

## SOUTHERN INLAND ASSOCIATION AGM 2019

### AREA TECHNICAL SWIMMING COMMITTEE COORDINATOR REPORT

There has been a good number of SISA members stepping up and obtaining Official credentials during the 2019-2020 season.

There has been a significant increase of members going online to complete the available modules. It would be great to see these members follow through with being assessed.

The modules available online are– General Principals, Timekeeper/Chief Timekeeper, Clerk of the Course, Check Starter, Judge of Stroke, Inspector of Turns, recording, Starter, and Dolphin Training.

Below are the number of members that completed online modules and the number of members that have completed their practical assessment.

The following clubs had members complete the online modules – Wagga, Albury, GT Aquatics, Young, Griffith, Deniliquin, Narrandera, Leeton, Finley, Yanco, ANL, Boorowa, Yass, Junee, Temora, West Wyalong, Cootamundra and Coleambally.

Module	Number Completed Online	Assessment Completed
Time Keeping	84	21( +15 students for Duke of Ed)
Chief Time Keeper	84	17
Clerk of the Course	11	8
Check Starter	11	5
JOS	2	1
IOT	2	0
Starter	5	Level 1( 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Assessment)- 3
Referee		Level 1- 1, Level 3 Suitability - 1
Announcer		1
Recorder	5	3
Meet Manager		1

The following clubs had members assessed for a variety of officiating positions :

Leeton – 6, Wagga Wagga – 9, Deniliquin – 3, Temora – 1, Griffith – 1, Albury – 1, Young -5, Coleambally -1, Cootamundra – 5, Yass- 2

It is a requirement for SNSW for Officials to have a **Working With Children Check Number**.

SISA Short Course Championships was conducted in June and hosted by Griffith Club. Thankyou to Griffith Club and all those Officials that attended and make the meet run smoothly.

Wagga was Host to a Tri Meet camp from the 8<sup>th</sup> to the 12<sup>th</sup> July. We held a Technical Officials workshop on the Wednesday afternoon and Thursday morning between the competition. There were 5 officials from Victoria along with Priscilla and Gerard Horsley, Chris Hayes and Kayleen Murphy. This was a great opportunity to work with Officials from another State and go through the rules.

There were a number of swimmers complete the online Timekeeper/ Chief Timekeeper module and were assessed at the Tri Meet competition.

Tom and I attended the NSW Technical Officials dinner and workshop in Sydney on the 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> July.

I was very honoured to receive the Berry Rickards Encouragement award at the Technical Officials Dinner.

At the SISA Development Day in September with the help of Rachel Stephen's I ran a Meet Manager and Dolphin workshop. We had 7 parents partake in the training, 3 each from Yass and Young and 1 from Wagga.

At the end of the development day we ran a mini meet where the participants were able to run the meet and capture the results as the meet took place. Tom Murphy assessed 8 people for Timekeeper/ Chief Timekeeper.

In October Kayleen Murphy and Randall Jones were involved in the Swimming Australia State Teams Development Program.

In December prior to the Leeton meet Chris and Helen Hayes, Tom and myself ran a workshop for Leeton Parents. We went through the Timekeeper, Meet Manager and Starter modules. These parents were then able to be assessed the next day.

Over the Australia Day Long weekend we had a number of officials attend the NSW Country Regional Championships. Tom Murphy, Chris and Helen Hayes officiated at Narromine. Rachel Stephens, Priscilla Horsley, Phil Evans, Ben Creighton and Andy Tough officiated at Canberra.

Our SISA LC Championships and Speedo Sprints heats were held on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> February. Thank you to the 30 Officials that came and assisted. It was great to have the support of Officials from the 3 zones. Thank you to all parents that helped with time keeping over the both days. Having so many officials and parents putting up their hands to volunteer helped with the meet to run smoothly.

It is a requirement to complete a Referee Exam and 2 practical assessments before being able to become an accredited Referee.

Congratulations to Ben Creighton from Wagga Swimming Club who Completed the Referee's exam and his 2<sup>nd</sup> Referee's assessment at our SISA LC Championships and is now a Level 1 Referee.

Kayleen Murphy has successfully completed her Pre Assessment for Level 3 Referee.

I would like to thank all Officials who put up their hands to Officiate at all our SISA meets over the 2019/20 season. Without your help Clubs would not be able to run meets for all our competitive swimmers.

I would like to acknowledge the fantastic effort from all our Officials that were involved in the running of and Officiating at the many School Swimming Meets in the SISA and Western Areas. I believe our input into these meets make a big difference when these students compete in the School meets in Sydney.

Congratulation to Phil Evans who is currently involved in the NSW Swimming Referee's Program.

The Following NSW Meets were attended by SISA Officials

<b>NSW MEETS</b>	<b>Officials attending</b>
Australian Open Championships Adelaide 7-13/4	Kayleen Murphy, Chris Hayes
Australian Age Championships 19-22/3	Kayleen Murphy
Sydney Open Meet/ University games – 10-12/5	Kayleen Murphy, Chris Hayes
NSW Multiclass meet June 2019	Kayleen Murphy,
NSW Country SC Meet July 2019	Chris Hayes ( Technical Manager), Helen Hayes, Kayleen Murphy & Priscilla Horsley. Thomas & Natalia Horsley ( Timekeeper Assessments)
NSW Technical Forum July 2019	Kayleen Murphy, Tom Murphy
NSW 13 & Over State SC August 2019	Kayleen Murphy, Chris Hayes
NSW 10-12&U State SC September 2019	Chris Hayes
State Teams October 2019	Kayleen Murphy
INAS Global Games Brisbane October 2019	Kayleen Murphy
Australian Open SC Championships Melbourne	Kayleen Murphy, Chris Hayes (mentor)
Achiever Meet October 2019	Priscilla Horsley
NSW LC Metropolitan Championships 2019	Kayleen Murphy
NSW State Age 13-18 LC December 2019	Kayleen Murphy ( Level 3 Referee Pre assessment- Passed) Chris Hayes, Helen Hayes, Priscilla Horsley
NSW Country Regionals Narromine/ Canberra January 2020	Tom Murphy, Chris Hayes, Helen Hayes, Priscilla Horsley, Rachel Stephens, Phil Evans, Ben Creighton, Andy Tough
Australian Open Water Championships 2020	Kayleen Murphy
NSW Country Champs LC February 2020	Kayleen Murphy, Chris Hayes, Helen Hayes, Priscilla Horsley
NSW Speedo Sprint Series March 2020	Kayleen Murphy
NSW Multiclass Meet March 2020	Kayleen Murphy

#### **SISA Referees – There are currently 19 Active Referees in the SISA area**

Anthony Foley – ANL	Simon Lee – Narrandera
Judith Foley – ANL	Stephen Mawbey – Temora
Karyn Flanagan – Junee	Kayleen Murphy - Wagga
Ingrid Corcoran – Boorowa	Tom Murphy - Wagga
Julie Poplin – Boorowa	Andrew Tough – West Wyalong
Chris Hayes – Deniliquin	Carol Clark - Young
Marrie Mott – Griffith	Melissa Westcott - Deniliquin
Felicity Palmer – Griffith	Ben Creighton – Wagga
Craig Tilston – Griffith	Randall Jones - Finley
Priscilla Horsley - Wagga	

It is a hope that more parents will be encouraged to become involved in gaining credentials and hopefully work there way towards becoming a Referee.

Kayleen Murphy

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