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2009 nib COOLANGATTA GOLD – EVENT INFORMATION

OFFICIAL EVENT NAME

2009 nib Coolangatta Gold

VENUE

Surfers Paradise, Gold Coast

Note: the event will be contested from Surfers Paradise through to Greenmount and back

HOSTED BY

Surf Life Saving Australia

WHEN

Sunday 18 October, 2009

RACE START TIMES

All events will start from Surfers Paradise Beach

7:00am Open Men’s Race Start

7:05am Masters Men Race Start

7:20am Teams Race Start

7:55am Open Women Race Start

7:55am Masters Women Race Start

8:15am U19 Men Race Start

8:30am Junior endurance Ironperson Briefing

MEDIA VEHICLE DEPARTURE POINT & TIMES

Those media who have allocated to travel on the buses that will follow the Open Male competitors, those vehicles will depart after the start of the open men’s and women’s events from outside Surfers Paradise SLSC. Please see Media Manager, **Kim Hamilton** at the media briefing at 6.30am on race day if you have any queries.

PARKING AND TRAFFIC INFORMATION

Road Closures: There are no road closures as the competition is conducted on the beach or in the ocean. Around the main transition point we do expect congestion and in Surfers Paradise as the road changes for Indy would be well under way.

Car Parking: The car parks at all surf clubs are restricted and there will not be public or media parking available...it is strongly suggested to register to have a seat in the two media vehicles.

BEST VANTAGE POINT FOR VIEWING RACES

Greenmount: Finish of the open, Masters and Teams ski leg - the Greenmount Point walkway will be a perfect area to watch the transitions.

Currumbin: Finish of the second open, Masters and Teams run and finish of the female and U19 ski legs.

Burleigh Heads: Finish of all competitors board legs and the start of the final run leg.

Surfers Paradise: Start and the finish of all events.

MEDIA CENTRE LOCATION

The Media Centre will be located in the Surfers Paradise SLSC, on the first floor. Access is via the side outside stairs.

MEDIA CONTACTS

Hanson Media Group Pty. Ltd. has been appointed by Surf Life Saving Australia to service the media needs during the 2009 nib Coolangatta Gold

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Media Manager: David Moase (Media vehicle one)

Media Director: Ian Hanson 0407 385 160 (Lead Car on final men's run leg)

Surf Life Saving Australia representatives

SLSA Media & Communications Officer: Lauren Ryan 0402 162 807

MEDIA ACCREDITATION

An official SLSA media bib **MUST** be worn at all times by all media for access to the competition arena. Bibs can be collected from 6.30am at the Media Centre.

PHOTOGRAPHERS

Photographers **MUST** wear their SLSA accredited bibs **AT ALL TIMES** and all media must show

MEDIA IDENTIFICATION from a Metropolitan, suburban or regional newspaper, radio or television network when picking up their accreditation.

PHOTOGRAPHY PROVIDED TO MEDIA

Surf Life Saving's official photographer, **Harvie Allison Photography**, will be at the event to supply photographs to media organisations, free of charge. For any photography requests, please speak to Kim Hamilton in the Media Centre.

DATA SENDING

Wireless internet connection will be available to journalists in the media centre.

THE GOLDEN YEARS OF AUSTRALIA'S ICONIC IRONMAN ENDURANCE RACE

The event was first held in 1984 and was known as the Coolangatta Gold Triathlon and was made famous by the movie "The Coolangatta Gold" starring surf lifesaving legend **Grant Kenny** and young up-and-coming Australian actors **Colin Friels** and **Josh McWilliam**.

The real race, in January 1984, was won by **Guy Leech**, who at the time was an unheralded 18-year-old from Manly.

Leech also won the second running of the event a year later and became one of the most recognised faces on the Australian sporting landscape.

His dual victories in the race, which captured the imagination of the Australian public like no other, catapulted him and the sport of surf lifesaving to a new level and opened the door to professional Ironman racing.

The event was later held in 1991, when Mooloolaba's **Michael King** took the title ahead of Thirroul's **Darren Mercer** and Manly's **David Kissane**. But in 1992, Mercer upstaged King to take the title, forcing the 1991 champion to settle for second place, with brother Mercer's brother **Dean Mercer** rounding out the minor placings in third position.

After a 13 year absence from the surf sports calendar, Surf Life Saving Australia brought the Coolangatta Gold back in 2005 and it has remained committed to not only ensuring it is a regular feature on the surf sports calendar, but that the event continues to grow.

It also included open women, the under 19s, Masters and the Teams which has seen the event grow enormously over the last five years.

The 2005 men's event was won by Northcliffe's **Caine Eckstein** from **Jeremy Cotter** and Caine's brother Shannon and in the women it was **Hayley Bateup** who would win the first of her three titles in stirring fashion from the City of Perth's **Alicia Marriott** with **Elizabeth Plumers** third.

In Caine's absence in 2006, **Zane Holmes** added the title to his long list of trophies with Cronulla's **Nathan Smith** second and the unstoppable **Dean Mercer** third and it was Bateup who defended her crown from **Kristy Harris**, with Plumers third again.

In 2007, SLSA was pleased to sign a three-year naming right sponsorship with the nib Health Fund and it saw Mooloolaba's **Rhys Drury** come out of semi-retirement to defeat **Shannon Eckstein** and **Drew Cairncross** with Marriott winning her first Gold, relegating Plumers to second and Bateup to third in the women's event.

Last year saw **Caine Eckstein** return to the race and to the winners circle for the second time ahead of **Tim Peach** and **Nathan Smith** with Bateup adding her record third title ahead of **Courtney Hancock** and **Alyce Bennett**.

RECORD FIELDS LINE UP FOR 2009 nib COOLANGATTA GOLD

Surf Life Saving Australia (SLSA) officials are ecstatic with the response to this year's event – the iconic Ironman torture course.

Over 520 athletes will contest the 2009 nib Coolangatta Gold with 60 lining up in the open men's field, 40 in the open women and under 19; 80 in the Masters and 80 teams.

SLSA's General Manager of Sport Grant Baldock, said: "The nib Coolangatta Gold is the ultimate Ironman endurance race on the surf sports calendar and each year we continue to attract people from all walks of life to see if they have what it takes to overcome this iconic race.

"What continues to draw people to this event, is that it is not all about who crosses the line first but rather seeing who can take on the challenge and cross that finish line."

Two-time winner Eckstein will be shooting for a record third victory in open men's division that again includes **Dean Mercer**, who at 39, has another lease of life and will line up in his seventh Coolangatta Gold to lead the family charge.

Hailing from the Sunshine Coast will be former Sydney Northern Beaches young gun **Matt Poole**, with the former under 17 and under 19 Australian Ironman looking to go head-to-head with Eckstein.

The men's race will also have a strong international flavour with 29-year-old Frenchman **Walter Geyer**, a specialist board paddler from the Capreton (near Biarritz) SLSC and South African **Jasper Mocke** (Fish Hoek Surf) in Capetown, the youngest of the Mocke family paddlers Dawid and Olympian Nikki.

Both will tackle the event for the first time as word spreads around the globe of the epic race that has seen some of the biggest names in Surf Life Saving attempt the testing combination of ski and board paddling, swimming and running.

Three-time women's winner **Bateup** (2005, 2006 and 2008) and **Marriott** (2007) will again spearhead the women's field of 40 entrants who will cover a 30km course from Surfers Paradise to Currumbin and return.

Marriott has shifted from her native Western Australia to join leading Sunshine Coast coach and 1991 Coolangatta Gold winner **Michael King** at Mooloolaba this year, as she chases title number two.

While there are healthy increases in the open divisions the biggest growth areas for the nib Coolangatta Gold 2009 are in the Under 19s, Masters and Teams events – with 222 individual entrants and 306 competitors entered in the team's events – including Olympic swimmers **Ky Hurst** and **Chris Fydler**.

In the Masters divisions there will be three "originals" from the 1984 field – including Southport Queensland's **Lawrence Reece**, 51, who finished second to Leech when thousands of spectators lined the beach 25 years ago to greet the combatants of the first race.

Joining Reese will be 1978 Australian Ironman Champion **Robert Chapman**, and the grandfather of Ironman racing, **Alan Coates (Noosa)**, who at 65-year-old is the oldest competitor in the race.

Another former competitor to return to the iconic race is 1992 Coolangatta Gold winner, **Darren Mercer** who will paddle the ski in a team which will include his 15-year-old daughter Jordan – one of Surf Life Saving's rising stars who will paddle a board in team McDonalds from Mooloolaba.

The Under 19 field has grown from five starters when it was first staged in 2005 to be eight times as many competitors in 2009, while the teams has grown four-fold from 20 in 2005 to 80 teams five years later.

KIWI CONNECTION HEAD THE TEAMS EVENT

Four teams from the Orewa SLSC on New Zealand's North Island will line up among the 80 teams entered, including two women's teams, with the "Kurrawa Kiwis" littered among the contingent.

"We are continually pleased to see strong growth across all categories in the nib Coolangatta Gold and are encouraged by the number of people travelling from all around the country and overseas," said Baldock.

"This year's event will once again feature the **Junior Coolangatta Gold** at Surfers Paradise as well as a beach volleyball match on the Sunday.

"As a curtain raiser to the event, Surf Life Saving Queensland will conduct a '**Fastest Man on Sand**' competition on the Saturday which will attract some of the best beach competitors from around the country."

The men's race will start from Surfers Paradise beach at 7.00am on Sunday, October 18 with a gruelling 23km ski paddle to Greenmount Beach, which will be followed by a short run to Coolangatta and a 3.5km swim to Bilinga.

Competitors then face a 4km run to Currumbin, a 5.5km board paddle to Burleigh Heads and then the final lung-busting 10km soft sand run to the finish line at Surfers Paradise.

For the women, their race will start at 8.00am with a 15km ski paddle from Surfers Paradise to Currumbin Beach followed by a 1km run to Currumbin Creek and a 4.5km board paddle to Burleigh Heads.

They will then swim 2.5km to North Burleigh before embarking on the 7.5km soft sand run to the finish.

PAST COOLANGATTA GOLD RESULTS

1984

1. Guy Leech (Manly)
2. Lawrence Reece (Southport)
3. Craig Riddington (Manly)

1985 January 5

1. Guy Leech (Manly) 4.20.14hrs
2. Stephen McBean (Point Lonsdale) 4.36.55hrs
3. Gray Parkes (Nth Cronulla) 4.39.30hrs

1991 October 12

1. Michael King (Mooloolaba)
2. Darren Mercer (Thirroul)
3. David Kissane (Manly)

1992

1. Darren Mercer (Thirroul)
2. Michael King (Mooloolaba)
3. Dean Mercer (Thirroul)

2005 October 16

Open Men

1. Caine Eckstein (Northcliffe) 4.20.14hrs
2. Jeremy Cotter (Northcliffe) 4.21.52hrs
3. Shannon Eckstein (Northcliffe) 4.22.59hrs

Open Women

1. Hayley Bateup (Northcliffe) 2.25.45hrs
2. Alicia Marriott (City of Perth) 2.27.16hrs
3. Elizabeth Pluimers (Northcliffe) 2.28.50hrs

Teams

1. Manly - 4.14.13hrs
2. Redhead Comutel – 4.14.51hrs
3. Surfers Mayfair – 4.21.48hrs

2006 October 17

Open Men

1. Zane Holmes (Northcliffe) 4.25.01hrs
2. Nathan Smith (Cronulla) 4.27.23hrs
3. Dean Mercer (Mooloolaba) 4.27.43hrs

Open Women

1. Hayley Bateup (Northcliffe) 3.17.13hrs
2. Kristy Harris (Northcliffe) 3.17.59hrs
3. Elizabeth Pluimers (Northcliffe) 3.24.55hrs

Teams

Women

1. North Burleigh 5:07.39
2. Queenscliff 5:19.49
3. Currumbin 5:24.50

Men/Mixed

1. North Burleigh-Tugun – 4.09.57hrs
2. Manly – 4.24.11hrs
3. BHMP – 4.30.58hrs

2007 October 14

Open Men

1. Rhys Drury (Mooloolaba) 4:10:58
2. Shannon Eckstein (Northcliffe) 4:14:01
3. Drew Cairncross (Bulli) 4:16:30

Open Women

1. Alicia Marriott (City of Perth) 3.22.33 2
2. Elizabeth Pluimers (Northcliffe) 3.23.22
3. Hayley Bateup (Kurrawa) 3.23.43

Masters

30-39

1. Benjamin Hewitt (Claremont) 04:51:09
2. Mark Stewart (City of Perth) 05:04:03
3. Jason Foye (North Wollongong) 05:10:22

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1. Gavin Hill (Northcliffe) 04:57:20
2. Matthew Braban (Hervey Bay) 04:57:49
3. Ian Rowling (Gold Coast) 04:59:41

U 19

1. Jacob Lollback (Yamba) 3.12.49
2. Cameron Gordon (Northcliffe) 3.18.04
3. John-Patrick McCarthy (Bronte) 3.19.33

Teams

Women

1. Sunshine Coasters 04:52:04
2. North Burleigh A 04:54:28
3. North Burleigh B 04:55:56

Men/Mixed

1. Burleigh Heads 04:05:05
2. Freshwater SLSC 04:08:00
3. Cronulla 04:13:59

2008 October 19

Open Men

- 1 Caine Eckstein 04:14:15
- 2 Tim Peach 04:16:44
- 3 Nathan Smith 04:17:18

Open Women

- 1 Hayley Bateup 03:18:45
- 2 Courtney Hancock 03:25:56
- 3 Alyce Bennett 03:26:58

Masters

30-39

- 1 Shane Whittaker 04:55:51
- 2 Benjamin Hewitt 04:59:18
- 3 Shane Dowel 05:02:10

40+

- 1 Greg Mickle 04:46:22
- 2 Jeff Lemarseny 04:55:37
- 3 Michael Waide 04:59:58

Women

30+

- 1 Ruth Highman 03:50:32
- 2 Nadine Derriman 03:56:17
- 3 Melinda Pelly 03:58:57

U19

- 1 Hayden White 03:11:47
- 2 Kendrick Louis 03:11:56
- 3 Ben Hepburn 03:12:04

Teams

Women

- 1 Brea Bailey K Bowlay B Lee P Cooper 05:00:25
- 2 K Lowe A Miller R Crerar B Miller 05:01:17
- 3 R Clarke A Clarke G Butt L Leeson 05:04:32

Men/Mixed

- 1T Jacobs J Nolan G Coates D Deagan 04:14:48
- 2 J Stewart R Lysaught T Trembath N Mcubbery 04:16:33
- 3 D Sloss N Cuthbert S Hamilton S Madden 04:17:16

TELEVISION SCHEDULE

The 2009 nib Coolangatta Gold will be televised on the Seven Network Sunday November 1 from 2.00 – 4.00pm (check local guides for more details).

TV NEWS FEED

Will be fed out of Gateway via channel 7 Brisbane, 3.00pm (Qld time) This will be for Friday and on race day Sunday

PRIZE POOL

PLACE	OPEN MALE	OPEN FEMALE
1st	\$20,000	\$10,000
2nd	\$7,000	\$3,500
3rd	\$4,250	\$2,250
4th	\$3,000	\$1,250
5th	\$2,000	\$1,000
6th	\$1,000	\$900
7th	\$900	\$800
8th	\$800	\$700
9th	\$700	\$600
10th	\$600	\$500
11th	\$500	\$400
12th	\$400	\$350
13th	\$350	\$300
14th	\$300	\$250
15th	\$200	\$200

FAST FACTSDid You Know!!!

The oldest individual competitor is **Alan Coates** of Noosa Heads in QLD who is 65-years-old, competing in the Masters 40+ years.

The youngest individual competitor is 15-year-old **Nick Wagner** also of Noosa Heads in QLD who will contest the under 19 category.

Hayley Bateup (Kurrawa) is in contention for her fourth consecutive nib Coolangatta Gold title – a feat not achieved before in the event's history.

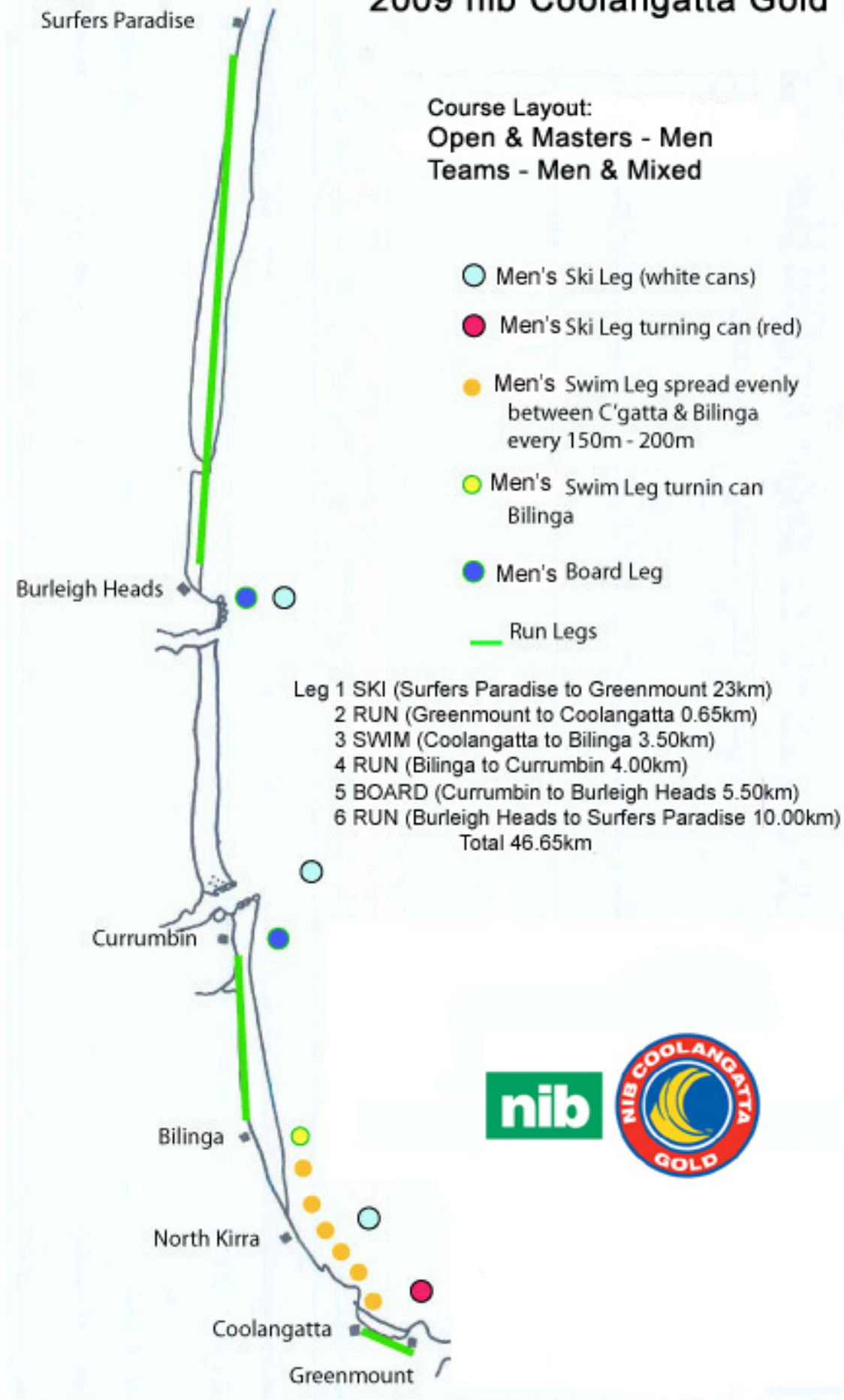
Dean Mercer (Northcliffe) came third in the Coolangatta Gold in 1992 (representing Thirroul) and finished 3rd in 2006 (Mooloolaba) and will this represent BMD Northcliffe.

Gold Coast club **Northcliffe** have the most individual entries with 32. An incredible 12 in the women's race and 11 in the men's race, 5 in the U19's race, 2 in the 40+ Masters and 2 in the women's masters 30+ they also have two teams totaling 40 competitors.

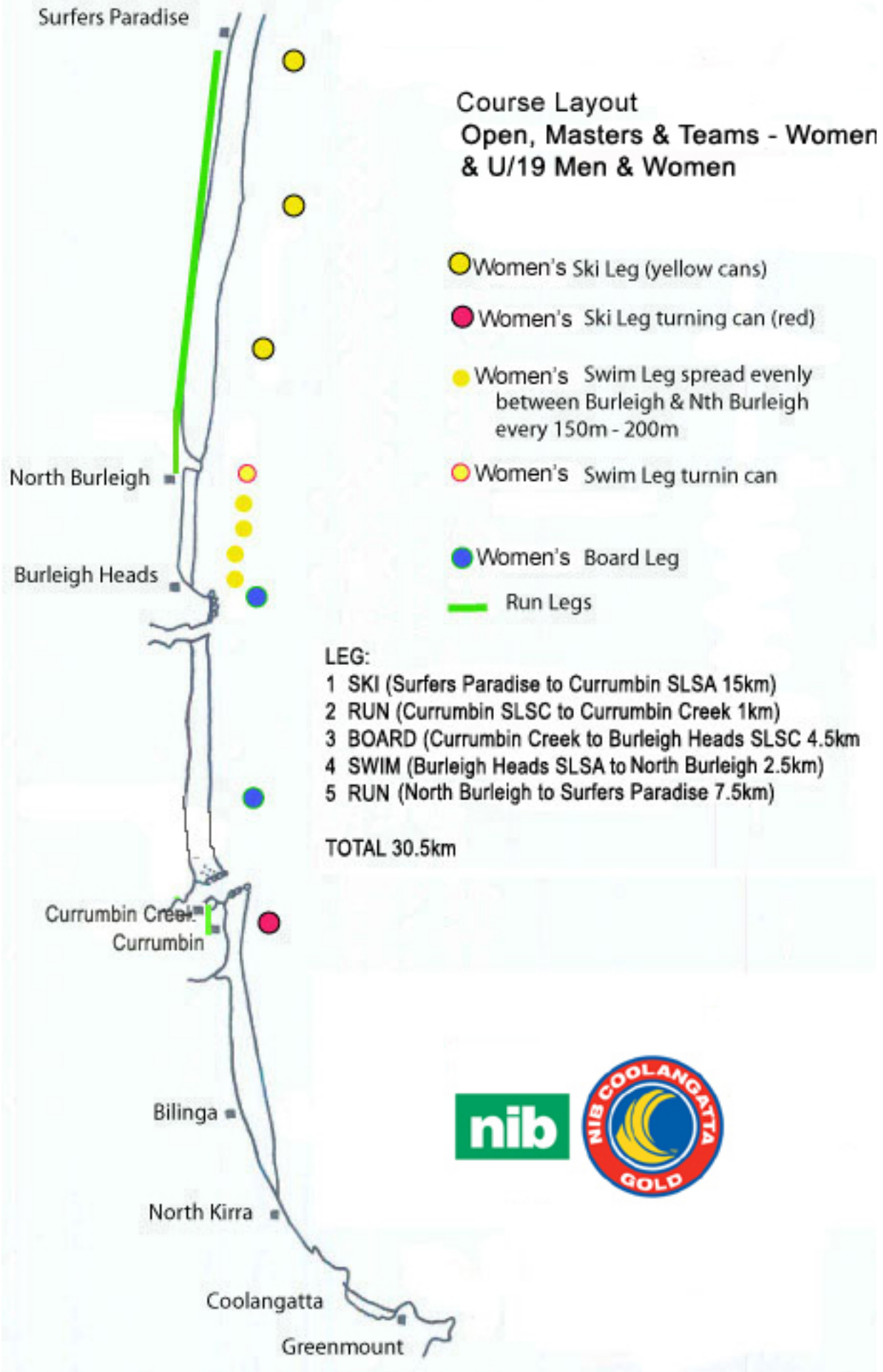
There are 61 mixed teams competing in the 2009 nib Coolangatta Gold and 18 all female teams competing.

COURSE MAPS

2009 nib Coolangatta Gold



2009 nib Coolangatta Gold



COMPETITOR ENTRIES

**#3 DEFENDING CHAMPION
CAINE ECKSTEIN
Northcliffe SLSC (QLD)**



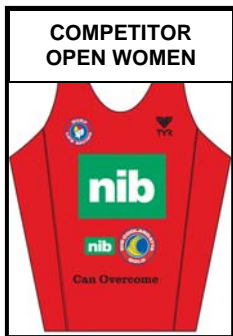
OPEN MEN		
#	First Name	Last Name
1	Trent	Goulding
2	Matt	Poole
3	Caine	Eckstein
4	Andrew	Mosel
5	Joshy	Minogue
6	James	Wilkie
7	Mark	Simpson
8	Greg	Tobin
9	Nick	Marshall
10	Dean	Mercer
11	Nathan	Smith
12	Matt	Jenkins
13	Cory	Hill
14	withdrawn	
15	Glenn	Kirby
16	Murray	Stacey
17	Finley	Taylor
18	Daniel	Bannerman
19	Ryan	Flaherty
20	Luke	Lorenzin
21	Neil	Lazzaro
22	Graham	Gunther
23	Walter	Geyer
24	Luke	Horder
25	Michael	White
26	Shaun	Robertson
27	Jasper	Mocke
28	Brett	Carter
29	Dane	Sloss
30	withdrawn	
31	Adam	McKane
32	Ben	Squires
33	Stuart	Snell
34	Nicholas	Pluimers
35	John	Lakeland
36	Stephen	Blizzard
37	withdrawn	
38	David	Monaghan
39	Dean	Johns
40	Rory	Chapman

OPEN MEN CONTINUED		
#	First Name	Last Name
41	Nick	Bladen
42	Cameron	Gordon
43	Benjamin	Carrick
44	Nicklaus	O'Hare
45	withdrawn	
46	Scott	Higgins
47	Adriel	Young
48	Luke	Wagner
49	Julien	Lalanne
50	Brad	Mainwaring
51	Alex	Austin
52	Ben	Duffy
53	Blair	Day
54	Jake	Nicholson
55	Shane	Edmonds
56	Cameron	Coghlan
57	Gareth	Evans
58	Jake	Biddle
59	David	Graham
60	Russell	Cooper
61	Daniel	Nelson
62	Michael	Lewandowski
63	withdrawn	
64	Trent	Robinson



Masters 30 - 39 yrs Men		
#	First Name	Last Name
301	Gregory	Stratford
302	Brent	McKinnon
303	Jason	Bettles
304	Craig	Burke
305	Toby	Wallace
306	Luke	O'Garey
307	Malcolm	Roberts
308	Chris	Walker
309	Sam	Charlton
310	Michael	Moran
311	Daniel	Kelton
312	Pete	Mulhearn
313	Brett	Davidson
314	Pete	Walker
315	Brendan	Garland
316		
317	Pete	Wells
318	Jason	Foye
319	Liam	Drake
320	Jon	Brookes
321	Martyn	Newby
322	Mark	Norris
323	Ben	Sutherland
324	Stuart	Colquhoun

Masters 40+ Men		
#	First Name	Last Name
401	Tim	Mandeville
402	Michael	Manning
403	Craig	Plunkett
404	Sean	Townsend
405	Alan	Coates
406	Robert	Chapman
407	David	Josephson
408	Wayne	Marshall
409	Graeme	Orr
410	David	Waddell
411	Shane	Watson
412	Kim	Curtis
413		
414	Scott	Sewell
415	Matthew	Braban
416	Dean	Parry
417	Gordon	Collison
418	Darren	Schott
419	Peter	Ziegler
420	Lawrence	Reece
421	Mark	Taylor
422	Stephen	Mawby
423	Don	Marsh
424	Geoff	English
425	Iain	Jones
426	Peter	White
427	Gary	Schapel
428	Dean	Powell
429	Gavin	Stewart
430	Christopher	Panckhurst
431	Colin	Robson
432	Alan	Young
433	Richard	Bedford
434	Scott	Braby
435	Carl	Greenhalgh
436	Scott	Everingham
437	Andrew	Worling
438	Russell	Zahn
439	Mark	Watson
440	Shane	Fitz Gerald
441	Robert	Dorrough
442	Ross	Fearon
443	Jeff	Lemarseny
444	Simon	Blockey



OPEN WOMEN

#	First Name	Last Name
1	Casey	Leo-Litzow
2	Candice	Falzon
3	Allira	Richardson
4	Courtney	Hancock
5	Elizabeth	Pluimers
6	Flora	Manciet
7	Amanda	Hey
8	Hayley	Bateup
9	Kirsten	Ulmer
10	Bonnie	Hancock
11	Alicia	Marriott
12	Rachel	Duczynski
13	Ellie	Meuwissen
14	Maddison Lea	Murray
15	Sam	Johnston
16	Cher	Allen
17	Emma	Armstrong
18	Tara	Engel
19	Hannah	O'Brien
20	Tara	Coleman
21	Ceris	Graham
22	Allie	Britton
23	Kathryn	Mckenzie
24	Jasmin	Kelly
25	Melinda	Pelly
26	Alexis	Mitchell
27	Nadi	Canning
28	Sarah	Colby
29	Erin	Braund
30	Elizabeth	Menhinnitt
31	Jess	Walker
32	Kylie	Fulmer
33	Kate	Lister
34	Hannah	Lemke
35	Crystal	Maruna
36	Tenille	Kenny
37	Jessica	Barclay
38	Tatum	Lawler
39	Jade	Whitehead
40	Miranda	Davies

UNDER 19

#	First Name	Last Name
1	Matthew	Johnston
2	Nicholas	Anderson
3	Dylan	Swann
4	Nicholas	Fox
5	Nic	Rodger
6	Oscar	Bradley
7	Callan	Preiato
8	Matt	Bevilacqua
9	Tyler	Maxwell
10	Aaron	Murphy
11	Josh	Walker
12	Dylan	Magee
13	Joshua	Crouch
14	Lewis	Coombe
15	Alex	Nash
16	Lachlan	Swann
17	Stewart	Duffy
18	Joshua	Brown
19	Sean	White
20	Mitchell	Mullen
21	Nick	Wagner
22	Jed	Fahey
23	Richard	Geard
24	Jackson	Maynard
25	Tom	Dowling
26	Rhys	Dutton
27	Jackson	Cosgrove
28	Michael	Booth
29	Isaac	Owen
30	Cory	Taylor
31	Josh	Yates
32	Simon	Carlton
33	Eamon	Anderson
34	Darcy	Hansen
35	Liam	Ryan
36	Ryan	Cox
37	Mitchell	Fagerstrom
38	Andrew	Grimshaw
39	Sean	Noone
40	Alex	Tibbits

MASTERS WOMEN 30+

#	First Name	Last Name
201	Nicole	Tippet
202	Jo-Anne	Gardiner
203	Denice	Holmes
204	Joanne	Marrable
205	Katrina	Egan
206	Maxine	Mitchell
207	Amanda	Massie
208	Alison	Lingard
209	Tiarne	Smith
210	Kylie	Zikarsky
211	Amanda	Hanmer
212	Karen	Giles
213	Samantha	Williams
214	Deborah	Archer
215	Donna	Eckstein

Did you know...? in 2005 there were 20 teams....2006... 35 teams....in 2007... 44 teams, in 2008.... 58 teams and in 2009 there is a record 80 teams made up of open men, mixed and all women teams.





TEAMS – MEN/MIXED					
Number	Team Name	# Members	First Name	Last Name	Leg
501	Young Louis	4	Kendrick	Louis	Run
501	Young Louis	4	Howard	Louis	Swim
501	Young Louis	4	Bradley	Young	Ski
501	Young Louis	4	Barton	Louis	Board
502	Townsville BoyZ	2	Bill	Everingham	Board, Run
502	Townsville BoyZ	2	Sam	Hoffmann	Ski, Swim
503	Team McDonalds	4	Gary	Binet	Run
503	Team McDonalds	4	Kareena	Lee	Swim
503	Team McDonalds	4	Jordan	Mercer	Board
503	Team McDonalds	4	Darren	Mercer	Ski
504	Team Japan	4	Hiroki	Asami	Run
504	Team Japan	4	Sho	Azuma	Swim
504	Team Japan	4	Eiichi	Ishii	Board
504	Team Japan	4	Naoto	Uchida	Ski
505	Tamarama 2	3	John	Leahy	Swim, Run
505	Tamarama 2	3	Davin	Turner	Board
505	Tamarama 2	3	Reece	Turner	Ski
506	Slobs	4	Joseph	Dougherty	Board
506	Slobs	4	Joe	Fahey	Ski
506	Slobs	4	Cecil	O'Dea	Swim
506	Slobs	4	Mark	O'Dea	Run
507	Pattys Pirates	4	Michael	Baker	Run
507	Pattys Pirates	4	Patrick	Cobiac	Swim
507	Pattys Pirates	4	James	Cordner	Board
507	Patty's Pirets	4	Luke	Jones	Ski
508	Old & Bold White	4	Michael	Grout	Run
508	Old & Bold White	4	John	Masters	Swim
508	Old & Bold White	4	Michael	McGrath	Ski
508	Old & Bold White	4	Alain	Dupuis	Board
509	North Narrabeen Gold	4	Darren	Bennett	Board
509	North Narrabeen Gold	4	Kirk	Saunders	Swim
509	North Narrabeen Gold	4	Graeme	Wilson	Run
509	North Narrabeen Gold	4	Darren	Geros	Ski
510	Noosa Mixed-Up Masters	4	Jim	Kneale	Ski
510	Noosa Mixed-Up Masters	4	Georgina	Lynch	Swim
510	Noosa Mixed-Up Masters	4	Gerard	O'Brien	Board
510	Noosa Mixed-Up Masters	4	Michael	Hayes	Run
511	Mona Vale A	4	Wesley	Dose	Run
511	Mona Vale A	4	Peter	Lever	Board
511	Mona Vale A	4	Robyn	Moore	Swim
511	Mona Vale A	4	Bryce	Munro	Ski
512	Manly Old & Bold - Black Team	4	Rodney	Joyce	Board
512	Manly Old & Bold - Black Team	4	Malcolm	Kindred	Swim
512	Manly Old & Bold - Black Team	4	Mike	Mobilia	Run
512	Manly Old & Bold - Black Team	4	Cameron	Middleton	Ski
513	KURRAWA B	4	Elliot	Denton	Run

513	KURRAWA B	4	Brad	Gaul	Board
513	KURRAWA B	4	Andrew	Mewing	Swim
513	KURRAWA B	4	Julian	Norton-Smith	Ski
514	Freshwater B	4	Christian	Bate	Run
514	Freshwater B	4	Jordan	Burden	Swim
514	Freshwater B	4	Mark	O'Brien	Board
514	Freshwater B	4	Jamie	Stewart	Ski
515	Forster Surf Club	4	Scott	Bulmer	Swim
515	Forster Surf Club	4	Lindsay	Lewis	Board
515	Forster Surf Club	4	Ian	Maxted	Run
515	Forster Surf Club	4	Daniel	Warren	Ski
516	DKM	3	Mic	Evans	Run, Board
516	DKM	3	Dev	Lahey	Swim
516	DKM	3	Kevin	Morrison	Ski
517	Dee Why A	4	Geoffrey	Crittles	Run
517	Dee Why A	4	Grant	Marshall	Board
517	Dee Why A	4	Mitchell	Young	Ski
517	Dee Why A	4	Matthew	Weisse	Swim
518	Currumbin Battlers	4	Michael	Saal	Board
518	Currumbin Battlers	4	Michael	Waide	Ski
518	Currumbin Battlers	4	Nathan	Henderson	Swim
518	Currumbin Battlers	4	Ian	Hornabrook	Run
519	Coolum-Noosa	4	Phillip	Gabel	Run
519	Coolum-Noosa	4	Luke	Grice	Ski
519	Coolum-Noosa	4	Nigel	Morton	Board
519	Coolum-Noosa	4	Ian	Norman	Swim
520	Coastal Energy	4	Jackson	Doolan	Board
520	Coastal Energy	4	Dylan	Newbiggin	Ski
520	Coastal Energy	4	Stephen	Kime	Swim
520	Coastal Energy	4	Deon	Locke	Run
521	Bondi SBSLC	2	Ilya	Anisimoff	Board, Run
521	Bondi SBSLC	2	Josep	Font Sadurni	Ski, Swim
522	Westpac Helicopter	4	Brian	Foster	Board
522	Westpac Helicopter	4	Michael	Legge	Swim
522	Westpac Helicopter	4	Todd	Mulville	Run
522	Westpac Helicopter	4	David	Wells	Ski
523	Three men and a Dugong	4	Dean	Boyton	Run
523	Three men and a Dugong	4	Ray	Hobson	Board
523	Three men and a Dugong	4	Greg	Robinson	Swim
523	Three men and a Dugong	4	Paul	Schloeffel	Ski
524	Team Mackay	4	Geoff	Bird	Run
524	Team Mackay	4	Stephen	Bird	Ski
524	Team Mackay	4	Robert	Forsyth	Board
524	Team Mackay	4	Peter	Hynes	Swim
525	Team Blueshore	4	Matt	Anderson	Swim
525	Team Blueshore	4	Adam	Daly	Run
525	Team Blueshore	4	Clay	Harris	Board
525	Team Blueshore	4	Travis	Grant	Ski
526	Tama Glammer 1	3	Sam	Hart	Ski
526	Tama Glammer 1	3	Colin	Morawski	Run, Swim
526	Tama Glammer 1	3	Joel	Turner	Board
527	Rainbow Bay Realty	4	Tim	Fydler	Ski
527	Rainbow Bay Realty	4	Chris	Fydler	Swim
527	Rainbow Bay Realty	4	Brad	Beven	Run
527	Rainbow Bay Realty	4	Jarrold	Blackburn	Board
528	Orewa White	4	Andrew	Cook	Swim

528	Orewa White	4	Thomas	Currie	Run
528	Orewa White	4	Shaun	Green	Ski
528	Orewa White	4	Luke	Siddins	Board
529	Oceans 4	4	Fergus	Liddle	Swim
529	Oceans 4	4	Brett	Pearce	Run
529	Oceans 4	4	Paul	Rogers	Ski
529	Oceans 4	4	Rod	Taylor	Board
530	North Narrabeen Boardriders	4	Lee	Adams	Run
530	North Narrabeen Boardriders	4	Brian	Lawson	Swim
530	North Narrabeen Boardriders	4	Brett	Warner	Board
530	North Narrabeen Boardriders	4	Gary	Whittaker	Ski
531	Noosa Cadets	4	Jake	Bartholomaeus	Run
531	Noosa Cadets	4	Olivia	O'Brien	Swim
531	Noosa Cadets	4	James	Widdicombe	Ski
531	Noosa Cadets	4	Andrew	Widdicombe	Board
532	Maroochydore SLSC	4	Beau	Farrell	Board
532	Maroochydore SLSC	4	Todd	Grace	Ski
532	Maroochydore SLSC	4	Codie	Grimsey	Swim
532	Maroochydore SLSC	4	William	Thompson	Run
533	Manly Blue	4	Christopher	Bell	Board
533	Manly Blue	4	Greg	Booker	Ski
533	Manly Blue	4	Tim	Farrelly	Run
533	Manly Blue	4	John	Platt	Swim
534	Kurrawa A	4	Ky	Hurst	Swim
534	Kurrawa A	4	Michael	Janes	Run
534	Kurrawa A	4	Daniel	Shade	Board
534	Kurrawa A	4	Ben	Allen	Ski
535	Freshie Gold	4	Grant	Coates	Board
535	Freshie Gold	4	Dean	Degan	Run
535	Freshie Gold	4	Tim	Jacobs	Ski
535	Freshie Gold	4	Jake	Nolan	Swim
536	Forster Force	4	Adam	Burns	Board
536	Forster Force	4	Allan	Hogg	Run
536	Forster Force	4	Peter	McKenna	Ski
536	Forster Force	4	Laura	Thurtell	Swim
537	Dee Why Pink Ladies	4	Jane	Craigie	Run
537	Dee Why Pink Ladies	4	Alana	Digby	Swim
537	Dee Why Pink Ladies	4	Peter	Hatfield	Ski
537	Dee Why Pink Ladies	4	Harrison	Selby	Board
538	Currumbin Cruisers	4	Jamo	Borthwick	Board
538	Currumbin Cruisers	4	Dax	Foster	Swim
538	Currumbin Cruisers	4	Daniel	Ross	Ski
538	Currumbin Cruisers	4	Michael	Sullivan	Run
539	Cooly Young Guns	3	Stephen	Alexander	Ski
539	Cooly Young Guns	3	Ryan	Hawkins	Board
539	Cooly Young Guns	3	Ryan	Rigney	Swim, Run
540	Collnarra	4	Reece	Bosward	Ski
540	Collnarra	4	David	Chidgey	Run
540	Collnarra	4	Dean	Hyland	Swim
540	Collnarra	4	Patrick	Nicol	Board
541	Castle Hill Gold	4	Robert	Little	Board
541	Castle Hill Gold	4	Jason	Catania	Run
541	Castle Hill Gold	4	Charles	Domin	Ski
541	Castle Hill Gold	4	Damian	Oswald	Swim
542	3 Guys and a Gal	4	Nick	Edmonds	Board
542	3 Guys and a Gal	4	Daniel	Mulcahy	Run

542	3 Guys and a Gal	4	Victoria	Sweetman	Swim
542	3 Guys and a Gal	4	Trent	Herring	Ski
543	Vikings	4	John	Bonning	Swim
543	Vikings	4	Laurie	Hallinan	Run
543	Vikings	4	Shaun	Landon	Board
543	Vikings	4	Vance	Murphy	Ski
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545	Team Lexmark	4	Michael	Manton	Ski
545	Team Lexmark	4	Paul	Wotherspoon	Board
545	Team Lexmark	4	Mark	Clough	Swim
545	Team Lexmark	4	Jason	Shortis	Run
546	Tangles & Mangles	2	Adam	Dew	Board, Swim
546	Tangles & Mangles	2	Robert	Harney	Ski, Run
547	Southport 1	4	Carl	Heyward	Board
547	Southport 1	4	Jonathan	Moorfoot	Swim
547	Southport 1	4	Derrick	Porsche	Ski
547	Southport 1	4	Rob	Harris	Run
548	Queenscliff	4	Ryan	Susans	Run
548	Queenscliff	4	Nick	Holt	Ski
548	Queenscliff	4	Tom	Atkinson	Board
548	Queenscliff	4	Saxon	Bird	Swim
549	Orewa Blue	4	Jed	Franich	Run
549	Orewa Blue	4	Jacob	Lennane-Henry	Ski
549	Orewa Blue	4	Brad	Shanks	Board
549	Orewa Blue	4	Hayden	Vickers	Swim
550	Northcliffe Under 17 Cookie Monsters	4	Callum	Booth	Board
550	Northcliffe Under 17 Cookie Monsters	4	Jordan	Cooke-Lablache	Run
550	Northcliffe Under 17 Cookie Monsters	4	Jordan	Hart	Swim
550	Northcliffe Under 17 Cookie Monsters	4	Jack	Murphy	Ski
551	Noosa Oldies	4	Brendan	Wenke	Run
551	Noosa Oldies	4	Ross	Fisher	Board
551	Noosa Oldies	4	Peter	French	Ski
551	Noosa Oldies	4	Anthony	Lemarseny	Swim
552	Monal Vale Z	4	Rodney	Boss	Run
552	Monal Vale Z	4	Kai	Cooper	Board
552	Monal Vale Z	4	Stephen	Hart	Swim
552	Monal Vale Z	4	Tim	Jones	Ski
553	Maroochydore - Team 2	4	Kevin	Gillard	Board
553	Maroochydore - Team 2	4	Ridge	Grimsey	Swim
553	Maroochydore - Team 2	4	Stuart	Louth	Run
553	Maroochydore - Team 2	4	Jeffrey	O'Connor	Ski
554	Manly	4	Murray	Stewart	Ski
554	Manly	4	Jonathon	Stock	Board
554	Manly	4	Lee	Wallace	Run
554	MANLY	4	Trent	Klouzal	Swim
555	Hell boy and the hell kids	4	Dean	Buttel	Board
555	Hell boy and the hell kids	4	Ali	Day	Swim
555	Hell boy and the hell kids	4	Michael	Fox	Run
555	Hell boy and the hell kids	4	Hayden	White	Ski
556	Freshie Fighters	4	Michael	Kirkby	Board

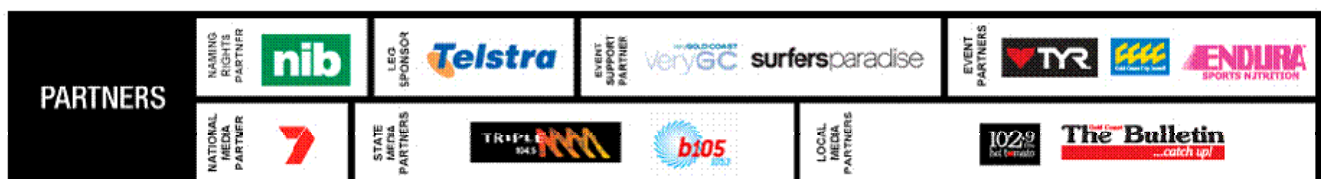
556	Freshie Fighters	4	Ben	Kirkby	Run
556	Freshie Fighters	4	Matt	Malone	Swim
556	Freshie Fighters	4	Tim	Munro	Ski
557	Endeavour1	4	Adrian	Hondros	Run
557	Endeavour1	4	David	Pourre	Board
557	Endeavour1	4	Paul	Fog	Swim
557	Endeavour1	4	Iain	Rogers	Ski
558	Dee Why Colts	4	Robert	Cheney	Board
558	Dee Why Colts	4	Chris	Morgan	Swim
558	Dee Why Colts	4	Martin	Quinn	Run
558	Dee Why Colts	4	Bruce	Taylor	Ski
559	Currumbin Coolcats	4	Joel	Andrews	Run
559	Currumbin Coolcats	4	Geoffrey	Bonning	Swim
559	Currumbin Coolcats	4	Daniel	Cowper	Ski
559	Currumbin Coolcats	4	Jake	Ethell	Board
560	Cooly Masters	2	Stuart	Hogben	Ski, Board
560	Cooly Masters	2	Rick	Van Kampen	Run, Swim
561	Collaroy	4	Shane	Armstrong	Board
561	Collaroy	4	Gregg	Armstrong	Run
561	Collaroy	4	Matthew	Gittoes	Ski
561	Collaroy	4	Mitchell	Trim	Swim
562	Brownies	4	Colin	Brown	Ski
562	Brownies	4	Carmel	Brown	Run
562	Brownies	4	Harriet	Brown	Board
562	Brownies	4	Alexandra	Brown	Swim
563	Narrabeenoldboys	4	David	Lawler	Ski
563	Narrabeenoldboys	4	James	Miller	Swim
563	Narrabeenoldboys	4	Jeremy	Raper	
563	Narrabeenoldboys	4	Matt	White	

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TEAMS - WOMEN					
Number	Team Name	# Members	First Name	Last Name	Leg
601	Southport 2	4	Onika	Newbold	Board
601	Southport 2	4	Letitia	Porche	Ski
601	Southport 2	4	Donna	Sheldon	Run
601	Southport 2	4	Jane	Solomon	Swim
602	Rangas Riots	4	Stephanie	Ballantine	Ski
602	Rangas Riots	4	Alexandra	Cobiac	Swim
602	Rangas Riots	4	Di	Wallace-Ward	Board
602	Rangas Riots	4	Rachel	Matthews	Run
603	Narrabeen Diamonds	4	Sarah	Dempsey	Swim
603	Narrabeen Diamonds	4	Kirsten	Henry	Run
603	Narrabeen Diamonds	4	Skye	Holt	Board
603	Narrabeen Diamonds	4	Fiona	Russell	Ski
604	Manly Womens B Team	4	Ruth	Kelly	Run
604	Manly Womens B Team	4	Jessica	Glew	Swim
604	Manly Womens B Team	4	Rebecca	Keelan	Ski
604	Manly Womens B Team	4	Samantha	Wood	Ski
605	402 Biatches	3	Brittany	Ashman	Ski
605	402 Biatches	3	Jordan	Freeman	Run
605	402 Biatches	3	Katie	Mulquiney	Swim, Board
606	Kurrawa Krew	4	Madison	Boon	Swim
606	Kurrawa Krew	4	Briana	Newson	Board
606	Kurrawa Krew	4	Wendy	Randle	Run
606	Kurrawa Krew	4	Natasha	Scott	Ski
607	Mermaid Masters	4	Karen	Degnian	Swim
607	Mermaid Masters	4	Renee	Witt	Run
607	Mermaid Masters	4	Sandy	Penman	Board
607	Mermaid Masters	4	Trudy	Holt	Ski
608	Thunder Down Under	4	Bailey	Elliott	Ski
608	Thunder Down Under	4	Courtney	McConnochie	Board
608	Thunder Down Under	4	Jessica	Parr	Swim
608	Thunder Down Under	4	Jacqui	Seebold	Run
609	All Berry Bang	4	Rachel	Dickinson	Run
609	All Berry Bang	4	Natasha	Harrison	Swim
609	All Berry Bang	4	Bronte	Hartland	Board
609	All Berry Bang	4	Madison	Rose	Ski
610	Collaroy Chicks	4	Lauren	Armstrong	Board
610	Collaroy Chicks	4	Kate	McGrath	Ski

610	Collaroy Chicks	4	Emily	McKie	Swim
610	Collaroy Chicks	4	Kelly	Trim	Run
611	Orewa B	4	Helena	Orr	Swim
611	Orewa B	4	Emma	Sisson	Board
611	Orewa B	4	Julie	Sweetman	Ski
611	Orewa B	4	Toni	Burke	Run
612	Rashinol	4	Olivia	Hall	Run
612	Rashinol	4	India	Hancock	Board
612	Rashinol	4	Ashley	Mulhare	Swim
612	Rashinol	4	Rachel	Simper	Ski
613	Freshie 1	4	Reagan	Ellis	Run
613	Freshie 1	4	Kim	Low	Ski
613	Freshie 1	4	Alisha	Miller	Swim
613	Freshie 1	4	Brooke	Miller	Board
614	Maroochydore Swans	4	Alyce	Burnett	Ski
614	Maroochydore Swans	4	Jean	Harris	Swim
614	Maroochydore Swans	4	Erica	Ricketts	Run
614	Maroochydore Swans	4	Phoebe	Tessman	Board
615	Freshie A	4	Katherine	Conder	Board
615	Freshie A	4	Jennifer	Conder	Run
615	Freshie A	4	Rachel	Crerar	Ski
615	Freshie A	4	Georgia	Miller	Swim
616	Manly Girls	4	Jo	Brigden-Jones	Ski
616	Manly Girls	4	Florence	Epper	Board
616	Manly Girls	4	Naomi	Flood	Swim
616	Manly Girls	4	Nicole	Robb	Run
617	North Bondi	4	Becci	Gardiner	Board
617	North Bondi	4	Siobhan	McCarthy	Run
617	North Bondi	4	Madeline	Palfrey	Swim
617	North Bondi	4	Julia	Tyrrell	Ski
618	Orewa A	4	Georgia Rose	Butt	Board
618	Orewa A	4	Rachel	Clarke	Ski
618	Orewa A	4	Aimie	Sisson	Swim
618	Orewa A	4	Tessa	Truebridge-Bassett	Run




THE ONES TO WATCH – OPEN MEN

#3 DEFENDING CHAMPION, CAINE ECKSTEIN Northcliffe SLSC (QLD) WEARING DEFENDING CHAMPION SINGLET (Titanium)		
	DEFENDING CHAMPION	OPEN MEN


CAINE ECKSTEIN		
NICK NAME	Snippy	
DOB	16 November 1985	
CLUB	Northcliffe SLSC, QLD	
GOAL 09/10	Win the NIB Coolangatta Gold, win Dubai Shamaal Ski Race	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	2 x Coolangatta Gold Champion (2005,2008)	
COACH	Denis Cotterell, Pat O'Keeffe and Myself	
HERO	Dad	
YRS COMPETED CG	2005, 2008	
DID YOU KNOW? Caine's late father Billy contested the first two Coolangatta Golds in 1984 and 1985 and his mother Donna will also contest this years race.		

NATHAN SMITH		
NICK NAME	Smitdog	
DOB	16 February 1981	
CLUB	Northcliffe SLSC, QLD	
GOAL 09/10	Complete the Coolangatta Gold, Medal at State, Australian and World Championships	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	Winning Australian Open Ironman 05, Winning Australian Taplin and Surf teams 09, Representing Australia at various International competitions	
COACH	Craig Stevens	
HERO	Anyone who gives it their all	
YRS COMPETED CG	2006, 2008	
DID YOU KNOW? Is coached by two-time Olympic 1500m swimmer Craig Stevens.		


MATT POOLE		
NICK NAME	Pooley	
DOB	20 May 1988	
CLUB	Mooloolaba SLSC, QLD	
GOAL 09/10	To win the nib Coolangatta Gold , KNG series and Australian open ironman	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	Won Australian U17& U19 ironman titles, won round 4 KNG 2009 , finished 3rd in KNG series 2009 , represented Australia in Japan in Sanyo Bussan championships 07	
COACH	Michael King	
HERO	Roger Federer	
YRS COMPETED CG	2007, 2008	
DID YOU KNOW? Is coached by 1991 Coolangatta Gold winner Michael King.		

DEAN MERCER		
NICK NAME	Deano	
DOB	24 November 1969	
CLUB	Northcliffe SLSC, QLD	
GOAL 09/10	Great nib Coolangatta Gold race	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	Two times Australian Ironman champion	
COACH	Pat O'Keefe	
HERO	-	
YRS COMPETED CG	1991, 1992, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008	


DID YOU KNOW? Is married to former Australian Ironwoman champion Reen Corbett.

CORY HILL		
NICK NAME	Hill	
DOB	24 April 1989	
CLUB	Northcliffe SLSC, QLD	
GOAL 09/10	Aussies Ironman final and to make the KNG Series	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	10 th 2008 nib Coolangatta Gold, State team representation	
COACH	Pat O'Keefe, Denis Cotterell, Barry Newman, Gavin Hill	
HERO	-	
YRS COMPETED CG	2007, 2008	

DID YOU KNOW? Cory's father Gavin Hill won two Australian open board relay titles with Surfers Paradise in 1984 and 1985.



ANDREW MOSEL		
NICK NAME	Mozzie	
DOB	16 April 1981	
CLUB	City of Perth SLSC, WA	
GOAL 09/10	Top ten nib Coolangatta Gold	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	6 x WA State Board Champ, 3 x WA Ironman Champ	
COACH	Ric Turner	
HERO	Danny Green	
YRS COMPETED CG	2006, 2007, 2008	

DID YOU KNOW? Andrew is the World 2km soft sand run champion.

JOSH MINOGUE		
NICK NAME	Joshy	
DOB	22 May 1987	
CLUB	Mooloolaba SLSC, QLD	
GOAL 09/10	Top ten nib Coolangatta Gold	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	Australian Swim team member 2005-2007. U/16 and 1/19 Australian surf race champion. Australian 200m butterfly champion u/14 and u/15	
COACH	Michael King	
HERO	Mercer boys, Kenny Monk, Ryan Lochte	
YRS COMPETED CG	2008	

DID YOU KNOW? Won the prestigious 2008 Lorne Pier to Pub open water swim.


THE ONES TO WATCH – OPEN WOMEN


#8 DEFENDING CHAMPION, HAYLEY BATEUP Kurrawa SLSC (QLD) WEARING DEFENDING CHAMPION SINGLET (Titanium)		
	DEFENDING CHAMPION	OPEN WOMEN

HAYLEY BATEUP		
NICK NAME	Nitro	
DOB	9 January 1980	
CLUB	Kurrawa SLSC, QLD	
GOAL 09/10	Win my fourth nib Coolangatta Gold	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	Australian Ironwoman champion and three times runner up	
COACH	Phil Clayton	
HERO	Chi Chi	
YRS COMPETED CG	2005, 2006, 2008	
DID YOU KNOW? Hayley played 'Nitro' in the Channel Seven series Gladiators.		











COURTNEY HANCOCK		
NICK NAME	Courtz	
DOB	3 August 1988	
CLUB	Northcliffe SLSC, QLD	
GOAL 09/10	Do my best	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	World and Australian Open Swim Champion in 2008/09, Queensland Ironwoman and Board Champion in 2009, Queensland Ocean Assault Ironwoman Champion in 2009	
COACH	Pat O'Keefe	
HERO	Karla Gilbert and Kristy Harris	
YRS COMPETED CG	2007, 2008	
DID YOU KNOW? Hails from Sawtell on the NSW north coast.		

ALICIA MARRIOTT		
NICK NAME	Leisy, Mazza, Al	
DOB	2 January 1986	
CLUB	Mooloolaba SLSC, QLD	
GOAL 09/10	Compete well in the nib Coolangatta Gold, Kellogg's Nutri-Grain series and Aussie Titles	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	Winning both 2008 Australian Ironwomen Title and 2007 nib Coolangatta Gold	
COACH	Michael King	
HERO	Anna Meares	
YRS COMPETED CG	2007	
DID YOU KNOW? Works as physiotherapist on the Sunshine Coast.		

ELIZABETH PLUIMERS		
NICK NAME	Bit	
DOB	25 October 1986	
CLUB	Northcliffe, QLD	
GOAL 09/10	Podium finish nib Coolangatta Gold & KNG Series, Gold medal at the Aussies	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	World Board Champion, Kellogg's Nutri-Grain Champion 2008, 6x Gold Medals in one Australian Titles	
COACH	Pat O'Keefe, Dennis Cotterell, Barry Newman, Dan Nor	
HERO	Lance Armstrong	
YRS COMPETED CG	2005, 2006, 2007	
DID YOU KNOW? Is a former country girl from Warwick.		

ALLIRA RICHARDSON		
NICK NAME	Leir	
DOB	18 February 1987	
CLUB	Mooloolaba, QLD	
GOAL 09/10	Top 10 in nib Coolangatta and top six in the Kellogg's Nutri-Grain Series	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	Winning the Australian Open Board Championship	
COACH	Michael King	
HERO	My parents	
YRS COMPETED CG	First time	
DID YOU KNOW? Has transferred from Maroochydore to Mooloolaba this year.		

JASMIN KELLY		
NICK NAME	Jazzy Wazzy Woo	
DOB	27 October 1978	
CLUB	Kurrawa, QLD	
GOAL 09/10	Nib Coolangatta Gold - Top 5, Aussies Ski title, Molokai Ski Race	
GREATEST SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT	Australian Ski Champion, 2nd Ski World Title, 2 x Molokai Ski Champion, 4 x Molokai Outrigger Champion	
COACH	Phil Clayton	
HERO	My dog Frankenfurter	
YRS COMPETED CG		
DID YOU KNOW? Jasmin is Hayley Bateup's training partner.		

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