# Aussi Rockingham Newsletter December 2004

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for the year and it's very close to Christmas, so this will have to be a short and sweet one. Hope you all have a safe and happy Christmas, and a happy new year.

## Recent Events

Sealanes swim thru

On the 11<sup>th</sup> December June, Adam andLiz and Vanessa battled strong winds and heavy seas to swim the annual Sealanes

Swim Thru. From all accounts it was hard work. Adam had a baptism of fire as it was his first open water swim – I don't think it's turned off too much though. June had to fight to keep her goggles on, but came out of the water saying "that was great fun" while everyone else was gasping for air and wondering why they put themselves through it.

# BATHERS AND SHIRTS ORDER

There may still be time to put in your order – See June ASAP!!!!!

June has all the details and brochures to peruse.

# **COMINGS AND GOINGS**

Rebekah popped over to Melbourne for last weekend and Noreen (who is also my mother for those who don't know) is heading East to spend Christmas with my youngest sister – (No, Not the one we brought to Liz's)

Happy Birthday Michelle, Des, (and yes I'm a Capricorn too!)



# **CHRISTMAS FUNCTION**

Thanks to Liz and Paul for sharing their beautiful home and surroundings with us. What a great night this was, fantastic setting, great company (I'm not sure which was more pleasant the birds, the Alpacas or the people) a really, really lovely evening.

Thankyou Paul for cooking up a feast to perfection and entertaining us with your fascinating stories.

### **NEW TRAINING TIMES & VENUE**

We have been given a well earned break for the festive period from 23<sup>rd</sup> December Training will resume on Tuesday Jan 4<sup>th</sup> 2005

With the New Year almost here that means fees are due again. I'm sure Adam is eager to start taking our money. It would be great if we could all be paid up financial members by the end of January, so lets give him plenty of work. Just in case you don't know how much to pay, the fees are on the next page.

**Registration Fees.** Fees are due from the 1<sup>st</sup> January 2005 for renewing members as follows:

### Renewing:

Non Concession \$70.00 1/1/05 - 31/12/05 Concession \$60.00 1/1/05 - 31/12/05

**New Member**Non Concession \$85.00 1/9/05 – 31/12

Non Concession \$85.00 1/9/05 – 31/12/05 Concession \$75.00 1/9/05 – 31/12/05

And while I'm on the subject of giving Adam your money, books of 10~x entry tickets for the Council Ave pool can now be purchased for \$20.00.

### **FUTURE EVENTS**

We are planning to send a team or two down to the Busselton Jetty swim Feb 6<sup>th</sup> 2005. As it starts early in the morning we were thinking of making a weekend of it and hope to head down to Busselton the day before to party beforehand. Liz is looking into the possibility of booking some accommodation in the local caravan parks, but as this is a popular event we will need to book and pay promptly. Please let Liz or June know if you're interested. Should be great fun. Even if you don't want to swim why not come and support your team mates and have fun as well.

### **NEXT MEETING**

# January 16th 2005

At Eleanor's place

Read this question, come up with an answer and then scroll down to the bottom for the result. This is not a trick question. It is as it reads.

No one I know has got it right.

A woman, while at the funeral of her own mother, met this guy whom she did not know. She thought this guy was amazing, so much her dream guy she believed him to be, that she fell in love with him right there, but never asked for his number and could not find him.

A few days later she killed her sister.

>>Question

What is her motive for killing her sister?

>>[Give this some thought before
you answer]

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>>Answer

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>>She was hoping the guy would appear at the funeral again. If you

>>answered this

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>>correctly, you think like a psychopath. This was a test by a famous

>>American Psychologist used to test if one has the same mentality as a

>>killer.

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>>Many arrested serial killers took part in the test and answered the

>>question correctly.

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>>If you didn't answer the question correctly, good for you.

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>>If you got the answer correct, please let me know so I can take you

>>off my email list, unless of
course that will upset you, then
I'll

>>just be extra nice to you instead.

Thanks Liz for helping fill this month's newsletter!!

Practising for the Rottnest Channel Swim

(I'm the support person!!!!!)



June & Ross

