

2012 Southern Ocean Classic Mile Swim

Sunday 8 April at 10am Ocean Beach

Ocean Beach turned out its best weather on Easter Sunday with a warm 26 degrees, a south Easterly 10km wind and a slightly choppy ocean. It couldn't get any better.

There were 119 registrations and 115 completed the swim.

Event Winner:	Paul Laver	23min 02 secs
1 st Female	Carolyn Gorrick	26min 53 secs
2 nd Female	Caitlyn James	29min 7 secs
3 rd Female	Emily Chetwin	29min 8 secs
1 st Male	Rory Pilgrim	27min 25 secs
2 nd Male	Daniel Andrew	27min 39 secs
3 rd Male	Michael Swaddle	27min 31 secs

Age Category Winners

13 - 17 years	DD Atkinson	30min 02 secs
18 - 24 years	Daniel Peters	29m 34s
25 - 29 years	Karl Hennig	27m 42s
30 - 34 years	Jonathon Van Hazel	29m 4s
35 - 39 years	Jullian Gibbins	34m 3s
40 - 44 years	Nicole Hodgson	29m 50s
45 - 49 years	Jon Haines	29m
50 - 54 years	Susan Johnston	32m 6s
55 - 59 years	Gavin Begbie	33m 37s
65 - 69 years	Bruce Wilson	35m 33s
70 years and over	Les Stewart	58m 46s

Julie O'Connor of Alfred Cove won the early registration prize draw of two nights luxury accommodation at Ocean Beach Caravan Park.

Each year we invite the Year 7 students from the Denmark Primary School, to contribute an artwork design based on an ocean theme. Mrs Helen Norwood did a fantastic job of guiding her art students to produce some very creative entries. The competition was won by Ciel Ablett, 2nd design was Bella Pritchard and 3rd design was from Leah-Rose Winter. We have framed all the winning designs and they will be on display in the top club rooms from time to time.

I would like to thank our generous sponsors for supporting our swim:

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Another successful swim and many thanks go to our wonderful Denmark Surf Life Saving Club members and their families.

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