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## Director Positions

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**Audience:** All Club Members  
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Surf Life Saving Central Coast held their annual election meeting last week and is proud to have appointed the following Directors to our board for a two-year term:

**Matt Slattery of North Avoca SLSC – Branch President**

**Paul Duignan of Copacabana SLSC – Director of Education**

**Hayden Smith of Terrigal SLSC – Director of Surf Sports**

Matt and Paul both continue in their roles for a further two-years, whilst Hayden joins the SLSCC Board of Directors for the first time.

Hayden comes to the board with 35 years' experience in Surf Life Saving and a rich family history in the movement, with his father Paul being a SLSA Hall of Fame inductee. Hayden has won 24 Australian Championship gold medals and has a thorough understanding of the sport at all levels. The professionalism, expertise and knowledge that Hayden has is sure to make a lasting impact on SLSCC for many years and we look forward to working with him.

SLSCC would also like to thank the outgoing Director of Surf Sports, Emma Benson. Emma has shown enthusiasm, perseverance, and creativity in building the surf sports portfolio over the last two years and is largely responsible for the strong position we stand in today, including the introduction of the 'SLSCC Infront Surf Slam', which has seen state-wide elite level competition return to the Central Coast.

The manager positions for the Surf Sports and Education boards will be selected at the next directors meeting in May.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michael Hyslop', with a long horizontal flourish underneath.

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Chief Executive Officer

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