

# Southside Malibu Club

## July 2011 Newsletter



### **COMMITTEE REPORT**

The selection of bank was again spot on, especially as it was sight unseen due to the heavy fog enveloping the beach and cutting visibility to about 10 meters. The early heat—surfers paddled like "canaries in the mine", not sure what they were about to confront in the pea-souper. The judges were also struggling, with competitors appearing then disappearing, only to reappear again in the shore break. When the fog eventually lifted everyone was very pleasantly surprised with the 2 to 3 foot of corduroy lines of swell rolling down the well-groomed misty bank. With the forecast set to be sunny and off shore all day, this comp was destined to be a very good one. And a good one it turned out to be, with the swell remaining consistent all day and some great surfing to watch in the comp as well as by those free surfing the nearby left. Sam Tehan had the highest wave score on the day and was also the eventual winner. Closely following Sam in the battle of the first-round place-getters were Matt Cook, Rod Menzies, Ben McGrath and Gordon Hunter. The round's results are now available on the website, together with some great photos shot from the water and beach thanks to the efforts of Matt and Ian. Also worthy of note was the performance of the juniors with April, Jayden and Rochelle getting a few crackers. Yet again the raffle was a success, with a few lucky members walking away with some very stylish apparel produced especially for very big units! Please keep supporting it.

### **THE SPRING CLASSIC IS ON SATURDAY THE 10TH OF SEPTEMBER 2011**

The chosen recipient charity for this year's Classic will be "Blue September". Why blue? It's simple - blue is for boys!

"Did you know men are twice as likely as women to die from cancers that in many cases can be prevented? Come on guys, it's time to face facts and get cancer aware. Blue September is a nationwide awareness and fundraising initiative for men's cancer, supporting [The Australian Cancer Research Foundation](#) and [Bowel Cancer Australia](#). The campaign seeks to raise funds for cancer research, as well as helping men reduce the risk of developing cancer by making better lifestyle choices."

Again this is a very relevant cause to the majority of our members and a timely reminder, if you haven't already done so, to see your Doctor and discuss getting checked.

Entries for the Spring Classic close on the 26th August 2011. Make sure you get in early as spots are filling up fast. Entries forms are available on the website. This will be a great event, supporting a very relevant charity for our club. "Blue September: men facing up to cancer".

Reminder - you will be called upon to help in some way in the running of the event and that the presentation will be held at Northies Hotel from approximately 4pm. The event giveaways will also occur at regular intervals during the day.

### **Highlights**

- > The Committee Meetings are usually held the first Wednesday after each comp. 7.00pm at Sharkies - all welcome to come and join us for a beer
- > The August after-comp Club Barbie will be confirmed at the comp - if you are interested in hosting please see Mingo or Jimbo
- > Spring Classic: Saturday September 12, 2011 entries close 26th August 2011
- > "Blue September" is this year's Classic's Charity - check out their website

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**Checkout the website this Month**

**July Comp Results**

**Ian & Matt's July photos**

**2011 membership forms: hope you have them in as we need to cut off for 2011!**



# July 2011 Social Committee Report

## SOCIAL COMMITTEE UPDATE

2012 Noosa Festival entries are now open.

Jim Sourry is trying to organise a partners weekend away on the 11th and 12th November 2011 at Gerroa Beach. Surf shacks and luxury multi bed-roomed beach-front cabins are available that sleep 5 + people. Campsites are also available at Seven Mile Beach Holiday Park, Gerroa. For further information re: bookings contact Jim: 0418277153, or go to: [www.kiamacoast.com.au/sevenmile\\_beach](http://www.kiamacoast.com.au/sevenmile_beach), email: [sevenmile@kiamacoast.com.au](mailto:sevenmile@kiamacoast.com.au), or phone the office: 02 4234 1340.

Expressions of interest are called for a member's only weekend in the Forster area to be scheduled for later in the year (accommodation provided courtesy of Mingo). If interested, let Jim or Mingo know.

Also keep an eye out for some new club merchandise that is in the pipeline.

Cheers,  
Rod .



Remember the next Club round is  
**SUNDAY 7th August 2011**  
**Meet @ Wanda Car Park @ 6:30am**

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