

Mentone LSC Weekly Update 18 November

General Club News

Mentone LSC Adult Social Night 28 November-Spanish Night

Mentone LSC is hosting an adult only social night 28 November. Enjoy a fantastic evening of great Spanish food, music and dance.

The dress code is Spanish.

Member Protection Officer (MPO)

The Mentone LSC Committee is currently looking for someone to fill the role of Member Protection Office (MPO).

The person appointed needs to be across the LSV and SLSA Member Protection and Working with Children Check Policy which also covers safeguarding children and complaint handling. The intent of the MPO is to ensure the club has someone to deal with queries around these areas. The position needs someone level headed with good people skills. The MPO will also be supported through LSV for education and escalation of issues and questions. The person will be responsible for providing information about a member's rights, responsibilities and options when making a complaint or raising a concern. The MPO will be impartial on all matters, they will not mediate or investigate complaints, but will instead provide advice on how to resolve these issues.

The LSV Member Protection Policy can be located at:

http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/resources/documents/LSV_Member_Protection_WWCC_Policy_Revision_December_2014.pdf

The SLSA Member Protection Policy can be located at:

http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/resources/documents/SLSA_Member_Protection_Policy_6.05.pdf

Mentone Summer Kitchen Open

After a very successful launch last week family meals continue this Friday. Head Chef Jeremy Toland had 3 Dinner options for adults and also kids meals. So throw your towels on a table, have a swim and enjoy a tasty meal by the beach. The bar will be open from 4:30pm and meals from 5:30 bookings essential (and makes it so much easier to cater).

See you there

Book your meals at:

<https://goo.gl/BXZZDu>

RSA Course

Places are still available for the Responsible Serving of Alcohol course on Monday the 23rd of November at 6:30pm. This course

is aimed for both paid and volunteer staff. The subsidised cost for Mentone LSC members

wanting their RSA Cert is \$40 (cash only). The course takes around 3 hours.

Membership

The Admin Team will be upstairs in the club rooms during nippers to assist with new memberships and re newals.

Working with Children Check

it is Lifesaving Victoria policy that all members over 18 hold a valid WWCC. If you haven't already provided these details, please do so as a matter of priority. Email to membershipmlsc@gmail.com Full details and links:

<http://www.mentonlsc.com/working-with-children-check.html>

Mentone Open Water Swim

Be sure to register for the Mentone Open Water swim. Plenty of events for Nippers, Seniors and Adults.

For more info go to <http://www.mentonlsc.com/mentone-open-water-swim.html>

Surfboat Training for Mentone LSC Moms

Calling all MLSC Mums!

Are you interested in doing something fun and different while getting some exercise at the same time?

Last year we organised some Surf Boat Rowing and had a good response, so come and join some like minded ladies on a Sunday Morning for Surf Boat Rowing.

We are starting on 29th November and "row off" time will be 8.00am.

If you are interested in joining this group please let Marianne Kirk know ASAP by SMS 0419 661131 or email: Marianne.kirk@me.com, please provide your email and mobile number.

Juniors (Nippers)

Competitive Swim Assessment

There will be Competitive Swim Evaluations (formerly S Badge) at the following dates and times:

- Friday 20 November, 5:30 pm
- Saturday 21 November, 9am
- Sunday 22 November 11:40 (after Nippers)

WetSuit Sale

Last Chance weekend for Wetsuit sale. Sale Starts at 9am on the trestle tables near the coffee cart.

- Sellers: Attach your name, phone number and price (reduced price if it did not sell last week)
- Buyers: Pick the wetsuit, call the owner and arrange payment.

Next Nippers Sunday

22 November 10am Weather forecast is for a high of 21 degrees and mostly sunny.

Mentone LSC Seals-Open Water Swimming Intro (for U8 to U12)

New Dates for December sessions will be announced soon.

To sign up for the Mentone LSC Seals or ask questions contact Greg Schmidt

gregoryschmidt@yahoo.com

Seniors

New Training Schedule

A new training schedule has been release. Please go to

http://www.mentonelsc.com/uploads/1/0/5/0/10503678/mentone_lsc_training_schedule_31-10-15.pdf

To keep up to date on the Senior news and information join our Senior Competition Facebook Page:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/156518138013517/>

Training and Awards

Bronze Requal this Saturday 21 Nov 10am.

All BM Requals be sure to do your online theory assessment at <http://mt.lsv-from-anywhere.com.au/login?org=lsv#> prior to requal and bring printout of test results with you.

Dates for requal at are <http://www.mentonelsc.com/courses--requals.html>

Remaining Bronze and SRC training Dates

Course

Thursday 19 November 6pm to 8:30pm Mentone LSC

Sunday, 22 November 12noon to 4pm Mentone LSC

Thursday, 26 November 6pm to 8:30pm Mentone LSC

Assessment

Saturday, 28 November 10am to 3pm Mentone LSC

Be sure to bring your wetgear for the remaining sessions.

For the full schedule go to <http://www.mentonelsc.com/courses--requals.html>

Patrol

Patrol Schedule

Current Patrol Schedule can be found at:

http://www.mentonelsc.com/uploads/1/0/5/0/10503678/patrol_teams_roster_15_16_draft_6_19-10-15.xlsx

Mentone Pinkhats

The Mentone Pinkhats is a community swim that takes place every Saturday at 8am. This is a mixed skills group that welcomes new member who want to learn how to swim in open water. Meet at Mentone LSC at 8am on Saturday mornings.

Be sure to follow us on:

Web <http://www.mentonelsc.com>

Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/Mentone-Lifesaving-Club-134248189970238/>

Instagram <https://instagram.com/mentonelifesavingclub/>

Twitter https://twitter.com/mentone_lsc