

# SOUTH MAROUBRA SENIOR NIPPERS COMMITTEE NEWSLETTER - EDITION 1

# South Maroubra Nippers Senior Committee

We are holding a fund-raising event on Sunday the 18th of December.

Don't spend \$30, \$40 or even \$50 on a photo with Santa. This year come down to South Maroubra and sit in an IRB and meet our very own South Maroubra Santa Claus and take your own family photo for just \$5.

After a Christmas photo why not pick up a Christmas treat at the under 14s
Christmas cake stall.

All the money raised goes to the Nippers touring team.



### Club Captains Report

What a great start to the season with great weather, perfect water, winning Randwick Shield and our first ever under 8's carnival held at South Maroubra. I am excited to be writing my first update as Club Captain for 22/23. South Maroubra is an amazing club where I and the committee learnt all the surf lifesaving skills we know and its now our turn to give back to you and your kids.

Let me introduce you to our amazing senior nippers committee:

**Christopher Kondilios - Club Captain** 

**Emily Henville - Club Captain** 

Grace Madden

Isabella Di Blasio

**Lilly Carter** 

**Amy Dickson** 

Willow Skeen

**Carter Hughes** 

**Zack Stanilovskiy** 

**Aiden Redford** 

**Daniel Driscoll** 



Every Sunday we will be on the beach with the other ul4 nippers helping all age groups to gain more confidence in the ocean and the sand.

Now over to my committee members for an update on what's been happening at South Maroubra.

See you on the beach.

Emily:)

#### Randwick Shield Report - Zack

What an amazing Sunday at the Randwick Shield Carnival. This year this carnival was hosted by the Maroubra club, every year this carnival is held for the clubs inside of the Randwick Bayside Council area. Despite rocky conditions the carnival was under way, congratulations for the age groups above who got to compete, and the good thing about the older groups competing was that everyone got around the cans perfectly, just in time for them to catch a wave to get a good placing. In the Randwick Shield Carnival, every club gets a placing from what their clubs members got in the carnival, fortunately for us we came back with first place. By the end of the carnival they had to cut it short because of the weather, a lightning storm started to role in, they decided that it wouldn't be safe to keep the carnival on, but lucky for the other kids who got to compete when the weather was nice and dry.









## Under 8's carnival report - Amy

The first South Maroubra U8s Carnival was held on November 19th and was incredibly well organised and executed. Many of our South Maroubra kids placed in the top 10 or in the finals. 130 children competed, and there were 6 clubs present overall. They took part in 4 events; wade, flags, and beach sprint as well as a 250m soft sand run. There were many winners in the lucky door prize, which made many people extremely happy. A Zippy board was the prize for the top male and female across all events which was won for male by Elouera and female went to North Bondi. The carnival was a fundraiser for our State Competition team so a big thanks to all the volunteers who helped make this happen. This was the majority of the kids' first carnival, and the key objectives were participation and fun. The general feedback was that it was an awesome event and we look forward to having a bigger carnival next year.









# Interview with our amazing sand coach Andy Newrick and the coordinator of this years South Maroubra u8's carnival

"The carnival was ran on time and had great feedbacks from the other Surf Clubs."

- Andy Newrick

On Saturday the 19th of November, the South Maroubra Under 8 nippers competed in the Under 8s carnival. This was a first time for most of those children. But for organiser Andy Newrick it had been one of many carnivals he had taken part in. This article will be about questions that Andy kindly answered.



Q.1. Personally, how do you think the the carnival went?

A. It was a great success, we raised lots of money for South Maroubra and this will be a yearly fundraiser for our club.

Q.2. Any highlights during the carnival?

A. All the kids' smiles at the end of the carnival, especially the two that won the two zippy boards. We had parents coming up to us how well the carnival was run.

Q.3. We're you impressed with the performance of the Under 8s as this being of their first carnivals?

A. Of course, we got some fast future generation sprint runners and the waters will be safe with our future lifesavers, if the wade was anything to go by.

Q.4. Will the carnival be back in 2023?

A. Of course it will, we are going to make this one bigger and better so our future nippers have carnivals and competitions to enter.

by Carter Hughes



