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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 2008 / 2009 Surf Rescue Patrol activities. A detailed brochure on lifesaving services provided in the Borough can be downloaded from the Club's Website – simply visit www.pointlonsdaleslsc.asn.au and follow the link on the 'Latest Information Updates'.

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 in Port Phillip at the 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 29th November 2008 – Sunday 21st December 2008

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

Friday 26th December 2008 – Monday 26th January 2009

Saturdays 1:00pm to 6:00pm & Sundays / Public Holidays 10:00am to 6:00pm

Saturday 31st January 2009 – Monday 13th April 2009

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

Saturday 27th December 2008 – Thursday 25th January 2009

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 other 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:

Friday 26th December 2008 – Monday 26th January 2009

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

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For further information on this Release, please contact the Club Secretary – Matthew Ponsford on 0419 52 52 58 or secretary@pointlonsdaleslsc.asn.au
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