



BUMPER HOLIDAY EDITION

the laybacker

MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR LAYBACKERS ALL!!



Yes, this was a FUN day! Rob A

I hope that all you members and guests have been enjoying summer, what a cracker it has been! As my attention span is limited, I forget that every year the water and air warms up to that tropic feel for a few weeks, and I get surprised how beautiful being at the beach is at a time like that, like it didn't happen last year too!

As 'Sun Safe Andy' I am famous for my jaunty headgear in the middle of the day especially, and although I may appear aesthetically compromised, I just take a moment to think...

"Hmmm, lets see, looking good, or reducing the chance of melanoma.....thats a tough decision....NAHT! (as Borat would say)

So, here's my public service announcement –

Cover up! Whether you are a young whippersnapper (cause that's when a lot of the damage gets done) or of more mature vintage like myself (cause you still will reduce the chances of skin cancer AND its good for the old eyes as well)

And be smart about it, judge the strength of that ol radiation source, and respond – cover up more if its in the middle of the day (even a cloudy day).....

So, back to the news! Much water under the bridge since the last Newsletter – a fantastic Chrissy Pointscore followed by the Presso Party at a well chosen new venue – the very salubrious Bellambi Surf Club! Great choice by the outgoing committee – simple big space, BYO, no membership cards and 'reception' (ie, turn up however you like.....), and a big balcony overlooking our 'secret' spot!

The Pointscore itself was a real blast, regular heats, the Expression Session, and absolute mayhem and madness on the beach in the tag team match at the end! An absolute cracker of a day, as you will see....

So, off I went home after the pointscore, quick change, chat with the fam, confident that the actual presentation of awards wouldn't get underway until well after the stated time of 2.30ish (we are the 'laybackers' after all), I turned up at 3.30 and found out I had missed most of the awards! Dave Milnes was good enough to pass on some pics of that part of the ceremony, so I have included them, and lots of his fantastic surf shots as well as usual (thanks again Dave).

So that was 2015, and now we have changed the season to coincide with the calendar rather than our taxes, we begin a new season with the STOMP on the 30th, thanks to Scotty and Bill, and all who pitch in (great poster by Jarret – see below!)

I hope that 2016 is good for you all, it is shaping up well already with a 'surprise' committee meeting and Layback Lounge at El Presidente John Young's place earlier in January (surprise in that El Presidente didn't know the party was on at his place....!) The mischievous work of Vice El Presidente, Corey Robinson....

Hoo Roo for now
Andy Goldie

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HOLIDAY EDITION 1:

Christmas Pointscore!

2015 Presentation Party!

**HOLIDAY EDITION 2:
2015 in photo review!
on its way....**

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**THE STOMP
(NSW State Old Mal
Titles)**

30 January - see you there!



COLZA COLZA COLZA!!

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Beer at 9am?? Why not! Aaron



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Kev Napper making sure Andrew Farago got the wave....!!



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tas team mayhem on the beach!!





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the presso party @ bellambi slsc



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Jarret's very cool poster for the STOMP! See you there!

MERRY CHRISTMAS!



1963 - All Weather Shelter Crescent Head!

To all Layback members and your families, we wish you all a very happy Christmas and a wonderful 2016, we hope you realise all your goals and expectations you aspire to achieve, and remain healthy and self fulfilled all year!

Thank you for all your support and commitment, during 2015!

The Layback Committee.