



**LANE COVE SWIMMING CLUB INCORPORATED**  
**PO Box 5, Lane Cove, NSW 1595**

**2020 MINUTES**

**59th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**Held on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> August, 2020 at 6.30 pm**  
**Via ZOOM**

**PRESENT:**

Louise Bain, Craig Beattie, Kylie Beattie, Andrew Britt, Nicola Clancy, Steve Clancy, Pauline Corthorn, Ruth Darling, Tracy Devaris, Rebecca Devon, Frank Hamersley, Andrew Hungerford, Evelyn Kelly, Michael Jacobs, Alastair Macdonald, Jenny May, Alistair McElligott, Helen McLay, Lesley Pike, Jim Roberts, Michael Salter, Mark Scott, Cathy Sutton, Geoff Wicks, John Wydell

**1. Welcome**

John Wydell welcomed and thanked members for attending and declared open the fifty-ninth Annual General Meeting of Lane Cove Swimming Club Incorporated.

- Quorum of 15 members required throughout the meeting.
- Meeting to be video recorded to ensure accuracy of meeting.

**2. Apologies**

The following apologies were received by the Committee:

Amanda Harrison, Marita Winters.

**3. Confirmation of previous minutes**

- The minutes of the 58<sup>th</sup> AGM 2018 had been circulated to all members prior to this meeting.

- Amendment by Geoff Wicks to remove the 5<sup>th</sup> dot point that the minutes be removed, as minutes still form part of the meeting, the minutes were not adopted but should not be removed from the record, proposed by Geoff Wicks, seconded by Cathy Sutton.

**Motion:** Moved by Kylie Beattie and seconded by Ruth Darling that the Minutes of the fifty-eighth AGM held on Wednesday 8th June 2019 be accepted as a true and accurate record of that meeting.

- All present were in favour with none against and the motion was unanimously carried.

#### 4. **Business Arising from 2018 Annual General Meeting**

No business arose from the 2019 AGM.

#### 5. **President's Report**

John Wydell presented the President's Report.

Mike Salter presented the Vice-President's Competitive Report.

Mike Salter want to thank Craig Beattie, Alastair Macdonald and Michael Jacobs for stepping up to excellent coaching job despite challenges.

Craig Beattie thanked Mike for being a breath of fresh air for the club and for thanking the coaches for the amazing effort throughout the year.

Craig Beattie presented the Vice-President's Club Report and wanted to extend thanks to the Britt family, Alastair Macdonald, Kylie Beattie and the Joey's boys for the support of the BBQ.

Thankyou to Frank Hamersley, Mandy Harrison Helen McLay, Leslie Pike, Geoff Wicks, John Wydell and Cathy Sutton for support of Saturday Club.

Presentation to follow last year's at the Diddy.

Nicola Clancy thanked Craig for his efforts organizing the Saturday club events.

*Refer to Appendix A: President's Report*

*Vice- President's Competitive Report*

*Vice- President's Club Report*

**Motion:** Moved by Kylie Beattie and seconded by Jim Roberts that the President's Report be accepted by the meeting.

- All present were in favour with none against and the motion was unanimously carried.

## 6. Treasurer's and Auditor's Report

Frank Hammersley presented the Treasurer's Report and noted his appreciation for Mark Scott who was enormously helpful and strongly recommends that we reappoint Scott as auditors for the following year.

Frank also thanked the Britts for their contribution to the BBQ

*Refer to Appendix B: Treasurer's Report*

**Motion:** Moved by Evelyn Kelly and seconded by Louise Bain that the Treasurer's Report be accepted by the meeting.

- All present were in favour with none against and the motion was unanimously carried.

## 7. Head Coach's Report

Michael Jacobs presented the Head Coach's Report.

- Cathy Sutton, Nicola Clancy and Alistair McElligott wanted to thank the coaches for making the swimmers enjoy everything.

*Refer to Appendix C: Head Coach's Report*

**Motion:** Moved by Nicola Clancy and seconded by Jenny May that the Head Coach's Report be accepted by the meeting.

- All present were in favour with none against and the motion was unanimously carried.

## 8. Motions for AGM consideration

No motions for AGM consideration.

## 9. Election of Life Members

Nomination for Life Memberships were received for Kylie Beattie. Nominated by Craig Beattie, seconded by Helen McLay.

Motion: Proposed by Cathy Sutton and seconded by Jim Roberts.

- John Wydell has been impressed by Kylie's energy and her time in office as president and vice president, and has continued contributing to the club after her committee positions. She was also instrumental in implementing new policies and procedures and navigating the club through trying financial period.

- Cathy Sutton, thanked Kylie for all the energy she has invested in the club and equally leading us through the difficult financial period we encountered and as a club we are very grateful for her efforts.
- Alastair Macdonald, acknowledged Kylies smile and enthusiasm attracted the Macdonald family to the club.
- Lesley Pike also reiterated all of the above comments and sincerely thank Kylie for the outstanding effort.
- Louise Bain supported all the wonderful comments and delighted that Kylie took on the role of President and vice president.
- All present were in favour with none against and the motion was unanimously carried.
- Kylie thanked the club, saying it was an honour and a privilege to accept the life membership.

## 10. Election of Patron

**Motion:** It was moved by that the Mayor of Lane Cove Council, currently Pam Palmer, be re-elected as the Patron of Lane Cove Swimming Club Inc.

Motion: Proposed by Jenny May and seconded by Andrew Britt.

- Andrew Britt requested that the club forward a card to the former patron Deb Hutcheons who is not well. Craig Beattie will organize.
- All present were in favour with none against and the motion was unanimously carried.

## Election of Office Bearers and Committee Members

John Wydell, the President of LCSC declared all positions vacant.

In accordance with the constitution of Lane Cove Swimming Club Incorporated, notice had been given to members and life members for the nomination of Office Bearers and Committee Positions.

In accordance with clause 22.1 and 22.2 of the constitution, the Secretary advised that the following nominations had been received and seconded:

Position	Nominee	Seconded
President	John Wydell	Ruth Darling
Vice President (Club Activities)	Craig Beattie	Kylie Beattie

Vice President (Competitive)	-	-
Secretary	Helen McLay	Geoff Wicks
Treasurer	Frank Hamersley	Amanda Harrison
Registrar	-	-
Race Secretary	Nicola Clancy	Steve Clancy
Individual Members	Tracy Devaris	Helen McLay
	Andrew Hungerford	Michael Jacobs
	Michael Jacobs	Tracy Devaris
	Alastair Macdonald	Helen Macdonald
	Lesley Pike	Geoff Wicks

- Following this final nomination, all nominations were then accepted, unanimously voted for and duly elected.

\*\* Vice President Competitive and so nominations were called for at the AGM.

Andrew Hungerford nominated Mike Salters, seconded by Alastair Macdonald.

No nominations received for office of registrar.

- John Wydell wanted to thank Andrew and Frankie Britt, Ruth Darling and, as outgoing committee members.

## 11. Election of Officials

The following officials will be nominated and elected, by the committee.

Position	Nomination	Proposed	Seconded
Public Officer	Helen McLay		
Learn to Swim	-		
Delegate to SNSW	Ruth Darling	Helen McLay	Craig Beattie
Delegate to SMNE	Mike Salter	Michael Jacobs	Kylie Beattie
Website Editor			
Facebook Editor	Nicola Clancy	Steve Clancy	Mike Salter
Newsletter Editor			

As Public Officer, is to complete and send the requisite form to the NSW Department of Fair Trading within one month of the 2020 AGM.

## 12. Election of Race Day Officials

Position (includes Spring Carnival and Club Championship)	Nomination	Proposed	Seconded
Meet Director			
Sat. Race Secretary			
Referees	John Wydell		
Recorder	Ruth Darling	Frank Hamersley	Kylie Beattie
Chief Starter	Geoff Wicks	Ruth Darling	Helen McLay
Asst. Starters	Ruth Darling	Frank Hamersley	Helen McLay
Chief Timekeeper	Lesley Pike	Jim Roberts	Louise Bain
Asst. Chief Timekeeper	Helen McLay	Geoff Wicks	Jim Roberts
Marshall / Check Starter	Craig Beattie	Kylie Beattie	Jenny May
Asst. Marshall			
The Roma Mile	Jim Roberts	Helen McLay	Jenny May

## 13. Subscription Fees & Terms and Conditions of Membership 2020/2021

Frank Hamersley referred to the Membership Fee Structure and Registration document.

Fees to remain the same with recent events, to rebuild the membership without any change to the costs.

We have assumed Swimming NSW fees will remain the same even though they have not been released yet.

*Refer to Appendix E: Membership Fee Structure and Registration Document*

**Motion:** It was moved by Kylie Beattie and seconded by Cathy Sutton that the Membership Fee Structure presented be endorsed and the document be accepted by the meeting. All present were in favour with none against and the motion was unanimously carried.

#### **14. Summer Season Race Program 2020/2021**

John Wydell referred to the Summer Season Race Calendar prepared by Amanda Harrison.

*Refer to Appendix F: Summer Season Race Calendar*

**Motion:** It was moved by Kylie Beattie and seconded by Cathy Sutton that the Summer Calendar presented be endorsed and the document be accepted by the meeting.

- All present were in favour with none against and the motion was unanimously carried.

#### **15. Appointment of Auditor**

Thank you to Mark and Brian from Scott Chartered Accountants for a thorough job. Mark thanked Frank for his efforts this year for a smooth transition between committees and given the current environment and impact of Covid and assistance in moving forward.

**Motion:** It was moved by Evelyn Kelly and seconded by Louise Bain that the auditor's report presented be endorsed and the document be accepted by the meeting. All present were in favour with none against and the motion was unanimously carried.

#### **16. General Business**



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**2020 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**MINUTES - APPENDICES**

There are five documents in the appendices that form part of the Minutes of the 2020 AGM.

**Appendix A: President's and Vice-President's Report**

**Appendix B: Treasurer's Report**

**Appendix C: Head Coach's Report**

**Appendix D: Membership Fee Structure and Registration Document**

**Appendix E: Summer Season Race Calendar**





## President's Report 2020

Dear Member, Parent, Swimmer

It is my pleasure to be able to present to you the President's Report for 2020.

The 2019 – 2020 season has been *tough* but we are still here!

All being well, swimming training should resume next week 20 July 2020.

Whilst our Season was cut short, we did manage to hold our Club Championships at Knox Pool; and the Roma Edmunds Memorial Mile at Epping Pool. The more I think about it, we were very fortunate indeed to complete our Summer season. I believe the only event we were unable to hold was the Joseph Field Trophy Family Relay. That event will have to be the one that got away; and those families in the running may speculate about how many metres they might have won by.

At the time of writing, I understand construction of the new 50m outdoor pool is on track and is scheduled to open on the October 2020 Long Weekend. The future looks very positive indeed.

Membership for the 2019 – 2020 Season was between 205 – 215 members as a number of members joined during the Season.

Membership renewals for the 2020 – 2021 Season will occur in September 2020. I would like to thank our members for *hanging in there with us* and I invite and encourage you to renew your membership with Lane Cove Swim Club later this year. Depending upon your situation, an Active Kids Voucher may assist in defraying that cost. Whilst we were able to get by this year; with the new 50m outdoor pool membership for the 2020 – 2021 Season should be good value for money.

Other Office Holders and Committee Members will prepare their own Reports. Frank Hamersley – the Treasurer's Report; Craig Beattie – the Vice President Club Report; Mike Salter – the Vice President Competition Report; Michael Jacobs the Coach's Report. I thank each of them for their

time and effort in preparing their Report and look forward to reading each of them.

As you would no doubt appreciate, there is a lot of behind the scenes work associated with the operation of a swimming club. There is a large number of persons to acknowledge.

On behalf of the Members, I would like to thank each of the Office Holders and Committee Members for their time, effort and contributions. Invaluable!

The first special acknowledgment and thank you goes to Kylie and Craig Beattie for their time, trouble and effort in connection with our last Presentation Day function at the Diddy.

A special acknowledgment and thank you to Amanda Vance, Mike Salter and Hayley Jacobs for their contributions to the Senior Swim Camp. Similarly, Nicola Clancy for her contribution to the Junior Swim Camp.

A further special acknowledgment and thank you to our coaches Quentin, Pancha and Michael for their work associated with the training and preparation of our swimmers to attain and hopefully exceed the goals they have set for themselves.

On behalf of the members, I would like to acknowledge and thank Lane Cove Council (Jane Gornall and Pam Palmer [our Patron]) for their assistance in facilitating the Club's activities. I hope Pam will again be able to attend the 2020 Presentation Day to be held at the Diddy on 20 September 2020. Thank you to Bluefit for their assistance and support over the Season.

May I also take this opportunity to thank Pauline Corthorn, Gwen Wilmott and Ruth Darling (Life Members) as well as Bronwyn Hewish (Willoughby Swim Club), Technical Officials for their assistance with the Club Championships and generally.

I would also like to acknowledge and thank our Club Captains Kate Miller and Kaiya Melbourne for their contributions throughout the 2019 – 2020 Season.

This Report would be incomplete if it did not include the Saturday morning BBQ Crew including the Britt family but particularly Frankie Britt. I have bumped into Frankie in Lane Cove a few times over the Season organising supplies for the BBQ. Thank you to the Britt family, often assisted by Alastair Macdonald.

In case I have missed anybody, thank you one and all!

I look forward to seeing you at the 59<sup>th</sup> AGM.

Stay safe and warm regards.

John Wydell  
President.

## **LANE COVE SWIM CLUB**

### **REPORT FOR 2019-2020 VICE PRESIDENT, Competitive**

I would like to start this report by acknowledging the great work that the coaching team and club captains have done to keep the spirits of the competitive crowd together and the maintain a momentum of activity that has helped our swimmers through the pool closure and pandemic of 2020.

The 2020 competitive season has been a season of 2 halves. The first half was full of promise and performance, whilst the second consisted of a series of disappointing cancellations and a challenge to the discipline of the team as they sought to maintain a semblance of momentum through connecting on the virtual environment.

We are proud of the way LCSC swimmers have risen to both halves as I have seen the promise of the juniors coming through in numbers and set a record for state qualification, for all our seniors, especially those who qualified for a Nationals which never happened.

The stories of swimmers braving the cold open waters of Balmoral Beach have been inspirational and I have looked for the familiar LCSC caps as I paddle past safely on my ski. A big acknowledgement and thanks to the mums and dads who have been keeping their kids swimming despite the challenge in this COVID environment.

A couple of points I would like to highlight

- The discipline and versatility of the swimmers as they adapt to the challenges we have faced as a club and community. This will serve them for years to come. Thanks to our club captains for really setting the example here and leading from the front.
- The determination and commitment from the coaching and parent community to keep the club together and support the swimmers as they have worked to maintain form and mental discipline through Zoom events and activities. This has been inspiring and invaluable to the mental health of our swimmers.
- The support provided from the committee to collaborate as a group to ensure all swimmers are represented and supported – special mention to Nic Clancy for direction and support for the juniors.

Congratulations to all those who achieved PBs, well done to the record number of Juniors who qualified for States and had to settle for a tee shirt and the seniors who qualified for a Nationals that didn't happen.

Thanks to all those who subscribed to the Zoom events and took advantage of the coaches' support through the lockdown time.

The future is looking brighter with restrictions retreating, a new pool about to open, a new summer on the horizon and flood of juniors coming through to join our seasoned seniors for the competitive year ahead.

This year we will be focusing on leveraging the pipeline of talent that has been coming through the junior ranks whilst rebuilding the senior teams form in preparation for the upcoming summer.

## **Highlights**

### **Club Camp**

Club Camps are highlight for all who attend and are always well subscribed.

This year was no exception with a senior camp in October which was held in Port Stevens and a Junior Camp in Jan which we ran onsite in Lane Cove. Both camps provided the kids with a fun and engaging program of swimming and social activities and work to bind individuals into a cohesive and supportive community. Special thanks and appreciation go to Amanda Vance and Michael Jacobs and his partner for pulling together the senior camp and making this a great success. Thanks also to Nicola Clancy and the team of junior parents who worked hard to ensure the juniors had an amazing time together.

These camps have proved a highlight for the competitive calendar and will continue to be offered in 2021 leveraging our new pool and facilities and within the confines of a Covid Safe environment.

To ensure we are able to continue to offer these events we rely heavily on the contribution of support from the parents of all kids who attend. This year is no different so will be seeking parents to get involved and contribute to the running of these events.

### **Events**

Whilst all swimmers deserve to be called out for their achievements, I have provided a brief highlight of the events and competitions attended in this brief season.

The competitive swimmers delivered some stellar results for the first half of 2020 with the Speedo Sprints u12-13 swimmers providing us with a view to the talent we have coming through the club.

At this event we had a record number of 59 swimmers competing and achieving a 4<sup>th</sup> in area result which is outstanding given our area is one of the most competitive in NSW and possibly Australia.

The Schools Nationals two of our swimmers (Sam Hardingham and Eddie Kang) distinguished themselves by winning 4 x medals between them.

At the Metros many of our swimmers (too many to mention) achieved PBs across a wide range of events.

At the Senior States we had an impressive individual results and most managed to field a powerful team in the 10 x 50 relay and girls 4 x 50 free which were exciting to watch as we made it through to finals in the boys and top 10 in the girls which is outstanding. Sam Hardingham and Isabella Donnelly brought home medals in the freestyle and backstroke events.

Sammy Hardingham was selected as NSW Sharks Squad and Michael Jacobs was also selected as coach for the NSW Sharks which is a significant achievement.

We have had 4 x swimmers achieve national qualification times – MJ will detail individuals in his coach's report.

### **Zoom Sessions**

We had a great turn out to our virtual events and Zoom fitness sessions. Michael Jacobs has been crucial in this process and has been demonstrating great creativity and determination to ensure the team have had every opportunity to train in a competitive pool and then keep connected and maintain a level of fitness that will help them to get back to form quickly after lockdown.

The celebration of junior state qualifiers proved a great success and provided our juniors and club members with the chance to show off their State Qualifier Shirts and chat with swimming star legend Brad Woodward.

The Zoom fitness sessions also provided a great platform to transition to open swim sessions at Epping pool as restrictions eased so this worked well to keep those involved engaged and ready to "Pivot" towards each and every opportunity to train.

Once again, congratulations to all swimmers for their performances and thanks and well done to the coaching team and parents for their support and dedication and thanks to the committee for supporting the competitive communities requests as we tackled each of the problems as a club.

### **The Coaching Crew**

A Big thanks to the team of coaches who have stuck with us through the pool closure, covid lockdowns and many personal milestones including the birth of Michael and Hayley's daughter Lexi.

Michael, Pancha and Quentin have all established strong relationships with both swimmers and the club and continue to work on enhancing their qualifications and coaching capability.

- Michael is now in the process of satisfying his Gold - Performance Standard Coaching Accreditations.
- Quentin has been proving a great addition to the team and Bluefit have offered a full time role with BlueFit whilst continuing his career path in sport.
- Pancha is focused on building and maintaining the strong pipeline of junior swimmers who will be growing to expand our senior swimming squad.

## **The Year ahead**

2021 will be a year of rebuilding with swimmers picking up from last year and working to get back into form. The coaching team will be focused on helping swimmers return to form by October without injury by managing the return carefully.

Whilst we may be losing some swimmers from the Wenona school we will be looking to capitalise on the new pool and transitioning those who wish to compete from the Learn to Swim program that BlueFit already offers.

Thanks for all your support and we look forward to more competition in 2021.

Thanks and regards  
Mike Salter

## **LANE COVE SWIM CLUB**

### **REPORT FOR 2019-2020 VICE PRESIDENT, CLUB ACTIVITIES**

It has been an unprecedented time for the Club as the outdoor 50 metre pool was closed for renovations for the entire 2019-20 season, and there was complete closure of Lane Cove Aquatic Centre from March-July 2020 due to the COVID 19 health pandemic.

Despite the challenges, Lane Cove Swim Club (LCSC) has demonstrated resilience and strong Club spirit, with Club events successfully taking place over the year.

#### **Saturday Morning Club (October 2019-March 2020)**

- Saturday Morning Swim Club continued in the shorter, hour long format in the indoor 25 metre pool while the outdoor pool was being renovated.
- An average of 50 swimmers of all ages participated in around 12 heats each Saturday morning from 7am-8am. Big thank you to Frank Hamersley, Mandy Harrison, Helen McLay, Geoff Wicks, Lesley Pike, Ruth Darling and John Wydell for their help over the season. We couldn't have done it without you!
- The much-loved BBQ continued in force this year, and in fact, went up a notch as the Joeys boys pre-ordered 18 egg, bacon and sausage sandwiches, and most swimmers had breakfast following their swims keeping our BBQ team very busy. Huge thank you once again to the wonderful Britt family - Frankie, Andrew, Maddy and Ashleigh, Alastair Macdonald and my lovely wife Kylie who worked tirelessly to organise and man the BBQ.
- The Christmas Party was a great success at our last Club for 2019, with a special visit from Santa, great raffle organised by Cathy Sutton, and fun games and relays for the swimmers expertly delivered by our coach Pancha Thambo.
- The new year kicked off with many swimmers using Saturday Morning Swim Club to help them prepare for their school swimming carnivals.
- The season was unfortunately cut short by three weeks as COVID 19 halted any swimming late March. This meant that we couldn't hold our hotly contested Parent Child Relay, the Joseph Field races or our Muck Up Day this year.

#### **Club Championships**

- Club Championships were held for the second year at Knox Grammar School on Sunday 23 February with around 70 swimmers participating in an afternoon of swimming and a number of records being broken.
- Thank you to everyone who helped in organising this successful event. Special thanks to the Committee who helped organise and deliver the event, Ruth Darling for being our Starter and John Wydell for refereeing.

#### **The Mile**

- Our Mile Event was swum by 27 Club members at Epping pool on a glorious morning on Sunday 1 March, 2020.
- Congratulations to the swimmers who completed the event and were awarded their Mile medal.



- Thank you to Committee members for helping to organise the event, and particularly to Lesley Pike for being our Chief lap and time keeper.

#### **Club Presentation Event**

- A new format was held for our annual Club Presentation celebrations this year.
- An afternoon function was held at the Longueville Sports Club on Sunday 22 September, with dress up theme of 'renovations'.
- Huge thank you to my wife Kylie Beattie for organising the very successful event, supported by Andrew Britt and Helen McLay.
- Our Head Coach Michael Jacobs was an excellent MC, supported by our Patron, Mayor of Lane Cove, Pam Palmer, Life Members, Committee members and Club Captains, Kate Miller and Kaiya Melbourne, who helped present the trophies.

#### **Learn to Swim**

- There was no Learn to Swim program this year due to limited lane space in the indoor pool.
- We hope to re-commence this programme when the 50m outdoor pool re-opens.

**Craig Beattie**  
**Vice President Club**  
**12 July 2020**

# Lane Cove Swim Club Treasurer's Report – FYE 31 March 2020

[Final]

I am pleased to present to members my first report as Treasurer of Lane Cove Swimming Club Incorporated ("Club") for the financial year ending 31 March 2020.

## Summary

The Club remains financially sound, with net assets of \$77,889 with the majority held as cash at bank. There are sufficient liquid assets to support the anticipated activities of members and enhance the Club within the local and wider community particularly considering the significant disruption recently caused by COVID-19.

## Cash Position

At the end of the financial year 31 March 2020 the cash position was **\$69,721** [2019 \$68,262].

## Trading Result

The net profit/loss for this financial year is a loss of **\$104** [2019 profit \$779] on a trading income of \$33,596 [2019 \$46,836]. Reductions in annual Membership income, the Annual Presentation event tickets, trophy sponsorships and externally provided grants resulted in the budgeted profit of \$490 not being achieved.

## Membership

Whilst membership numbers were consistent with budget expectations there was a reduction in income due to an increase in capitation charges and the reduction of the non-Competitive swimmers fee to match the General Swim Member fee.

<u>Membership 2019-2020</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Members</u>
Competitive Swim Member 9 & over	80	89
General Swim Member 9 & over	110	70
General Swim Member 8 & under	0	12
Life Member	5	18
Coach	0	4
Non-Swimmer 2019/2020	35	42
<b>Total</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>235</b>

## Corporate Sponsorship and Grants

During 2019-2020 corporate sponsorship was provided by BlueFit (\$2,500 per year) and the Club received a grant from Lane Cove Council of \$5,000 to assist with disruption caused by the redevelopment of the 50m pool.

## Swimming Camps

During 2019-2020 the Club held two very successful swim camps. The 13 & Over members travelled to Newcastle whilst the 12 & Under members swam locally in the 25m pool and at Parramatta. Attending swimmers contributed to the camps with the club providing subsidies totaling \$1,038.

## Operating Expenses

The total operating expenses were \$33,700 in this financial year [2019-2020: \$46,058]. With the 2020 Australian Age/Open National Championship to be held in Perth being cancelled at short notice some of the expenditure for items such as airfares may be returned to the club.

### **Club Championship**

With the closure of the 50m pool the LCSC Annual Club Championship was held at Knox Grammar with hire of the pool and timing equipment defrayed by the Lane Cove Council grant of \$5,000.

### **Equipment & Fixed Assets**

There were no new purchases of capital equipment during the financial year. However with the expansion of the 50m pool to 8 lanes several additional Dolphin watches will be purchased in 2020-2021.

### **Budget 2020-2021**

The budget for the next financial year has been prepared and is to be approved by the LCSC Committee. It is anticipated there will be a reduction in membership income due to the disruption caused by the public health situation and the separation of Wenona swimmers (to form a new club). With LCSC holding the regular annual events such as the Presentation Night, Saturday Club Races and Club Championships plus hold two camps for our younger swimmers the budgeted profit/loss for 2020-2021 is a negligible loss (\$7.00).

Finally I would like to thank Mark Scott CA of Scott Chartered Accountants, Lane Cove for assisting the club and performing an audit of the 2019-2020 Financial Accounts.



Frank Hamersley  
Treasurer

### **Attachments:**

Financial Report  
Balance Sheet  
Profit & Loss

# **LANE COVE SWIMMING CLUB INCORPORATED**

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**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

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# LANE COVE SWIMMING CLUB INCORPORATED

ABN 78 859 850 459

## COMMITTEE'S REPORT

Your committee members submit the financial report of the Lane Cove Swimming Club Incorporated for the financial period ended 31 March 2020.

### Committee Members

The names of the committee members throughout the period and at the date of this report are:

John Wydell  
Craig Beattie  
Mike Salter  
Frank Hamersley  
Helen McLay  
Nicola Clancy  
Tracy Devaris  
Lesley Pike  
Alastair MacDonald  
Andrew Hungerford  
Michael Jacobs  
Geoff Wicks

### Principal Activities

The principal activities of the association during the financial period were the provision of services to the community as a not-for-profit swimming club.

### Significant Changes

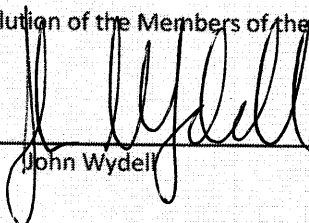
No significant change in the nature of these activities occurred during the period.

### Operating Result

The association derived a loss of \$104 for the period.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Members of the Committee.

Member:

  
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John Wydell

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## STATEMENT BY MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE

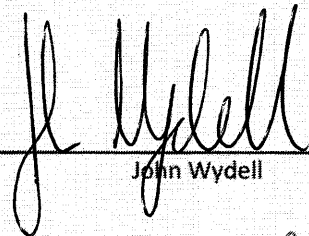
The committee declare that the association is not a reporting entity and that this special purpose financial report should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies outlined in Note 1 to the financial statements.

The committee of the association declare that:

1. the financial statements and notes to the financial statements presents fairly the associations's financial position as at 31 March 2020 and its performance for the year ended on that date in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements;
2. in the committee's opinion there are reasonable grounds to believe that the association will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution by the committee of the association:

President:

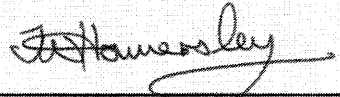


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John Wydell

Dated:

Treasurer:



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Frank Hamersley

Dated:

05/08/2020

# BRIAN A SCOTT

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## Independent auditor's report to the members of Lane Cove Swimming Club Incorporated

We have audited the accompanying financial report of Lane Cove Swimming Club Incorporated (the association), which comprises the balance sheet as at 31 March 2020, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income and expenditure, a summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory notes and the declaration by members of the committee.

### *Committee's responsibility for the financial report*

The committee are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and has determined that the basis of preparation described in Note 1 is appropriate to meet the requirements of the *Associations Incorporations Act NSW 2009* and is appropriate to meet the needs of the members and for such internal control as the officers determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### *Auditor's responsibility*

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement. No opinion is expressed as to whether the accounting policies used, as described in Note 1, are appropriate to meet the needs of the members.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Liability is limited by a Scheme approved under Professional Standards Legislation



***Independence***

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of the *Associations Incorporations Act NSW 2009*.

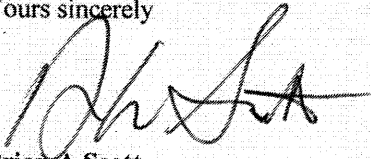
***Auditor's opinion***

In our opinion, the financial report of Lane Cove Swimming Club Incorporated is in accordance with the *Associations Incorporations Act NSW 2009* and the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial report, including giving a true and fair view of the association's financial position as at 31 March 2020 and of their performance for the year ended on that date.

***Going concern***

We draw attention to the note in the financial report which describes the events that give rise to the existence of uncertainty that may cast significant doubt about the organisation's ability to continue as a going concern and therefore the organisation may be unable to realise its assets and discharge its liabilities in the normal course of business. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

Yours sincerely



**Brian A Scott**  
*Registered Company Auditor*

5<sup>th</sup> August, 2020

# BRIAN A SCOTT

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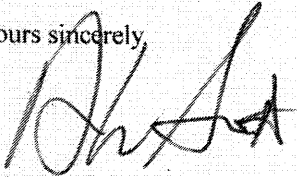
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## Auditor's Independence Declaration

To the Committee of the Lane Cove Swimming Club Incorporated,

In relation to our audit of the financial statements for the Lane Cove Swimming Club Incorporated for the year ended 31 March 2020, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the applicable codes of professional conduct.

Yours sincerely,



**Brian A Scott**

*Registered Company Auditor*

5<sup>th</sup> August, 2020

# LANE COVE SWIMMING CLUB INCORPORATED

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## STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

2019		2020
\$		\$
	<b>INCOME</b>	
15,293	Membership fees	15,033
13,600	Grants	5,000
265	Interest income	137
17,679	Other income	13,426
<u>46,836</u>		<u>33,596</u>
	<b>EXPENSES</b>	
2,300	Accounting & software	2,476
-	BBQ Expenses	863
2,367	Club Championship Expenses	3,253
1,446	Club House Expenses	248
3,425	Coaches Fees	1,323
2,786	Depreciation	2,515
440	Fundraising expenses	630
407	Insurance	407
2,546	Merchandise	240
5,150	Presentation Dinner Expenses	4,726
642	Printing & Stationery	-
1,334	Race Entry Fees	648
-	Spring Carnival Expenses	197
8,997	State & National Team Expenses	6,036
12,395	Swim Camp Expenses	9,692
1,588	Swim Club Equipment	207
234	Subscriptions	239
<u>46,058</u>		<u>33,700</u>
<u>779</u>	<b>OPERATING PROFIT</b>	<u>(104)</u>
-	Income Tax Expense	-
<u>779</u>	<b>NET PROFIT AFTER TAX</b>	<u>(104)</u>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

# LANE COVE SWIMMING CLUB INCORPORATED

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## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

2019		2020
\$		\$
	<b>ASSETS</b>	
	<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>	
68,262	Cash and cash equivalents	69,805
-	Receivables	7,868
2,628	Inventory	2,457
3,340	Prepayments	-
<u>74,230</u>		<u>80,130</u>
	<b>NON CURRENT ASSETS</b>	
8,984	Property, plant & equipment	6,468
-	Computer Equipment	-
<u>8,984</u>		<u>6,468</u>
<u>83,214</u>	<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<u>86,599</u>
	<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
	<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>	
(20)	Credit cards	-
5,240	Accounts payable	8,709
<u>5,220</u>		<u>8,709</u>
<u>5,220</u>	<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<u>8,709</u>
<u>77,994</u>	<b>NET ASSETS</b>	<u>77,889</u>
	<b>EQUITY</b>	
77,994	Retained Earnings	77,889
<u>77,994</u>		<u>77,889</u>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

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## 1 Summary of significant accounting policies

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been applied to the year presented, unless otherwise stated. The financial statements are for the entity Lane Cove Swimming Club Incorporated.

### (a) Basis of preparation

The special purpose financial statements of the entity have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012, Australian Accounting Standards, Associations Incorporations Act NSW 2009 and other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board. A statement of compliance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) cannot be made due to the entity applying not-for-profit specific requirements contained in the Australian Accounting Standards.

#### (i) *New standards and interpretations not yet adopted*

Certain new accounting standards and interpretations have been published that are not mandatory for 31 March 2019 reporting periods and have not been early adopted by the entity. The entity's assessment of the impact of these new standards and interpretations is set out below:

- AASB 2014-4 Clarification of acceptable methods of depreciation and amortisation
- AASB 2015-2 Disclosure initiative – Amendments to AASB 101 Accounting Policies

The entity is expected to adopt these standards in the relevant financial reporting period when first applicable. The entity has not yet assessed the impact of these standards and therefore it is impracticable at this stage to provide a reasonable of such impact.

#### (ii) *Historical cost convention*

These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost basis, except for available-for-sale financial assets and certain classes of property, plant and equipment, which are measured at fair value.

### (b) Revenue recognition

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Amounts disclosed as revenue are net of returns, trade allowances, rebates and amounts collected on behalf of third parties.

The entity recognises revenue when the amount of revenue can be reliably measured, it is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the entity and specific criteria have been met for each of the entity's activities as described below. The entity bases its estimates on historical results, taking into consideration the type of customer, the type of transaction and the specifics of each arrangement.

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Revenue is recognised for the major business activities as follows:

- (i) *Grant revenue* - Income from grants is recognised when the entity obtains control over the contribution. These grants are non-reciprocal in nature and are recognised at the fair value on the date of acquisition.
- (ii) *Sponsorship* - Sponsorship revenue is recognised on a straight line basis over the sponsorship contract period, unless the sponsorship is payable on achieving specified milestones, in which case revenue is recognised on the completion of contracted milestones.
- (iii) *Event revenue* - Events revenue is recognised at the time the event is held. Prepaid event entry fees, event sponsorship and ticket sales are recognised as income in advance until the event occurs.
- (iv) *Affiliation fees* - Affiliation fees received from registered club swimmers and are recognised on a cash basis.
- (v) *Other income* - Other income is recognised when the right to receive the revenue occurs.

### (c) Income tax

No provision for income tax has been raised as the entity is exempt from income tax under Division 50 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.

### (d) Cash and cash equivalents

For the purpose of presentation in the consolidated statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions, other short term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, and bank overdrafts.

### (e) Receivables

Trade receivables are recognised initially at fair value less provision for impairment.

Collectability of trade receivables is reviewed on an ongoing basis. Debts which are known to be uncollectible are written off by reducing the carrying amount directly. An allowance account (provision for impairment of trade receivables) is used when there is objective evidence that the entity may not be able to collect all amounts due.

When assessing impairment, the entity considers whether significant financial difficulties of the debtor, probability that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or financial reorganisation exist, and default or delinquency in payments (more than 90 days overdue). The amount of the impairment allowance is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the original effective interest rate. Cash flows relating to short-term receivables are not discounted if the effect of discounting is immaterial.

The amount of the impairment loss is recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income within other expenses. When a trade receivable for which an impairment allowance had been recognised becomes uncollectible in a subsequent period, it is written off against the allowance account. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against other expenses in statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

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### **(f) Inventories**

Inventories consist of racing suits and clothing held for sale in the online shop. Inventories are measured at the lower of cost or net realisable value.

### **(g) Property, plant & equipment**

Buildings are shown at fair value, based on periodic, but at least triennial, valuations by external independent valuers, less subsequent depreciation for buildings. Any accumulated depreciation at the date of revaluation is eliminated against the gross carrying amount of the asset and the net amount is restated to the revalued amount of the asset. All other property, plant and equipment is stated at historical cost less depreciation. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items. Cost may also include transfers from equity of any gains or losses on qualifying cash flow hedges of foreign currency purchases of property, plant and equipment.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the entity and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of any component accounted for as a separate asset is derecognised when replaced. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to profit or loss during the reporting period in which they are incurred.

Increases in the carrying amounts arising on revaluation of land and buildings are recognised, net of tax, in other comprehensive income and accumulated in reserves in equity. To the extent that the increase reverses a decrease previously recognised in profit or loss, the increase is first recognised in profit or loss. Decreases that reverse previous increases of the same asset are first recognised in other comprehensive income to the extent of the remaining surplus attributable to the asset; all other decreases are charged to profit or loss. Each year, the difference between depreciation based on the revalued carrying amount of the asset charged to profit or loss and depreciation based on the asset's original cost, net of tax, is reclassified from the property, plant and equipment revaluation surplus to retained earnings.

Depreciation is calculated using the straight-line method to allocate their cost or revalued amounts, net of their residual values, over their estimated useful lives. The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable assets are furniture and fittings between 4% and 33.33% and computer equipment at 33.3%.

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with carrying amount. These are included in profit or loss. When revalued assets are sold, it is entity policy to transfer any amounts included in other reserves in respect of those assets to retained earnings.

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## **(h) Impairment of assets**

Intangible assets that have an indefinite useful life are not subject to amortisation and are tested annually for impairment, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that they might be impaired. Other assets are tested for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell and value-in-use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash inflows which are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets (cash-generating units).

## **(i) Trade and other payables**

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the entity prior to the end of financial year which are unpaid. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition. Trade and other payables are presented as current liabilities unless payment is not due within 12 months from the reporting date. They are recognised initially at their fair value.

## **(j) Provisions**

Provisions for legal claims and make good obligations are recognised when the entity has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events, it is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation and the amount can be reliably estimated. Provisions are not recognised for future operating losses.

## **(k) Commitments**

Commitments for future expenditure include operating and capital commitments arising from contracts. These commitments are disclosed by way of a note (refer to Note 17 Commitments) at their nominal value plus GST.

## **(l) Contingencies**

Contingent assets and contingent liabilities are not recognised in the statement of financial position, but are disclosed by way of a note and, if quantifiable, are measured at nominal value.

## **(m) Going Concern**

Having evaluated possible impacts the Club may suffer in relation to the current public health situation (COVID-19) and considering reserves presently held, the Committee believe the Club remains a going concern for the coming financial year.

These notes should be read in conjunction with the attached audit report of  
Brian A Scott Chartered Accountant



## **The Head Swimming Coaches Report**

*Lane Cove Swimming Club AGM 2020*

It certainly has been another big year for the Lane Cove Swimming Club! We have had fantastic success from our squad program both competitively and socially. On the competitive front our swimmers performed exceptionally well from juniors through to seniors this year. We had a record high number of 25 swimmers qualify for the Junior State Championships. We also had 5 swimmers qualify for the National Age Championships. Socially it has been great to see how vibrant, strong and positive our Lane Cove community has been this year. This has been seen clearly throughout the summer season every Saturday morning and also at a number of our club's hosted events. There were a few hurdles to overcome this year and as a community we have been able to band together to pursue our love of swimming.

### **Squad Program**

The Lane Cove Swimming Club squad program operated by BlueFit has gone from strength to strength. We have continued to run out of the 25m indoor pool at the Lane Cove Aquatic Centre. The feeder system from the BlueFit learn to swim has been fantastic, with excellent numbers in the junior program and our record high entries in junior competitions. The junior swimmers are the future of our club, and the future is looking bright! The senior squads have continued to progress in their training. The hard work and dedication paid off with exceptional results at the Senior State Championships in December. A special mention to Samantha Hardingham who was picked for the NSW Shark Squad based off her swims at State, I was also privileged to be named as a State coach on this squad. The non-competitive squads have also been a great avenue for swimmers to refine technique and stay fit, these squad sessions have been well attended and always provide a fun & social environment. Our program was also fortunate to have SNSW coaching director Jon Shaw visit this year. Jon watched a session, spoke with some of our swimmers and gave great positive feedback to our coaching team.

We have faced numerous hurdles this year, however I believe that there has been excellent 'thinking outside the box' which has led to a number of positive initiatives. With the Lane Cove 50m pool closure we continued to rent space at Epping to provide long-course training. With the COVID-19 pandemic putting most sports on hold worldwide, we started a Zoom dryland training initiative which provided an opportunity for our swimmers to stay fit whilst not in the water. With easing COVID-19 restrictions we were able to rent space at Epping to provide a transition swimming program to our members prior to our home Lane Cove pool opening.

### **Club Events**

The 2019 Annual Presentation event was held in September at the Diddy, it was an excellent opportunity to reflect on the 2018-19 swimming season. From Saturday Club, to the Mile swim all the way through to the Club Championships, it was fantastic to celebrate the year that had been!

We held two time trial events this year at the Wenona School pool, one in Winter and one in Summer. These were fantastic events that allowed our swimmers to gain official times that could then be used to qualify for external competitions. These events were well organised and well run - a big thankyou to Michael Creighton for all your work!

The start of the Summer season in October saw 18 of our senior swimmers head up to Newcastle on the 13 and over swim camp. This was a great opportunity to work hard and set the foundation for the summer season ahead. We trained out of the BlueFit operated Lambton and Stockton 50m outdoor pools. There were plenty of fun team bonding activities including: Sandboarding, Kahoot!, Water slides & Minute to win it games. Overall a fantastic camp! A big thankyou to Amanda Vance for all the work you put into this camp.

We wrapped up the end of the year in December with a squad Christmas session and BBQ, which was great fun! We had a two week break over the festive season for the squad program to re-commence early January. Once we returned to training in January we held a 12 and under camp over 2 days at our home Lane Cove pool. With 3 hours of swimming per day it was intense! We also had team-building fun exercises including: an Amazing race, Laser tag & a trip to the Epping 50m pool. A big thankyou to Nicola Clancy & Mike Salter for all the hard work that was put into making this camp such a great success.

We also hosted Summer State and National presentation events. These events were a great way to acknowledge and congratulate all of our swimmers who qualified for Junior & Senior State and National Age. The Junior State & National Age presentation was held via Zoom. We were fortunate to have Brad Woodward (current Australian dolphin and Gold Commonwealth Games Medalist) join us for the evening!

### **Competitive & Championship Events**

We competed at the Swimming Metropolitan North East (SMNE) Area Championships in both Winter and Summer seasons. With numerous PB's swum at these events, a large number of our swimmers qualified for the Metropolitan and State Championships. In February our junior swimmers competed at the SMNE Speedo Sprint Heats event. This was a huge event for our club with a record high 59 swimmers competing! - finishing in 4th place is a fantastic achievement, in particular as we are competing in a strong swimming area. From the heats we had 13 swimmers go on to compete in the Speedo Sprint Finals, this is a great achievement and a significant accomplishment, especially considering we only had 4 swimmers qualify for the same event the previous year.

The Metropolitan championships are held by Swimming NSW to highlight Sydney's best swimmers. We competed at both the Winter short course Championships in July and also the Junior & Senior Summer long course Metropolitan Championships in March and November respectively. Our swimmers raced well picking up multiple PB's, top 10 finishes and medals. We had 12 swimmers compete in the SNSW Junior State Age SC Championships! Special mention and congratulations to: Gordon Durie, Edward Kang, Kira Long, Stela Lovrinovic Kaic & Harry Pollitt, who all had top ten finishes! Well done swimmers! It was great to see our team swimming fast and plenty of smiles!

At the SNSW Senior State Age SC Championships we had 17 of our swimmers compete. Congratulations to our medal winners Lily Vance who won a Bronze medal in the 200

Backstroke, and Sammi Hardingham who won a Bronze medal in the 200 Freestyle! Also congratulations to Isabella Donnelley, Aidan Dow, Hyunsoo Hwang & Sophie Oliver who all had top ten finishes! It was great to see our Lane Cove team spirit, from relay swimming to supporting and cheering one another on.

We had 20 of our Lane Cove swimmers compete at the Swimming NSW Senior State Age Championships in December. All of our swimmers raced fast and represented themselves and our club in a proud manner. Special mention to Sammantha Hardingham who won 3 Bronze medals in the 100, 200 & 400 Free, and Isabella Donnelly who won a Bronze medal in the 100 Back. We also had multiple relay teams which demonstrated the increasing number of fantastic swimmers in our club.

The SNSW State Open Water event was scheduled for December, where we had a few swimmers ready to compete. Unfortunately this event was cancelled due to the extreme bushfires and dangerous conditions.

The second half of the summer season was cut short by the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Unfortunately this meant the SNSW Junior State Age Championships were cancelled. Definitely a shame given that we had a record high 25 swimmers qualify! The National Age Championships were scheduled for April and were also unfortunately cancelled. This event is the pinnacle of age group swimming in Australia and to qualify is a fantastic achievement. I would still like to congratulate and acknowledge our qualifiers: Isabella Donnelley, Samantha Hardingham, Georgia Bealing, Hyunsoo Hwang & Bill Salter.

### **Final Thoughts**

The Lane Cove pool and squad program is now scheduled to resume on July 20 off the back of easing COVID-19 restrictions, certainly exciting to be back in the water at our home pool! We will use the next 3 months to slowly rebuild fitness to be fighting fit for October when competition resumes. It is also incredibly exciting to have our new 50m outdoor pool scheduled to open early October. The new 8 lane 50m pool will re-establish Lane Cove Aquatic Centre as a state of the art facility and will serve the club, squad program and community well.

Finally I would like to say a few thankyou's. Thankyou to my fellow coaches: Justin Rothwell, Pancha Thambo, Michael Creighton and Quentin Laneuville - thankyou for all your hard work and dedication to the swimmers. Thankyou to our club captains Kate Miller & Kaiya Melbourne - thankyou for leading by example and being great role models in our club. Thankyou to all the members on the Clubs committee for your support and hard work that goes on behind the scenes to provide all of the clubs great initiatives and events. Thankyou to to all of our parents and volunteers, so many of our events cannot take place without your support.

With a great community, many fantastic swimmers and a new pool on the horizon it will be an exciting season ahead!

Michael Jacobs

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## Lane Cove Swim Club Registration Fees

Covering the full year from 1 October 2020 to 30 September 2021

Membership Level	General Swimmer (Club Only)	Competitive Squad	Senior Swimmer	Junior Swimmer	Non-Swimmer
(Fees are paid annually in September)	\$115	\$190 <i>Popular</i>	\$80	\$80	\$40
with Active Kids Voucher	\$15	\$90	\$0	\$0	N/A
Ideal for	Eligible for squads who don't compete in external meets Plus Club	Eligible for squads Plus competitions Plus Club	Must be 65 years or older	Must be 8 years or younger	Non-swimming parents and children Plus Club's Learn to Swim program
SNSW affiliation	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Summer & Winter Club racing	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗
Club meets (Club Champs, Mile, Spring/Summer carnivals)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗
Club Activities (Social)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LCSC Squads (No external meets)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗
External Meets (relay entry fees, representative uniforms)	✗	✓	✗	✓	✗



**Notes:**

- General Swimmer and Competitive Squad Member fees have not increased from 2019/2020.
- If a swimmer is **under** 18 years at least one adult family member should also be a club member and registered with Swimming NSW.
- SNSW Affiliation is the requisite part of all club memberships that is paid directly to Swimming NSW and Swimming Australia and covers personal injury insurance and registration to both Swimming NSW and Swimming Australia

**Terms & Conditions for Membership:**

- To compete at a carnival, Competitive Squad swimmers are required to nominate a non-swimming adult (16 years or over) as their assistant. The nominated non-swimming adult is required to perform official duties for LCSC at the carnival (timekeeping, marshalling, etc) as designated by a roster and as notified by email.
- Squad Swimmers must retain a relevant LCSC membership if training with LCSC Squads as provided by BlueFit.

All swimmers consent to the use of photographs of the swimmer on the LCSC website and in Club promotional material.

Consent can be declined by emailing [registrar@lanecoveswimclub.org.au](mailto:registrar@lanecoveswimclub.org.au) and identifying the swimmer where permission is not granted.

## Lane Cove Swim Club Summer Calendar 2020/21

MONTH	DATE	DAY	TIME	EVENT	LEARN TO SWIM	VENUE
October	10	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 1 - A		Lane Cove
	10-11	Sat-Sun		SNSW LC Qualifying Meet		SOPAC
	17	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 2 - B		Lane Cove
	17	Sat		SNSW MC Championships		SOPAC
	24	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 3 - C		Lane Cove
	31	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 4 - A		Lane Cove
November	7	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 5 - B		Lane Cove
	14	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 6 - C		Lane Cove
	14-15			SMNE LC Championships		SOPAC
	21	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 7 - A		Lane Cove
	26-29	Thur-Sun		Australian Short Course Championship		Melbourne MSAC
	28	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 8 - B		Lane Cove
	28-29	Sat-Sun		SNSW LC Junior Metro Championships		SOPAC
December	5	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 9 - C		Lane Cove
	12	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 10 - A + XMAS PARTY		Lane Cove
	12-17			SNSW LC Senior State Age Championships		SOPAC
	19-20			SNSW Open Water Championships		SIRC
January	29-31	Fri-Sun		Australian Open Water Championship		TBC
	30	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 11 - B		Lane Cove
February	6	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 12 - C		Lane Cove
	13	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 13 - A		Lane Cove
	20	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 14 - B		Lane Cove
	21	Sun		LCSC Mile		LC Aquatic Centre
	27	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 15 - C		Lane Cove
	27- 28	Sat-Sun		SNSW LC Senior Metro Championships		SOPAC
March	6	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 16 - A		Lane Cove
	6	Sat		SNSW Speedo Sprint Finals		SOPAC
	13	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 17 - B + 800M + 1500m		Lane Cove
	14	Sun	2-7pm	LCSC Club Championship		LC Aquatic Centre
	20	Sat	7am	POINTSORE 18 - C + Parent/Child Heats		Lane Cove
	18-21	Fri-Sun		SNSW LC State Open Championships		SOPAC
	27	Sat	7am	SEASON PARTY P/Ch Final + Jo Field Trophy		Lane Cove
	27- 28	Sat-Sun		SNSW LC Junior State Age Championships		SOPAC
April	5-12	Mon-Mon		Australian Age + MC Championships		TBC
	14-18	Wed-Sun		Australian Open + MC Championships		TBC

### **2020/21 CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**Entry Requirements - minimum 3 Saturday morning meets**

### **SATURDAY CLUB**

**Max 3 RACES may be swum each week and each race must be a DIFFERENT STROKE**

**WEEK A - Freestyle, Breaststroke, Butterfly.**

**WEEK B - Freestyle, Backstroke, Breaststroke.**

**WEEK C - Freestyle, Backstroke, Butterfly.**

NOTE: 2020 Public School Term 4: begins Mon 12/10/20 • ends Wed 16/12/20  
2021 Public School Term 1: begins Wed 27/01/21 • ends Thurs 01/04/21 (Good Friday 02/04/21)