



Point Lonsdale Surf Life Saving Club Incorporated

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WHERE AND WHEN TO SWIM SAFELY IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENSCLIFFE

The Point Lonsdale Surf Life Saving Club advises all beach goers to “Play it Safe by the Water” and in the interests of beach safety the Club has released details of its 2002 / 2003 Surf Rescue Patrol activities.

In the Borough of Queenscliffe beach goers have two choices for where to swim safely. Beach goers have the choice of either heading to the surf at the Point Lonsdale Surf Beach, or the calmer waters of Port Phillip Bay at Santa Casa Beach Queenscliff.

The Point Lonsdale Surf Beach, located off Ocean Road Point Lonsdale is home to the Club’s main Surf Rescue Base.

Volunteer Surf Lifesavers will operate patrols as follows from late November to Easter Monday:

Saturday 23rd November – Sunday 15th December

Saturdays 1:30pm to 4:30pm and Sundays / Public Holidays 10:00am to 4:00pm.

Monday 16th December – Friday 31st January 2003

Saturdays 1:00pm to 5:30pm & Sundays / Public Holidays 10:00am to 5:30pm

Saturday 1st February 2003 – Monday 21st April 2003

Saturdays 1:30pm to 4:30pm and Sundays / Public Holidays 10:00am to 4:00pm.

Professional Lifeguards will operate to support the volunteer surf lifesavers during the main summer school holiday period to provide 7 day a week coverage at Point Lonsdale:

Friday 27th December - Saturday 25th January 2003

Monday to Friday 10:00am to 6:00pm and Saturday mornings 10:00am – 1:00pm, when the volunteer surf lifesavers will commence.

The Club’s new facility is located at the Santa Casa Beach Queenscliff off Henry Street.

Professional Lifeguards will operate 7 days a week to provide coverage during the main summer school holiday period:

Thursday 26th December - Monday 27th January 2003

7 days a week 10:00am to 6:00pm

For further information please contact the Vice President (Communications) / Media Liaison Officer - Matthew Ponsford on 0419 52 52 58

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Serving the community since 1947

*Over 1 406 lives saved by volunteer surf lifesavers and professional lifeguards
Always swim between the red and yellow flags – no lives lost ‘between the flags’*

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