



Muriwai
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Volunteer Lifeguard Service



Annual Report
and Audited Financial Statements

2021 / 2022



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President & Chairman Report 2021-22



Tena Tatau. Nau mai, haere mai.

Ka nui te mihi ki a tatau nei kaitiaki ora me nga kaimahi tautoko. Nau i whai kaha ki te whakahaumarua nga manuhiri katoa i haere mai ki ta tatau nei one rangatira. Ka mau te wehi!

Greetings to us all. Come hither, welcome. A big appreciation to our lifeguards and helpers. It is you who enthusiastically protected and cared for all of the visitors who came to our chiefly beach. Awesome!

The 2021/2022 season highlighted our ability to remain agile across shifting platforms. At a time when many craved the open spaces and beauty of our coastline, our lifeguard teams were called to handle a variety of incidents. As we look back over the season, we are proud to have once again stayed true to our values.

We continue to be a leader in lifeguarding statistics across the nation, with an increase in rescue numbers, preventative actions and first aid attendances compared with the previous season, meaning our 130 active lifeguards were kept busy during their rostered volunteer lifeguard patrol days. Resident rips required vigilant and proactive preventative work to warn beachgoers of the unseen dangers. Over 1.2 million visitors frequented Muriwai Beach during the past year

(based on AK Council vehicle counting data) contributing to the busy season.

We were excited to see our new Rescue Water Craft (RWC) or jetski proving an invaluable addition to our lifeguard equipment, adding its quick and highly maneuverable capability alongside our IRBs. Muriwai also saw the jetski fleet double to two thanks to a donation from a generous local family – thank you for your support of this critical service.

The season continued to see a boost in training across; new guards, RWC and IRB qualifications, and first aid refreshers. A huge thank you to all our instructors who continue to commit their time to ensure the current guards are kept up to date and new guards continually inspired to learn and grow their skills.

Once again, we wish to acknowledge the incredible work the SAR (Search and Rescue) squad do supporting the broader emergency support services 24 hours, 7 days a week. Our squad secured two regional recognition awards for their dedication and service taking out the prestigious 'Rescue of the Year' at the recent SLSNR awards for their efforts in rescuing 11 people and assisting 47 others to safety as a result of the Kumeu Floods on 31 August 2021. The second award went to MVLS SAR Squad lead Glenn Gowthorpe for his 'Outstanding Contribution to Search and Rescue' during the 21/22 season. SAR Squad had a busy season responding to 17 'out of hours' incidents tasked by the NZ Police.

Thank you to our 7 patrol captains who provide balance across leadership, experience, health and safety risk



management, plus ongoing mentorship and skill training to our new guards – shared with plenty of fun & laughs.

The operational crew once again did an outstanding job keeping the fleet of IRBs, jetski & vehicles fully operational, and the first aid room stocked and ready for use. We recognise and appreciate your commitment and passion.

Junior surf: COVID continued to impact however the Sunday programme kicked off with the help of many dedicated parents and keen kids, albeit with a delayed start for the youngest members. Events and camps were once again cancelled with only a few able to be run. The volunteer hours invested by our incredible Nipper team ensures the kids remain excited and inspired to continue in their journey of not only having fun, but tracking to become trained, patrolling lifeguards one day.

This year, Muriwai’s rookie program was run as weekly Sunday sessions at Muriwai where the rookies were

taught and challenged about lifeguard theory along with learning essential practical skills such as rescue and first aid techniques. With Arabella’s passion and commitment to the team, she is confident this group of rookies will go on to become great lifeguards and leaders within the Muriwai community

Financials: The Central Government funding continued to provide certainty and sustainability for our lifesaving gear and equipment ensuring items were kept current and stocked. Full financial review at report end.

Sports: The season saw the relaunch of a senior surf squad – a combination of competitors and those keen to coach. Once again we saw another Covid interrupted season for the club and sports in general, however a passionate group remains in place looking forward to next summer. The Meerkittens U19 women’s boat crew attended a couple of the carnivals that did manage to go ahead - with pleasing results.

Thank you to our management team collectively and individually for the positive and proactive contribution you continue to make. As a team we have experienced a few extra challenges on top of our volunteer management roles – we greatly appreciate your ongoing commitment.

Communications: Thanks to Dirk van der Woerd we saw the introduction of a newsletter throughout the patrol season – which became a highly anticipated weekly update of news, information and great photos. Alongside Dirk’s website updates and annual report we couldn’t be more appreciative. Further thanks are extended also to Anthony O’Meara for proactively covering all our IT and security requirements

Trust news: Muriwai Lifeguard Service Amenities Trust (MLSAT) continued to maintain the surf club facility providing both a fit for purpose operational base for the Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service and a community centre for the local community. The 2021-2022 year once again saw a significant drop in



external hire revenue as a result of the Covid-19 restrictions however MLSAT was able to call on the prudent reserves to keep the facility running.

Diversity, Equity and Inclusion: As a club that values community support and involvement at a high level, we acknowledge the importance of diversity, equity and inclusion in our processes. We continue to develop and educate ourselves in this very important space. The health and safety of our members remains a core priority. Assessing risks with constant review and engagement ensures we provide support where needed to our volunteer teams.

Off season events: In April, we worked with NZ Police and their youth services team, running a beach education session at the club and on the beach, finishing the day with a shared meal. The programme's aim is to empower 'at risk' youth along positive pathways to success. Thanks to the team of guards who helped out on the day. Thanks

also to the amazing team who assisted bringing the Des Vercoe YMCA fun run cup – back into the club's hands.

Sponsors: Thank you to our fantastic sponsors providing invaluable financial backing with a special thanks to PAK'nSAVE Lincoln Road, Trillian Trust, Auckland Council, Foundation North, Lottery Grants Board, BP, DHL, TSB, Surf Life Saving Northern Region, Surf Life Saving NZ, Waimauku Lions, Kumeu Rotary, Hallertau, Cottle Motors, The Hunting Lodge. A big thank you to Brad Hagstrom for his work in the Grants & Sponsorship space.

Acknowledgements and in remembrance: Sadly, the following past and present members passed away. Kelvin Candy, Robin Foubister, Paul von Zalinski, Peter Skerman. We acknowledge and remember them. May they rest in peace.

Congratulations to all the prizewinners at this year's prizegiving following our AGM. Congratulations to all those who won awards at the recent SLSNR event

and at the upcoming SLSNZ event. We have made a strong contribution across all areas. Thank you to Neil Reid for his valuable input and insight assisting with this. New life members: Bryce Pearce and Shane Armitage.

I wish to acknowledge our volunteers who continue to donate their time to ensure the safety of those living in or visiting the local area. Your commitment, passion and efforts are recognised and appreciated.

Ngā mihi

Jo Cooper
MVLS President

Mike Ward
MVLS Chairman



Life Saving Report 2021-22



The 2021/22 season saw a return to 'almost normal' lifeguard patrols for our lifeguards albeit with the inclusion of well-honed protocols to meet the various COVID alert level states and mitigate the spread of COVID-19 within the patrols. Fortunately, our patrols remained relatively healthy numbers-wise which greatly assisted our ability to keep the swimming public and visitors to Muriwai Beach safe. A big effort by all of our volunteers ensured that we maintained a high level of lifeguarding services throughout the season.

The early part of the season was dominated by fairly challenging rip conditions at the beach which saw our rescue and assist numbers spike in October and November, contributing

to the 105 rescues recorded for the season. The resident rips required vigilant and proactive lifeguarding in order to warn unsuspecting beachgoers of the unseen dangers of swimming outside the flagged area. With the huge uptick in people learning to surf post lockdown, a good number of our 105 rescues and 186 assists for the season were performed on exhausted learner surfers who were not keen on a one way trip out to sea on their freshly purchased surfboard.

With approximately 130 active lifeguards covering 56 weekend days and 7 statutory holidays throughout the season, each patrol put in a huge effort to keep the swimming public safe. Alongside the traditional in-

water rescues and swimmer assists, our lifeguards tended to 21 major first aid incidents ranging from dislocated shoulders to broken arms and deep gashes. Alongside the major incidents our teams also tended to 50 minor first aid cases and performed 23 searches for missing children and parents! With over 1.2 million visitors frequenting Muriwai Beach during the past year (based on AK Council vehicle counting data) our lifeguard services are increasingly in demand, requiring longer patrolling hours and surveillance of even greater sections of the beach.

MVLS instructors were busy this past season playing catch-up on critical skills training missed during the disrupted 2020/21 COVID affected season. A large number of Inflatable Rescue Boat Drivers and Crew persons were trained and qualified, significantly bolstering the IRB capability at Muriwai. Additionally, the two Rescue Watercraft (Jet Ski) instructors were busy training not only Muriwai lifeguards to operate the RWC but also spent weekends round the country sharing their skills and knowledge to qualify lifeguards as far away as Dunedin and New Plymouth. Muriwai is now home to a strong RWC capability which compliments the

2021/22 Statistics

Lifeguard hours	8,064
Rescues	103
Assists	185
Major first aid	21
Minor first aid	50
Searches	23
Preventative actions	3680
Persons in preventative actions	20,081





more traditional IRB fleet at our busy beach. Muriwai also saw the Jet Ski fleet double to two jet skis thanks to a donation from a generous local family – thank you for your support of this critical service.

A big thanks must go out again to our seven Patrol Captains who lead our patrols – Damian, Darrell, Amelia, Jason, JT, James and Slim. Our beach would be a very different place

without their professionalism, skills and leadership. Muriwai is a challenging beach to patrol, especially so when the sea conditions provide health and safety challenges to our lifeguards. Patrol captains must conduct careful risk assessment and risk management to ensure that the swimming public are safe and that risks are mitigated and controlled so that our lifeguards are able to perform their tasks in a safe manner. We have lifeguards ranging in

age from 15 yrs old to 65 yrs old, all with varying levels of competence and confidence. The patrol captains are ultimately responsible for the leadership of a safe and successful patrol – Thank you.

Glenn Gowthorpe
Head Lifeguard



SAR Squad Report 2021-22



The Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service SAR Squad had a busy season responding to 17 'out of hours' incidents tasked by the NZ Police.

The call-outs this past year resulted in the squad receiving two 'BP Rescue of the Month' awards and two regional recognition awards for their dedication and service to the local Muriwai Beach community and the over 1.2 million visitors to the beach each year.

The SAR Squad were stoked to be awarded the 'Rescue of the Year' for the Northern Region for their efforts in rescuing 11 people and assisting 47 others to safety as a result of the Kumeu Floods on 31 August 2021. This major flooding event saw 11 SAR Squad members working alongside Police, Fire, CDEM and AK Council staff across the Kumeu, Huapai and Waimauku areas. While flooded streets and paddocks are an unfamiliar environment for lifeguards in an inflatable rescue boat (IRB), the lifeguards were able to transfer their surf skills honed in Muriwai's challenging conditions to the

flooded urban and rural region. Instead of negotiating overhead surf and rocks, the lifeguards had to contend with submerged debris and objects such as fences and letterboxes through to negotiating rapids and dodging floating items such as fridges and shipping containers.

Not only were the squad awarded in the end of season awards but their efforts were mentioned in parliament by the local member of parliament, and the response and learnings were briefed to the SLSNZ SAR Squad Summit in Dunedin.

The second award went to MVLS SAR Squad lead Glenn Gowthorpe for his 'Outstanding Contribution to Search and Rescue' during the 21/22 season. Alongside his leadership of the SAR Squad, Glenn has been involved in many SAR callout responses, resulting

in a number of successful rescues along with positive media coverage for surf lifesaving and the Muriwai club. Glenn also maintained regular and positive relationships with local incident responder organisations such as FENZ, Police, Muriwai First Response, Auckland Council Park Rangers and local iwi.

With many of the SAR Callout responses involving other local community responders, the SAR Squad initiated a strengthening of relationships among local responders and a sharing of response capabilities and skills. The combining of local responders skills and resources will see a further enhancement in the response capabilities at Muriwai Beach and an increased 'local community response' to incidents.



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**RESCUE OF
THE MONTH**

November 2021





While the SAR Squad do their very best to respond and rescue those in need on our challenging coast, there have been a number of incidents where loss of life was unpreventable. During this past season, our SAR Squad lifeguards have been required to search, rescue, resuscitate and recover the bodies of two patients and return them to their grieving families. These responses can be tough, both physically and mentally draining, as well as providing ongoing challenges involved with dealing with death and grief – the Squad are grateful for the support provided by the club and committee as well as support from SLSNR/SLSNZ, NZ Police and the local community as we all rally around each other when tragedy strikes at our fantastic beach.

With the ever increasing number of visitors to Muriwai Beach, the SAR Squad aim to continue to enhance their response options for out of hours call-outs in support of the NZ Police. Part of the squad enhancements this season included the funding of SAR Squad gear such as wetsuits, fins, throw-ropes, drybags, torches etc. This funding was appreciated by our SAR volunteers as our incident responses often involved responding around the Gannet Colony and Maori Bay rocks, sometimes resulting in damage to wetsuits and personal items.

The year ahead will see the SAR Squad continue with their skill enhancements with a focus on preparing lifeguards for flood responses, working more closely

with local responders and enhancing communications across agencies during incident responses.

And remember, if someone is in trouble in the water, call 111 and ask for 'POLICE' – they will activate the Lifeguard SAR Squad.

Kia Kaha

Glenn Gowthorpe
SAR Squad Lead



Rookie Coordinator's Report 2021-22



I'd like to start off by giving a big thanks to the rookies who participated this year and to all the parents that helped out throughout the season.

Despite another disrupted season due to covid I am very proud of these hopeful future lifeguards as every session I was greeted with their big smiles and a willing attitude to learn. I have no doubt that these kids will make excellent lifeguards and am looking forward to seeing them next season as they grow and continue to learn.

Weekly Sunday sessions were run at Muriwai where the rookies were taught and challenged about lifeguard theory along with learning essential practical skills such as rescue and first aid techniques. I enjoyed keeping the sessions as immersive as possible, often running them out of the tower during patrol hours where the rookies would be encouraged to go and attend patrol after the session where they could apply and adjust their newly learnt skills under the watchful eyes of the lifeguards on patrol.

I was very sad to have to cancel this season's rookie camp after multiple

attempts to organise a camp were interrupted by covid, however this didn't seem to deter the kids motivation as they continued to persevere throughout the season with their usual positive attitudes.

Muriwai Mikaere was this season's recipient of rookie of the year. Without failure Muriwai would bring her A game to every one of my sessions, always willing to give new tasks her full effort and developing exponentially throughout the programme. She was a natural leader within the group and I have no doubt she will seamlessly transition into her role as a lifeguard and continue to display these outstanding qualities.

I would like to give a massive thank you to all of the parents involved in this year's rookie programme and an especially big thank you to Caroline Chapman as the team manager. She played a critical role within the programme supporting and managing

not only the rookies but also myself as I settled into this new role, always willing to give me a helping hand. Thank you as well to all the lifeguards who were extremely patient and supportive as they imparted their knowledge to the rookies who joined in on weekend patrols. I am confident that this group of rookies will go on to become great lifeguards and leaders within the Muriwai community and I look forward to seeing them all continue to learn and succeed within the club.

Caroline Chapman
Rookie Coordinator

Arabella Thompson
Rookie Coordinator



Muriwai Surf boats Report 2021-22



Many event cancellations plagued this season, however we still managed to attend a couple of carnivals with pleasing results.

We only had one crew...The Meerkittens under 19 women's.

They attended the Rangitoto Classic and completed it with Nadia and Esther taking on the running to the summit leg.

Hazel Burgess and Amelia Watt made up the crew for the row legs.

We were joined by two new rowers Emma Chapman and Charlotte Mags and competed at the Northern Regionals held at Orewa. The girls rowed well and came away with a silver medal in the long course and bronze in the short course.

The 2 new trailers manufactured in Matamata by Andy Junovich from Whangamata SLSC arrived. Thanks to Brad and the committee for organising this. The disposal of the old rusty trailers is almost completed.

This season has already begun with the Rangitoto classic already under our belt and another two rowers joining the crew Charlotte Barry-Walsh and Chloe Seaman.



The crew is all fired up for this season and I'm expecting good results from this crew.

We are looking to re build the rowing section of the club and will be having a recruitment drive soon.

Muriwai has in recent times represented NZ 6 times and we would like to continue this success.

Danny Tenheuvl
Muriwai Surf Boats



Surf Sports Season Report 2021-22



Season Debrief

This season saw another Covid interrupted season for the club and sports in general. National Junior and Senior Champs were cancelled yet again. However Northern Region did manage to get away some reduced size championships.

The season saw the relaunch of a senior surf squad. The squad was made up of those keen on competing and those keen on helping out with coaching and lifeguarding of the Junior Oceans training squad. The junior squad had amazing attendance as we offered guaranteed schedule that other sports could not in the covid settings.

Pool Champs:

Pool champs training commenced at Millennium and Fools Pools at the end of July. We undertook three of

the 14 week programme before we were shut down for the delta covid outbreak. We had a coach help the 14 seniors then the seniors helped the 20+ juniors with trainings. Northern Region and Nationals were cancelled. Ethan Mckolskey and Mathew Mihaljevich were invited and attended several Northern Region training camps before and after lockdown.

Juniors:

We started training (u14 only) around October when bubbles of 10 were allowed, picking a different beach each week, for swimming only. Our seniors would coach then continue for an hours swim themselves at the conclusion. This carried on for a month or so until SLSNZ and govt guidance allowed for boards to be used and groups to 25 so we included the U12 age group also. We switched permanently to a midweek

base of Long Bay and committed to three months training Monday and Wednesday until Oceans. The groups motto was "Train like we are going to Oceans".

We then extended a Saturday morning Muriwai session to give a total of four weekly session with club day. Midweek training proved massively popular and on occasions once the traffic light system came into play we had in excess of 50 children knee boarding. It was a logistical effort but we could get approximately 40 boards across and back each week.

We had about 30 kids join up. We undertook fun adventures as the Beach Hop, a Christmas themed relay from Whangaparoa to Takapuna by way of ski, board, swim and run. The heroes of this squad were the 10 senior athletes who volunteered six of them for each





session to coach these groups three days per week. These kids gave up at least 400 hours to help the juniors and were loved by the younger kids. We are getting into a position where a couple of these kids could easily be considered for head coach roles at the club within a few years with the right support from the club. The Under 14 athletes in their last year of Junior Surf were primed and encouraged to step into the mentoring role the following year.

Carnival wise we had heavy disruption. The Rangitoto Classic in June was a brief respite, but then the Omaha, Waipu and Piha carnivals were cancelled. A carnival was held at Orewa which proved a big hit with 54 entrants from Muriwai Junior Surf. Fantastic day and conditions ensured the fire was lit for more. Unfortunately with Omicron came the cancellation of the U10 Royale and U12 Northern Region Champs. A shortened version of U14 was held with the club picking up a fabulous eight medals in so few events. Shortly after this we received the news that Oceans would be cancelled in its entirety. In my opinion this was a disappointing outcome given the amount of sports that held nationals this year. The feeling removing kids from an event like this to sit them inside in schools of 2000

is not a safety thing just a logistical impossibility to hold such events. This must be changed going forward if we are to have balance between safety and welfare.

Senior Surf:

The senior squad started with some planning, but this all got blown out of the water with Covid. An early season learn to ski session was well attended. Then the post junior training swims and sessions had around eight kids getting some fitness in. All without their own senior coach. Piha made the offer for any kids to train with them at Takapuna. So Mathew, Ethan and Ocean took that offer up. They were each fitted with a ski from the club house. This training was outstanding. I will give extra credit to Mathew and Ethan here. They really sacrificed two of their Piha trainings per week to help the Junior Squad at Long Bay. Nonetheless progress was made and a team of two attended the Owen Chapman Cup at Red Beach. The boys also completed (after about 50 capsizes) a ski paddle from Whangaparoa to Takapuna after about three sessions to help the Junior Beach Hop.

Three kids took up the board cost share arrangement. We need to look at this moving forward.

After Easterns were cancelled, Northern Regions was held at Muriwai and we had four boys and two girls compete along with the U19 Boaties at Orewa. The Boaties had success with two medals and Ethan McKolskey won an outstanding Gold in the U15 Diamond. Unfortunately covid also struck as after one event Mathew and Ocean suddenly struck ill and withdrew from the remaining events before going onto fail covid tests. Nationals in Christchurch were cancelled but we would not have sent teams though.

For next year despite the ups and downs, I think we have four kids moving up who will compete and then bring the senior team to around 15 will be good progress.

Rob Mihaljevich

Junior Surf Sports Convenor



Junior Surf Report 2021-22



It was always going to be a bit of a strange season given COVID, lockdowns, traffic lights, physical distancing, protection frameworks, and vaccination mandates. But we love a challenge and managed to get a season of Junior Surf under our belts.

With the help of many dedicated parents, and keen kids, our Sunday programme kicked off a little later than normal, and without the morning hui with everyone together inside the club. Instead, folks turned up and went directly to their age group meeting areas. The U14s had already laid all the gear out on the lawn. This meant we could run all the groups at the same time, and keep each group to under 100 people, so we comfortably met our obligations under the covid protection framework.

We delayed the start for our youngest members until the new year and had to cancel the age group camps early in the season, sadly. I believe this approach worked well for our members and avoided having to do what other clubs were doing (running nippers across multiple days, or all day with a different time for each group), or worse still, cancelling nippers for the season altogether.

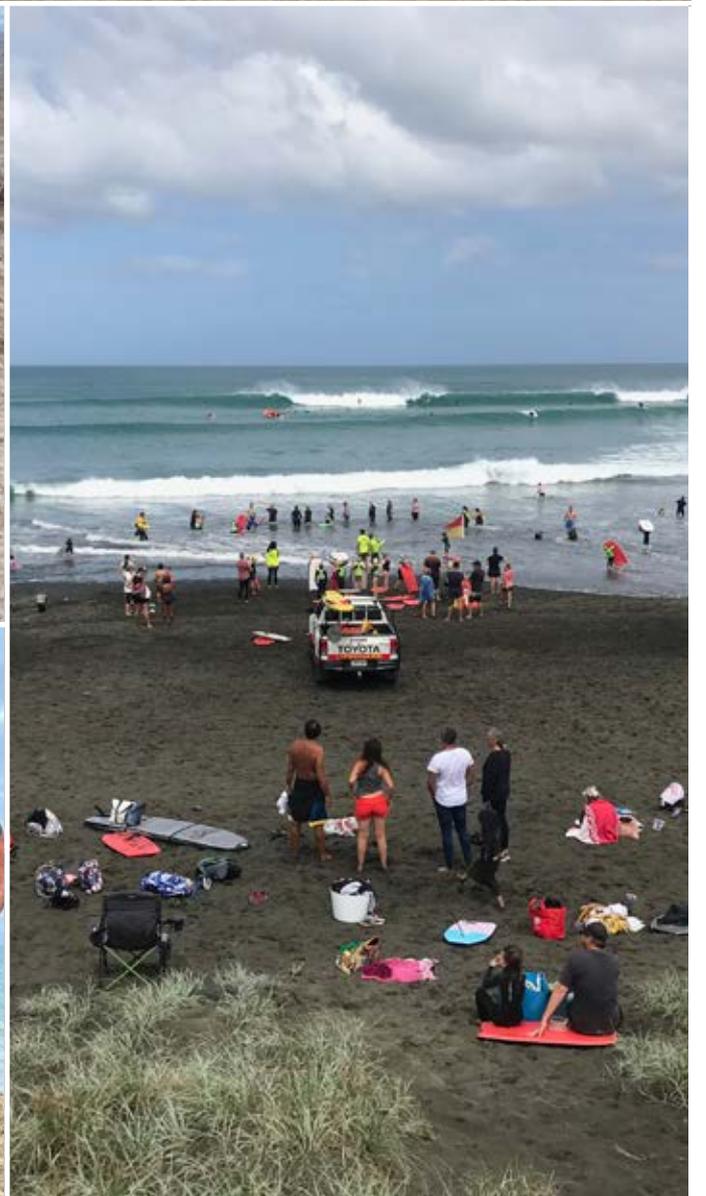
Oceans was also cancelled which was a huge disappointment for everyone who had trained so hard during the season, but none more so than this season's rookies who won't be able to go to Oceans again as they move out of Junior Surf. Conversely, Northern Regions did manage to hold regional champs at Orewa for the U14 kids, albeit a condensed programme. Our kids did incredibly well, representing the club brilliantly, with medals in many events.

Despite no Oceans, we did get a very large group of kids down to the Papamoa Camp, where the mahi put in up to that point really paid off. There were some big seas, and challenging conditions, but everyone gave it their all, had a load of fun, and sharpened their skills. The guest appearance from Strider Wasileski – or someone that looked a lot like him, might have been Ethan McKolskey, no-one knows for sure – topped the camp off, with everyone

leaving in great spirits and looking forward to the next one.

2021-22 Season was the first where a flat membership fee structure of \$75 per person regardless of age was used. At the same time, the Junior Surf Sunday programme was promoted as free to all club members. This helped position club membership in the minds of parents as being part of something bigger – i.e. not paying a fee for their kids to be educated in surf safety, but rather joining a club and receiving lots of benefits, one of which is the free Sunday programme. This helped positively with conversations with some parents who wanted refunds because there were not as many club days as normal.

The Junior Surf programme only works with the help and time from all the parents, and we acknowledge them at prize giving. Two names though that deserve special mention are Rob





Mihaljevich and Evelyn Michael. The hours and hours of work invested into their own kids and those of all Junior Surf families and whanau mean that we have an incredible Nippers programme that is churning out talented, capable and dedicated young lifeguards who are passionate about our beach and the safety of all those that visit it.

Plenty to be proud of from the season, with 12 club days under our belt, a spectacular day for Club Champs, seemingly thousands of mid week training sessions at Long Bay, 200m safety badging sessions at Fools Pools, the inaugural Xmas Beach Hop, and countless personal bests, challenges met, fears and obstacles overcome.

Looking forward to another cracking season in 2022-23.

Richard Duckworth

Junior Surf Lead



Delegate to SLSNR Report 2021-22



Kia Ora

24 months ago, there appeared to be a reasonable chance filing a report as delegate to SLSNR would no longer be required with the position being obsolete.

Covid led delays coupled with the time hungry machinations required for full club consultation, mean progress on the integration with SLSNZ is still at a preliminary stage.

Following on from last year's SLSNR sponsored independent review of the body's structure, a final report was published & widely circulated in September 2021.

There followed a club led forum on the recommendations. A statement of expectation was submitted to SLSNZ seeking clarification on how they envisaged integration or a hybrid version of the same would work. Northern Clubs have given feedback on the response, it was covered in the last Delegates meeting but it is apparent there is much work to be done.

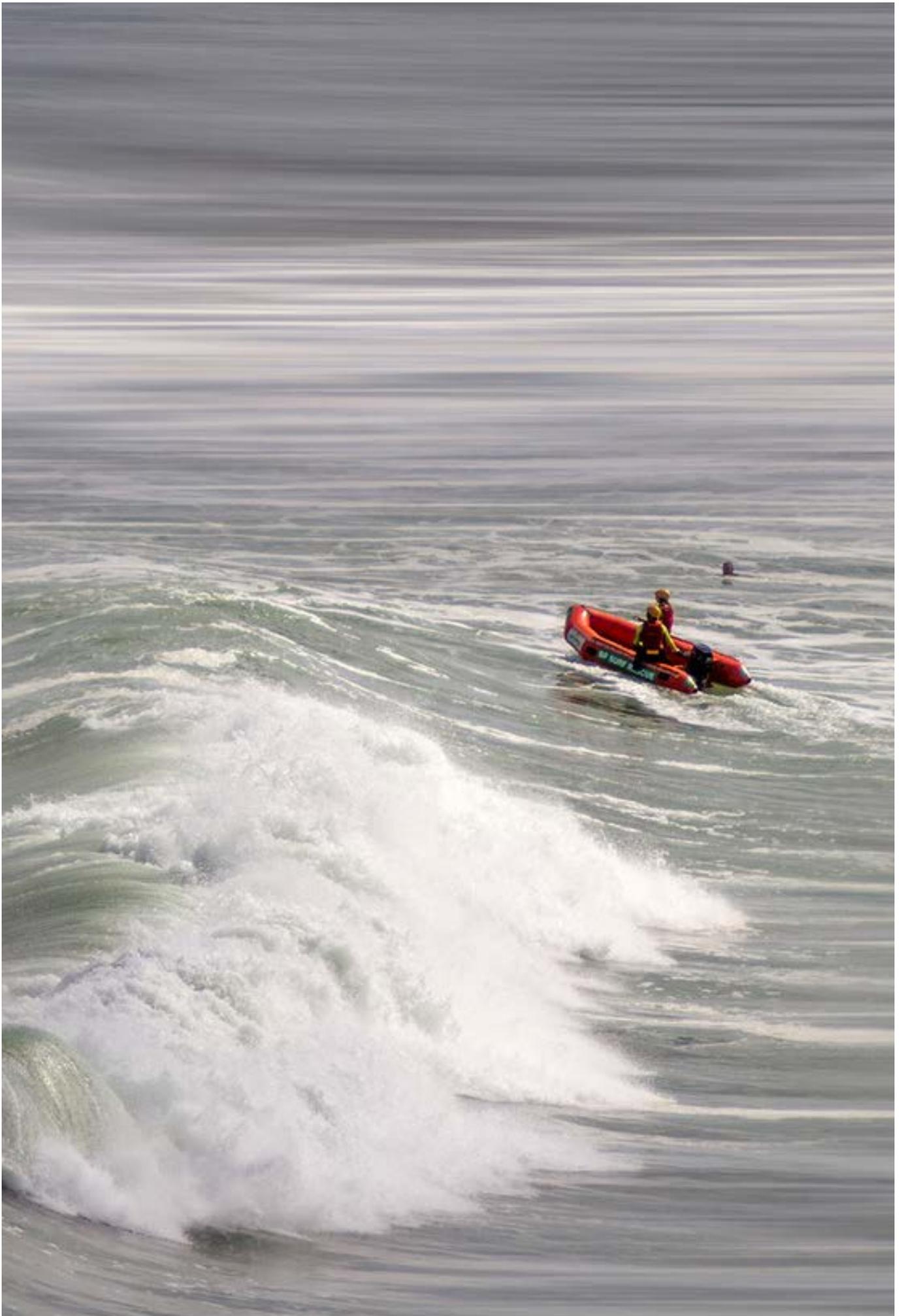
The level of engagement, accord and communication between northern clubs, SLSNR & SLSNZ has been pleasingly positive over the 2021 / 2022 season. Despite the challenges with staffing, presented reports from SLSNR to clubs are of a high level, Delegate meetings more meaningful, attendance is high and usually supported with an

'in person' update from the SLSNZ CEO that includes shaping & informing on Central Government funding.

There were plenty of challenges for SLSNR in 2021 / 2022 & no doubt plenty more to face next season, but the recent slick SLSNR Awards ceremony proved to be a great way to celebrate a season of excellence & the evening was a cracker.

Brendan Barry-Walsh

Delegate to SLSNR



2021/2022 Performance Report



Performance Report

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service Incorporated
For the year ended 30 June 2022

Prepared by Denise Maffey & Associates Ltd

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Entity Information

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service Incorporated For the year ended 30 June 2022

Legal Name of Entity

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service Incorporated

Entity Type and Legal Basis

Incorporated Society

Registration Number

Incorporated Society Number 223780
Charities Registration Number CC38103

Entity's Purpose or Mission

Our purpose is to provide lifesaving, lifeguarding patrol services and other programmes including training and education on beach and water safety.

Entity Structure

The Management Board is responsible for determining the strategies, policies and financial arrangements of the club. The Board is comprised of the following elected members: Chairman, President, Treasurer, Lifesaving Convenor, Membership Convenor, Junior Surf Convenor, and Sport Convenor, and up to two co-opted members.

Main Sources of Entity's Cash and Resources

Our main source of funding our lifesaving operations is grants from SLSNZ and SLSNR. Other income comes from members subscriptions, sponsorship, and trading income from bar and merchandise.

Main Methods Used by Entity to Raise Funds

Our main source of funding our lifesaving operations is grants from SLSNZ and SLSNR. Other income comes from members subscriptions, sponsorship, and trading income from bar operations and merchandise sales

Entity's Reliance on Volunteers and Donated Goods or Services

All lifesaving operations and club committees are run and fully staffed by volunteers. Paid staff are employed for administration, bar operations and sport coaching.

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Approval of Financial Report

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service Incorporated

For the year ended 30 June 2022

The Management Board are pleased to present the approved financial report including the historical financial statements of Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service Incorporated for year ended 30 June 2020.

APPROVED

Michael Ward

Chairperson

Date 19th October 2022

Joanne Cooper

President

Date 19th October 2022

Statement of Service Performance

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service Incorporated For the year ended 30 June 2022

Description of Entity's Outcomes

The key purpose of Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service ("MVLS") is to prevent injury and loss of life on one of Auckland's most popular beaches. MVLS ensures the beach is efficiently and effectively patrolled each weekend by volunteer guards from Labour weekend until Easter. In addition a range of surf sports helps keep members fit and healthy; and MVLS has a strong team of athletes competing in many disciplines across regional, national and international events. MVLS offers beach education initiatives, including an extensive Junior Surf programme, which develops the surf skills of hundreds of children as they work towards becoming lifeguards or becoming safe users of all beaches. MVLS is proud to be part of the Muriwai and greater Rodney community and hold an immense gratitude for each of their sponsors and supporters, without whom the provision of these services would be impossible.

	2022	2021
Description and Quantification of the Entity's Outputs		
Lifeguard Patrolling Hours Supported	8,071	7,808
Number of Rescues	105	34
Number of Preventative Actions	3,680	3,960
Number of Searches	23	10

Description and Quantification of the Entity's Outputs

Volunteer lifeguard hours are recorded each patrol day, these vary from year to year according to the length of the patrol season. Number of rescues, searches and preventative actions is also variable, depending on number of beachgoers, weather, sea conditions and other factors. All data for these outputs is recorded in daily lifeguard reports to SLSNZ and is collated in their Patrol And Memberships database.

Statement of Financial Performance

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service Incorporated For the year ended 30 June 2022

	NOTES	2022	2021
Revenue			
Donations, fundraising and other similar revenue	1	216,330	156,912
Fees, subscriptions and other revenue from members	1	16,613	32,122
Revenue from providing goods or services	1	17,730	71,469
Interest, dividends and other investment revenue	1	102	318
Other revenue	1	30,578	13,687
Total Revenue		281,353	274,507
Expenses			
Costs related to providing goods or service	2	118,249	130,021
Other expenses	2	92,993	137,795
Total Expenses		211,241	267,816
Surplus/(Deficit) for the Year		70,111	6,692

This statement has been audited and should be read in conjunction with the attached Audit Report.

Statement of Financial Position

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service Incorporated As at 30 June 2022

'What the entity owns?' and 'What the entity owes?'

	NOTES	30 JUN 2022	30 JUN 2021
Assets			
Current Assets			
Bank accounts and cash	3	151,784	133,095
Debtors and prepayments	3	82,563	6,926
Inventory	3	7,921	22,363
Total Current Assets		242,268	162,384
Non-Current Assets			
Property, Plant and Equipment	5	120,177	111,494
Investments	3	11,993	11,904
Total Non-Current Assets		132,170	123,397
Total Assets		374,438	285,782
Liabilities			
Current Liabilities			
Creditors and accrued expenses	4	40,689	22,144
Other current liabilities	4	1,000	1,000
Total Current Liabilities		41,689	23,144
Total Liabilities		41,689	23,144
Total Assets less Total Liabilities (Net Assets)		332,749	262,638
Accumulated Funds			
Accumulated surpluses or (deficits)		322,749	252,638
Reserves	7	10,000	10,000
Total Accumulated Funds		332,749	262,638

This statement has been audited and should be read in conjunction with the attached Audit Report.

Statement of Cash Flows

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service Incorporated For the year ended 30 June 2022

	2022	2021
Cash Flows from Operating Activities		
Donations, fundraising and other similar receipts	167,817	180,627
Fees, subscriptions and other receipts from members	24,558	34,050
Receipts from providing goods or services	14,818	77,050
Interest, dividends and other investment receipts	102	318
Cash receipts from other operating activities	29,976	6,440
GST	(11,484)	3,573
Payments to suppliers and employees	(112,947)	(133,409)
Cash flows from other operating activities	(63,067)	(73,051)
Total Cash Flows from Operating Activities	49,773	95,599
Cash Flows from Investing and Financing Activities		
Receipts from sale of property, plant and equipment	11,391	11,892
Payments to acquire property, plant and equipment	(57,077)	(50,800)
Payments to purchase investments	(89)	(314)
Repayments of loans borrowed from other parties	-	(4,667)
Cash flows from other investing and financing activities	14,691	6,492
Total Cash Flows from Investing and Financing Activities	(31,084)	(37,396)
Net Increase/(Decrease) in Cash	18,688	58,203
Bank Accounts and Cash		
Opening cash	133,095	74,893
Closing cash	151,784	133,095
Net change in cash for period	18,688	58,203

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Statement of Accounting Policies

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service Incorporated For the year ended 30 June 2022

Basis of Preparation

The entity has elected to apply PBE SFR-A (NFP) Public Benefit Entity Simple Format Reporting - Accrual (Not-For-Profit) on the basis that it does not have public accountability and has total annual expenses equal to or less than \$2,000,000. All transactions in the Performance Report are reported using the accrual basis of accounting. The Performance Report is prepared under the assumption that the entity will continue to operate in the foreseeable future.

Goods and Services Tax (GST)

The entity is registered for GST. All amounts are stated exclusive of goods and services tax (GST) except for accounts payable and accounts receivable which are stated inclusive of GST.

Income Tax

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service Incorporated is wholly exempt from New Zealand income tax having fully complied with all statutory conditions for these exemptions.

Bank Accounts and Cash

Bank accounts and cash in the Statement of Cash Flows comprise cash balances and bank balances (including short term deposits) with original maturities of 90 days or less.

Changes in Accounting Policies

There have been no changes in accounting policies. Policies have been applied on a consistent basis with those of the previous reporting period.

Notes to the Performance Report

Muriwai Volunteer Lifeguard Service Incorporated For the year ended 30 June 2022

	2022	2021
1. Analysis of Revenue		
Donations, fundraising and other similar revenue		
BBQ fundraising	1,265	3,939
Donations	37,686	5,184
Fundraising	1,500	-
Grant Income	12,960	10,614
SLSNR	7,350	9,481
SLSNZ	132,960	107,694
Sponsorship	22,609	20,000
Total Donations, fundraising and other similar revenue	216,330	156,912
Fees, subscriptions and other revenue from members		
Subscriptions	16,613	32,122
Total Fees, subscriptions and other revenue from members	16,613	32,122
Revenue from providing goods or services		
Bar Income	17,460	67,790
Bar Profit to MLSAT	-	(5,141)
Product Sales	270	8,820
Total Revenue from providing goods or services	17,730	71,469
Interest, dividends and other investment revenue		
Interest Income	102	318
Total Interest, dividends and other investment revenue	102	318
Other revenue		
COVID-19 Wage Subsidy	26,603	6,067
Other Revenue	3,975	7,620
Total Other revenue	30,578	13,687
	2022	2021

2. Analysis of Expenses

Costs related to providing goods or services		
ACC Levies	303	-
Accounting Fee	4,562	1,361
Administration	434	814
Audit Fee	2,750	3,500
Bank Charges	159	471
Bar- Product Costs	9,588	31,470
Bar Wages	35,085	37,441
BBQ Direct Expenses	1,553	2,355
Cleaning & Rubbish	-	23
Communication	650	42

	2022	2021
Depreciation	4,386	7,831
Equipment Rental	-	220
Fundraising Expenses	159	305
General Expenses	-	261
KiwiSaver Employer Contributions	1,041	1,110
Loss on Disposal of Fixed Asset	140	66
Merchandise Purchases	13,904	6,115
Phone	132	270
Printing, Postage & Stationery	304	366
Rates & Insurance	7,019	-
Repairs & Maintenance	80	-
Utilities	36,000	36,000
Total Costs related to providing goods or services	118,249	130,021
Other expenses		
Bar Expenses	2,336	4,348
Junior Surf Camps	1,841	827
Junior Surf Coaching Expenses	7,496	10,294
Junior Surf Competition Entries	(622)	179
Junior Surf Equipment Purchases	-	1,049
Junior Surf General Expenses	736	994
Junior Surf Prize Giving	-	1,156
Junior Surf Repairs & Maintenance	-	2,320
Junior Surf Uniforms	133	(19)
Life Saving Depreciation	20,577	44,255
Life Saving Development	10,257	13,134
Life Saving Equipment Purchase	8,184	5,660
Life Saving First Aid Supplies	4,863	6,512
Life Saving Fuel	6,079	3,860
Life Saving General Expenses	4,229	1,289
Life Saving Repairs & Maintenance	1,383	2,263
Life Saving Uniforms	5,106	4,628
Lifeguard Awards	113	-
Membership Prize Giving	-	2,754
Sport Coaching Expenses	621	-
Sport Competition Entries	(2,400)	751
Sport Depreciation	16,779	29,106
Sport Equipment Purchases	348	-
Sport General Expenses	331	142
Vehicle Expenses	4,605	2,291
Total Other expenses	92,993	137,795
	2022	2021

3. Analysis of Assets

Bank accounts and cash

	2022	2021
ASB Bank Business Saver	8,036	8,023
ASB Bank Junior Surf account	11,207	17,926
ASB Bank Society Cheque	96,443	71,842
ASB Bar Account	15,448	24,654
Petty Cash float	50	50
Till float	600	600
Total Bank accounts and cash	131,784	123,095
Debtors and prepayments		
Accounts Receivable	82,563	6,926
Total Debtors and prepayments	82,563	6,926
Inventory		
Stock on hand - bar product	5,883	6,421
Stock on hand - clothing	2,038	15,942
Total Inventory	7,921	22,363
Investments		
Term Deposit (Val Walton Fund)	11,993	11,904
Total Investments	11,993	11,904

	2022	2021
4. Analysis of Liabilities		
Creditors and accrued expenses		
Accounts Payable	26,311	12,688
Club Gear Bonds	1,485	1,485
GST	11,712	7,039
Income/Payments in Advance	326	326
PAYE Payable	1,065	816
Rounding	-	-
Total Creditors and accrued expenses	40,898	22,353
Other current liabilities		
Loan - The Lifesavers Foundation	1,000	1,000
Total Other current liabilities	1,000	1,000

	2022	2021
5. Property, Plant and Equipment		
Buildings		
Buildings at cost	50,601	50,601
Accumulated depreciation - buildings	(47,014)	(46,548)
Total Buildings	3,587	4,053
Motor Vehicles		
Vehicles owned	100,438	97,318

	2022	2021
Accumulated depreciation - vehicles owned	(64,599)	(67,622)
Total Motor Vehicles	35,839	29,696
Other Fixed Assets		
Owned fixed assets	988,601	968,795
Accumulated depreciation - fixed assets owned	(907,850)	(891,051)
Total Other Fixed Assets	80,751	77,745
Total Property, Plant and Equipment	120,177	111,494

All fixed assets are recorded at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is calculated over the estimated useful life of the asset.

	2022	2021
6. Accumulated Funds		
Accumulated Funds		
Opening Balance	262,638	255,946
Accumulated surpluses or (deficits)	70,111	6,692
Total Accumulated Funds	332,749	262,638
Total Accumulated Funds	332,749	262,638

	2022	2021
7. Breakdown of Reserves		
Reserves		
Val Walton Fund	10,000	10,000
Total Reserves	10,000	10,000

8. Commitments

There are no commitments as at 30 June 2020 (Last year - nil).

9. Contingent Liabilities and Guarantees

There are no contingent liabilities or guaranties as at 30 June 2020 last year-nil.

	2022	2021
10. Related Parties		
Receivables		
Muriwai Lifeguard Service Amenities Trust	-	-
Total Receivables	-	-
Payables		
Muriwai Lifeguard Service Amenities Trust	-	7,692
Total Payables	-	7,692

Sales

	2022	2021
Muriwai Lifeguard Service Amenities Trust	-	-
Total Sales	-	-
Purchases		
Muriwai Lifeguard Service Amenities Trust	-	7,692
Total Purchases	-	7,692

11. Related Parties

Muriwai Lifeguard Services Amenities Trust (MLSAT) is the owner of The Surf Club at Muriwai building and as such, the club's landlord. The club pays MLSAT for rent of the building and utilities, and MLSAT pays the club for bar services provided to hirers of the venue. The club Chairman and one other member serve as trustees on the Board of Muriwai Lifeguard Services Amenities Trust.

12. Events After the Balance Date

There were no events that have occurred after the balance date that would have a material impact on the Performance Report (Last year - nil).

13. Ability to Continue Operating

The entity will continue to operate for the foreseeable future.





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