



**SWANBOURNE NEDLANDS  
SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB**

**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2022 @ 10.15 am**

## **NEW BRONZE MEDALLION TROPHY EVENT 2021/22**

### **Quick New Bronze Medallion Trophy Q&A**

Q - What's the difference between Club Championships and the New Bronze Medallion Trophy?

A - The events are the same, but for you 4 of the events also count toward the New Bronze Medallion Trophy.

Q - Are the 4 events for the New Bronze Medallion Trophy and the Club Championships held separately?

A - The surf race, run swim run and long run will be held as a combined event.

A - Then the positions for the New Bronze Medallion Trophy will be separated out.

A - ie If New Bronze Medallion Trophy participants come 4th, 7th and 9th in the surf race, they are awarded 1st, 2nd and 3rd in the New Bronze Medallion Trophy.

A - The board race may be held separately if the number of competitors in the Club Championships board race requires the running of heats.

A - In this instance you will be able to do both the New Bronze Medallion Trophy board race and the Club Championships board race.

Q - Can I borrow a Club board for the board race?

A - Yes, see Cherie Rogers (Surf Sports Manager) or Amy Jackson (Craft Officer) or ask other competitors on the beach on the day.

Q - Can I do the other Club Championships events that are not in the New Bronze Medallion Trophy?

A - Yes, you are encouraged to compete in as many Club Championships events as you can.

Q - Can I still win a Club Championships event?

A - Yes, if you win an event, you win the Club Championship for that event as well as the New Bronze Medallion Trophy for that event.

Q - Will I be able to do the New Bronze Medallion Trophy next year?

A - No, you only get one chance to compete in the New Bronze Medallion Trophy, at the Club Championships following gaining your Bronze Medallion.

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Q - Who had the idea for the New Bronze Medallion Trophy?

A - Peter Brigg (Briggy).

Q - Why?

A - To encourage those newly awarded their Bronze Medallion to compete in the Club Championships.

Q - Did Briggy win the New Bronze Medallion Trophy after gaining his Bronze Medallion?

A - No, he gained his Bronze Medallion about 20 years before he thought of the New Bronze Medallion Trophy.

A - However he has won a Club Championships event or two (or n+1).

Q - Is there an actual New Bronze Medallion Trophy?

A - Yes, a large circular piece of jarrah that resembles a 20:1 scale (ie larger) replica of an actual Bronze Medallion.



Q - I still have a question?

A - Ask Tim Tucak (Points Races Officer), Cherie Rogers (Surf Sports Manager) or Peter Brigg (Trophy Instigator).