sponsors of the boats, **The Flying Herons** and **Argosy Property**. We also welcomed **Bayleys Realty Group** as a new sponsor to our surf boat squad this season and we thank you all for your support over the last year. We look forward to further promoting your support for our club and the surf boat group for seasons to come.

It's time to thank my old mate Jed Wright who has been unfaltering as a sweep and a staunch club member. Jed never shirks responsibility or work when it needs to be done, despite becoming a father and a family man. Jed is a solid go-to guy for anything and we are very fortunate to have him in our club. Jed is very motivated by the very strong possibility of our having an U23 Men's crew next season (which Jed will sweep), and nothing would please both of us more as old Pirates than to see a *Pirates* crew back on the water and going hard. There will be no quarter given!

Finally, thanks to Jack Gavin, Mark 'Cos' Readman, our numerous club officials, members, and our canoe mates for their full-on support. The support and morale within

our club, across all areas, is unequalled and makes being part of it a great experience for all.

Surf Boat Award Winners for the season were:

Bacon & Egg Pie Bakers
Champions Tray - *Valkyries* U19 crew

O'Halloran Family Cup - Boatie Spirit of Club Award : Danielle Ford

Bugsy Cup - Boatie Personality of the Year : Zoe Turner

Mike Smith Cup - Most Improved Female Rower : Keeva Marinthe

Craig Dillon Cup - Most Improved Male Rower : Jed Wright

Terry Marsh Trophy - Top Surf Boat Crew : *Valkyries* U19 Women's Crew : Keeva Marinthe, Bethany Enright, Maia Young, Lyric Wade-Su'a, Shane O'Halloran (sweep)

Shane 'Bugsy' O'Halloran
Surf Boat Captain

Open Women - *Rabbits*

This year's *Rabbits* crew consisted of 5 strong young ladies, competing in their first year in the Open Women's division.

The team comprised of veteran rowers Olivia Soesbergen, Kathleen Oneroa and Danielle Ford, 'baby rabbit' Zoe Turner, and new powerhouse Tobi Noble.

With the girls' lives getting busier and busier, training



together got harder, however, we got through it with some late nights, early mornings, fill-ins and a lot of personal work in the gym.

The *Rabbits*' results over the season saw them on the podium at a few events with Nationals being the ultimate target. At this premier event there was an awesome mix of crap weather, waves and sun and the girls showed up fit, strong and ready to compete against other Open Women's crews. They pushed the older teams all the way and were very unlucky not to make it to the podium.

The *Rabbits* will be back in force next season to chase the Gold even harder.

Jed Wright, Sweep

Under 19 Women - Valkyries

The birth of this crew came at a pre-season coffee meeting at a gardening centre! Oh how times have changed. Four smiley faces with big eyes, all determined to be surf boat rowers. A few agreed protocols and all we had to do was learn to row and name our crew. After a couple of practice rows, the seats in the boat became obvious and we had Keeva Marinthe in stroke,

Lyric Wade-Sua in second stroke, Maia Young in second bow and Bethany Enright in bow.

The young ladies came up with the crew name *The Valkyries*, derived from Norse mythology. They are essentially angels of death, hosts of female figures who served the God Odin and were sent by him to the battlefields to decide which soldiers die in battle and which live. Sweep Buggy bought into it when they told him that he was Odin, bless them!!!

So it was a first year of rowing surf boats for *The Valkyries* (easily the youngest U19 crew in the division) and lots to learn and lots of fun to be had and that is exactly how our season is best described. This ebullient crew were determined to row every competition and carnival they could to grow their knowledge and experience, and they did. Each and every competition racing showed greater gains. The NZ Surf Boat series is about consistent performance as much as it is about being the fastest on any one day and with *The Valkyries* narrowly missing the podium at the CRCs, collecting double silver medals at ERCs,

and double Golds at NRCs, they found themselves at the end of the season as the NZ Surf Boat series U19 Women title winners. Good crews win titles, great crews retain titles, ladies.

The Nationals did not bring the returns hoped for but the experience of being there and competing at the big show and seeing the bloody-minded focus with no distraction(s) needed to make the podium will help this crew grow as competitors in the boat arena.

From a sweep's perspective it was a joy being part of this crew. The rowers constantly demonstrated their discipline and their intent to learn was inspiring. You can only claim 'first year rowers' one year; after that you're just part of the mix ladies, so expect there to be a lot more expected of you next season.

Lastly, a shout out to the *Valkyries* parents who were always there in any way to help or offer to help. That stuff can never be over-valued and is greatly appreciated. Thanks from our crew.

Bugsy O'Halloran, Sweep



The *Pirates* U23 crew at the Northern Region Championships at Omaha, February 2020. The four rowers also paddled as the Rigs canoe crew in the Open Men's division. From left: Justin Vasiljevic, Joshua Young, Finn Mount, Jed Wright (sweep), Simon Bath.



NZ Championships

Gold Medallists

Red Beach won four national titles at Gisborne's Midway Beach in March 2020. In so doing, the club took out three of the six Taplin Relay events, one of which was the blue riband event ... the Open Men's Taplin. Congratulations to the following Gold medallists.

Open Men's Taplin Relay

L-R : Jack Gavin, Kalani Gilbertson,
Hamish Gledhill, Patrick Makgill,
Daniel Cairns, Sam Readman



U16 Women's Taplin Relay

L-R : Hannah Turner, Ella Butler,
Kate Rogers

U19 Men's Taplin Relay

L-R : Kade Scheib, Patrick Makgill,
Lachie Nicholls



U19 Men's Beach Flags

Angus Henare

In just their second season since reigniting IRB racing for Red Beach, our *Raptors* crew of Jonah Cleminson (driver), Harry Mellor (crewman) and patients Coby Moratti, Matthew Hughes and Xavier Bradshaw, moved up an age bracket to the U23 Men's division for the 2019/20 season. They were joined by a new U23 female crew, the Red Beach *Ragdolls* comprising Brie Downey (driver), Emma Hildesley (crew) and patients Peyton Bingley and Teresa Sell.

The early season included escalated training, a 'duck rally' and a Northern Region interclub event which gave the crews the opportunity for race practice, make technical improvements, and adapt to rule and equipment specification changes.

Special thanks at this time to Pete Kramer for his willingness to give of his time, knowledge and support; the IRB committee and Debra Cairns and Ange Moore without whom racing could not occur.

The IRB racing community continues to be a welcoming environment with the bigger and more established clubs readily assisting our crews with advice and support. This continued through our ranks with Jonah and Harry helping out the *Ragdolls*, and crews and patients supporting each other.

The major events of the season are the BP North Island IRB Championships (Paekakariki), Northern Region IRB Championships (Ruakaka) and BP New Zealand IRB Championships (Ruakaka).

In February, the crews and entourage travelled to Paekakariki, Wellington and were greeted by perfect weather and clean waves which, we were assured by locals, is extremely rare for the region and made for entertaining racing.

The Women's U23 events were all run as straight finals with the *Ragdolls* achieving credibly in their first season;

- Assembly Rescue – 4th
- Mass Rescue – 3rd (Bronze)
- Single Rescue – 5th
- Tube Rescue – 3rd (Bronze)

The Men's U23 division is extremely competitive with heats and finals for all events and the *Raptors* making 3 out of 4 finals which resulted in the following final placings;

- Mass Rescue – 5th
- Single Rescue – 5th
- Tube Rescue – 2nd (Silver)

Based on these results, morale and expectations were high for the upcoming Northern Region and National Championships, however, these events were cancelled due to Covid-19

with the country going into lockdown. This was a blow to everyone concerned but a situation which has the crews enthusiastic to continue training and looking forward to next season with vigour.

The resurgence of interest in IRB racing is growing with more young and returning lifeguards expressing interest to join this exciting and rewarding division of surf sport. I encourage anyone interested to speak up and approach the crews; they are a wonderful and welcoming group of people.

In conclusion, it gives me pleasure to announce a new trophy for the IRB division
... **Moratti Family Cup for Contribution to IRB Racing**

The inaugural joint winners are ...
Jonah Cleminson & Harry Mellor

**Rod Moratti
Manager**



IRB Competition

Red Beach had two IRB crews competing during the 2019-20 season, the *Raptors* men's crew and the *Ragdolls*, the club's first all-female crew in five years. Both competed in their respective U23 divisions, however, it was a very short season for them. With the onset of the Covid-19 pandemic, both the SLSNR Championships and the SLSNZ Championships were cancelled. The two events were to have been held at Ruakaka.





Surf Canoe Report

The Surf Canoe division has had another great season, starting with a huge joint effort from the canoe crews and the club to raise the funds for three new canoes. We would like to say 'thank you' to our wonderful sponsors ... Daltons Landscape Supplies Silverdale, Bayleys Real Estate, Subway Whangaparaoa, Subway Northcross and Hibiscus and Bays Local Board along with many other generous donors. We really appreciate your support as without you this achievement would not have been possible.

In addition to the costs for the new canoes, we also needed to modify a trailer and to build new storage racks. The Canoe division would like to thank Mark Redman and General Compression Ltd for the generous help and skills to achieve both of these.

Our canoe season started formally on 18 October 2019 at Red Beach SLSC, with a thank you for all the past and present sponsors. This was followed by a canoe naming ceremony and karakia on the beach to bless the new craft and those who paddle them.

In early January, the efforts of our canoe crews contributed

to help Red Beach retain the Owen Chapman Cup for yet another season. We achieved wins by the Red Beach *Rigs* in the open men, the *Juicies* in the open women, the *Hedgehogs* in the U19 women's division, and the *Ratbags* in the U16 women's division, who were a new crew to the sport.

The ERCs at Mt Maunganui in January saw the *Juicies* win silver in the open women and the *Ratbags* win silver in U19 women. The NRCs at Omaha were a hugely successful event for Red Beach with all crews medaling. Our four Masters crews doubled their efforts by competing in the Open division as well as in Masters.

The standout crews were the *Moanas* with two gold medals, finishing first in both Masters and Open short course women events, and the *Juicies* with gold in the open women long course event.

The *Rigs*, not content to just compete as a canoe crew, backed up their gold and bronze in the open men's canoe events with two silvers in the U23 surf boat division and rowing in the Lifesaver Relay for Red Beach B. The Red *Nicks* again showed their worth with two silvers in the open men's

events. The *Rockin' Reds* crew took silver in the open women's long course and the *Ratbags* rounded out a great carnival for the canoes with two silvers in the U19 women's events.

This year's National Championships were held at Midway Beach in Gisborne. For the Masters' events on the Thursday, the waves were huge! A big ups for the three Red Beach Masters Crews – *Moanas*, *Rockin' Reds* and *Rascals* for representing the club in white knuckle conditions. For the Open Championships, five Red Beach crews gave it their all against the country's best. With some amazing racing and great heat results from all the teams, the *Juicies** and the *Rigs* teams locked in spots in the semifinals with the *Juicies** going on to the final and finishing 6th in New Zealand.

At the end of the season, the canoe division said goodbye to some of the *Rascals* team who have hung up their paddles to become non-travelling reserves, and to the *Rigs* crew who are joining the Red Beach boaties to row in U23 Mens division. Best of luck, *Pirates*!

David Young
Surf Canoe Division

Red Beach Canoe Crews : 2019/2020 Season

Open Men:

Rigs : Justin Vasiljevic, Finn Mount, Simon Bath, Joshua Young

Masters/Open Men:

Red Nicks : Collin Wilcock, Dave Goodare, Tim Russell, Mark Blanchard

Rascals : Andrew Giles, Dylan Turner, Brendon Rutledge-Malyon, Scott Malyon, Cliff Banks



Red Beach Canoe Crews : 2019/2020 Season - continued

Open Women:

Juicies : Georgia Parker, Hannah Corkill, Naomi Dyer, Olivia Falloon, Emily Fortes *

Open/Masters Women:

Moanas : Robyn Presland-Tack, Rachael Duff, Anita Savage, Georgina Hall, Taryn Banks, Renee Lefeber, Amanda Wignell, Teresa Russell

Rockin' Reds : Kelly O'Dea, Natasha Thompson, Sharon Turner, Jennifer Hall

U19 Women:

Ratbags : Alex Moore, Emily Fortes, Holly Goodare, Sarah Funnell

**Nationals Masters Only*





JuniorSurf Chairman's Report

It's been another record year for the Junior Division, climbing to a membership of 443 juniors aged from 4 to 14 years. The main objective for our Junior Division is to build the confidence of our young junior members on the beach and in the water, and to enjoy being part of the team. Our end goal is to retain our juniors through to seniors where they will ultimately patrol beaches for the community as qualified lifeguards.

As a club, significant planning by our volunteer committee ensures we create experiences that produce lifelong memories for our juniors. This includes Sunday surf and education sessions, interclub sport at a range of beaches and our junior camp that includes the amazing Survivor event.

Junior Sport – Surf

Back-to-back Northern Region Championship Club wins puts Red Beach at the top of surf sport for the region. But it was also pleasing to see all our competing club members challenging themselves in often difficult surf and beach conditions to perform at their best.

As a club we competed at Northern interclubs at both Orewa and Ruakaka, as well as at Omaha for the Northern Region Champs. We also competed in the region's

first West Coast Experience at Bethells Beach before travelling to the Mount for Oceans '20 at the end of the season. As a club we represented with pride at all of these events and we were the largest representative team, which is a fantastic achievement.

Congratulations to all our competitors, finalists and medal winners at these events.

The surf competition season involves a significant number of club volunteers to enable us to compete and I would like to thank our surf officials, water safety, gear managers, group managers, board trailer towers and sports coaches. Our sports coaches are recruited from our senior sports competitors, led by Ella Moratti and managed by our head coach Jack Gavin. They were instrumental in our success this season.

Junior Sport – Pool

Pool Champs take place mid-year, just prior to surf season and, again, Red Beach put in the ground work to compete with pride. For some, the timing of Pool Champs conflicts with winter sports so the numbers can fluctuate in the lead-up, but we saw some fantastic results and the event is always enjoyed by those involved. Red Beach competed in both

the Northern Region Pool Champs and National Pool Champs, both of which were held at the National Aquatic Centre in Auckland.

I would like to acknowledge those who volunteered to help manage and coordinate the event, including our volunteer officials and time keepers. I would also like to thank **Action HQ** for sponsoring the Pool Champs uniform.

Lifesaving Education & Sunday training

Our Sunday training sessions, which run rain or shine, are the core component of the Junior Surf programme. It's where it all starts, and lifelong friendships and experiences are a huge measure of its success. Our volunteer coaches put time into preparing their programmes and the intent is to balance sport and education within each session. This is a high focus area of the Junior committee and the programme is continually refined each season to attempt to cater for all.

A special thanks needs to go to our Sunday team coaches and managers who often stay with the team from T4 to Under 14 and contribute significant time and energy to the programme and their group.





Gold medallists in the U14 Board Relay event at the Northern Region Junior Championships at Omaha in February 2020. From left: Laine Creighton, Jasper Cornish, Kaiha Gilbertson.



Red Beach athletes at the Northern Region Junior Surf Championships at Omaha in February 2020.

Mangawhai Camp & Survivor

Held over the summer break in January, this five-day camp brings families together at Mangawhai Heads and has always been a fun-filled week for all involved. The camp has daily training experiences for our junior members and these practice sessions normally have 60+ children paddling across the estuary to the surf beach.

The camp concludes with Survivor, a club tradition, which has to be the best surf experience event in New Zealand. Survivor attracts over 100 Red Beach club members in randomly selected teams competing across a variety of challenges. There is also a Mini-Survivor event for our Tadpoles and unbadged juniors, which is equally well received.

Special thanks to Anita Savage, our overall camp coordinator, Caroline and Troy Anderson for the planning and coordination of Survivor, and Teresa Russell for coordinating Mini-Survivor.

Rookie Camp

We term the last year of Juniors as their "Rookie Year". As part of Rookie Year, the level of lifesaving theory and practical education steps up and we also run a Rookie camp. This season we held our Rookie camp at Muriwai,

and while it was a lot of fun, we did unfortunately have some very poor weather and the water programme was limited as a result. Planning has already begun for next season with the potential for a location change. A big thanks to those who helped coordinate the 2019/20 Rookie year: Kelly O'Dea (Rookie Manager), Kevin Cornish and Jenni Gilbertson, and to those who helped with the camp and the programme.

Special thanks also to the sponsors of our Rookie team sweatshirt which looked fantastic: Dalton's Landscaping Supplies, Brin Wilson Boat Builders and Cornish Truck and Van.

Rookie Competition

Unfortunately, due to the COVID-19 lockdown, last season's Rookie Competition was cancelled.

Special Thanks

The key to our continued success is the help we receive from our club members. The time required to plan and coordinate one of the largest Junior Divisions in New Zealand requires a lot of effort and I would like to personally acknowledge our **Junior Division Committee members: Brendan Smith, Kelly O'Dea, Sidah Russell, Kirsty Rutledge-Malyon, Caroline Anderson, Morgan Tyne and Toni Macrae-Rolston.**

I would also like to thank Debra Cairns and Jack Gavin for their continued support throughout the season.

On a personal note, I am looking forward to getting back out on the beach and in the surf with friends and family as we exit what has been a sharp finish to the season because of Covid-19. Planning has already begun for our next season and it looks fantastic, with a club day being planned to celebrate last season, including prize-giving, and to kick us off for our 2020/21 season.

See you on the beach.

**Richard Rogers, Chairman
JuniorSurf Committee**





Northern Region

Junior Championships - Omaha

At the Northern Region Junior Surf Championships held at Omaha in February 2020, Red Beach's 63 athletes won the Auckland Junior Championships Points Trophy for a fifth consecutive year. The 305 youngsters who took part – all aged 10-13 years – represented 14 clubs, three of them from outside the region.



Mt Maunganui - 27 Feb - 1 March 2020

Congratulations to the following JuniorSurf members who were successful in winning medals at Oceans '20 at Mt Maunganui. The event attracted over 800 athletes, all aged 10-13 years, who travelled from as far south as Dunedin. Red Beach fielded 60 competitors and collected a total of 12 medals.

GOLD (3)

U12 Male Surf Race	1st Josh O'Sullivan
U12 Mixed Beach Relay	1st Josh O'Sullivan, Tom McIntyre, Charley March, Isabella Goldbert
U14 Male Board Relay	1st Jasper Cornish, Laine Creighton, Kaiha Gilbertson

SILVER (7)

U11 Male Beach Flags	2nd Dylan Blanchard
U11 Male Beach Sprint	2nd Dylan Blanchard
U12 Female Beach Sprint	2nd Charley March
U12 Male Beach Flags	2nd Josh O'Sullivan
U12 Male Beach Sprint	2nd Josh O'Sullivan
U12 Male Run Swim Run	2nd Josh O'Sullivan
U11 Mixed Beach Relay	2nd Freya Beaumont, Bianca Person, Dylan Blanchard, Tyler Anderson

Josh O'Sullivan



BRONZE (2)

U11 Female Beach Flags	3rd Freya Beaumont
U12 Male Diamond Race	3rd Josh O'Sullivan

Overall Club Placings at Oceans '20

1. Mt Maunganui (74)	4= Fitzroy (30)	8= NPOB (16)
2. Omanu (51)	6. Midway (29)	10. Papamoa (15)
3. Whangamata (34)	7. East End (25)	11. Waikanae (12)
4= Red Beach (30)	8= Kawana Waters (16)	12. Orewa (10)



Winners of the U14 Board Relay at Oceans '20 ... Jasper Cornish, Laine Creighton, Kaiha Gilbertson



Squash Report - 2019/2020

A new Squash committee was formed in March 2020 right at the onset of the Covid-19 pandemic. We have a full committee of 9 active members and are planning to strengthen the club which is currently suffering from poor facilities, low membership and consequently depleted finances.

Improved finances will come from increased membership and the committee is also prioritising other ways of raising the funds required for maintenance and the improvement of facilities.

The club has some high-achieving juniors in the form of Ashlee Pepper and Anne Leakey who have continued their successes this year. Ashlee is currently ranked 4th in U17 nationally and 2nd in Auckland and Anne was the No 1 seed for the NZSS Junior Trans-Tasman team. Sadly the junior participation is down from a few years ago and this is something that the committee would like to address. We are looking for a parent to drive this important aspect of the club.

We have a mixture of graded members and social members with a few men and women B-graders, some C-graders and below. Ashlee Pepper is our only A-graded member.

We have regularly entered teams into interclub (both

Senior Open and Masters divisions) and some of our members have joined Silverdale teams to play interclub. A lack of changing facilities and limited post-match bar facilities is a source of embarrassment for our teams and something we need to address urgently.

Following their 2018 escapade, Red Beach sent a team to compete in the 2019 AD Long competition held in New Plymouth and they performed well, winning the B-division of the split tournament in a final vs Silverdale.

A well supported Monday social night continues to attract players and our Thursday club nights are also supported. Going forward, we will continue the Monday social night and introduce a Juniors and Ladies evening, as well as a fast-paced but social club night on Thursdays.

The club ran two tournaments attracting a good cross-section of competitors. Numbers were enough to ensure that full days were required from Thursday to Sunday but did not require the extensive use of Silverdale. Having all games at Red Beach created a good atmosphere. In 2020 we hope to run a few profitable competitions to contribute to the club finances.

Our club champs were

held in 2019 and Grant Wilson won the men's division and Ashlee Pepper the women's. Congratulations to you both and thanks to all those who competed.

In 2019/20 the squash court ceilings were refurbished which has made a huge improvement to the appearance of the courts. We will be continuing the maintenance and upgrading of the courts and our facilities as funds become available. Two important issues that we will be addressing with the Management committee are the lack of proper changing and social facilities for squash.

2020 has brought with it some challenges. With the efforts of a dedicated and enthusiastic committee we hope to be able to work together with the main club committee to address the issues and end 2020 with a stronger and more active squash section.

Gary Catlin
Squash Division



Red Beach Surf Life Saving Club Inc.
Statement of Financial Position
For the Year Ended 30 April 2020

Assets

	2020	2019
Current Assets	\$	\$
Bank accounts and cash	230,828	225,931
Debtors and prepayments	3,400	9,109
Inventory	24,878	26,603
Total Current Assets	259,106	261,643
Non-Current Assets		
Property, plant and equipment	1,544,832	1,538,068
Total Non-Current Assets	1,544,832	1,538,068
Total Assets	1,803,938	1,799,711

Liabilities

Current Liabilities

Creditors and accrued expenses	39,940	21,490
Unused donations and grants with conditions		23,000
Total Current Liabilities	39,940	44,490

Non-Current Liabilities

Loans	75,000	90,000
Total Non-Current liabilities	75,000	90,000

Total Liabilities	114,940	134,490
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Total Assets less Total Liabilities (Net Assets)	1,688,998	1,665,221
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Accumulated Funds

Current Year Earnings	23,778	529,329
Accumulated surpluses or (deficits)	1,665,221	1,135,892
Total Accumulated Funds	1,688,998	1,665,221



Red Beach Surf Life Saving Club Inc.
Statement of Financial Performance
For the Year Ended April 2020

	2020	2019
Revenue		
Donations, fundraising and other similar revenue	58,917	97,369
Fees, subscriptions and other revenue from members	109,962	90,350
Revenue from providing goods or services	29,579	39,416
Interest, dividends and other investment revenue	21	35
Other revenue		7,004
Grant Funding	81,226	86,490
Grant Funding Capital	23,000	549,205
Sponsorship	110,165	60,157
Club Hire and Bar Income	214,607	249,753
MSD Wages Subsidy	19,287	
SLSNR/SLSNZ	39,610	39,329
Total Revenue	686,374	1,219,108
Expenses		
Expenses related to public fundraising	6,998	
Volunteer and employee related costs	238,267	204,496
Costs related to providing goods or services	129,976	179,495
Grants and donations made		
Other expenses	287,356	305,788
Total Expenses	662,597	689,779
Surplus/Deficit for the Year	23,777	529,329



A familiar sight at the National Championships in mid-March. If the event had been scheduled to take place a week later, it would have been cancelled.



Photo by Ross Malyon.
NZ Championships, Gisborne, March 2020

