

REST BAY LIFEGUARD CLUB

England & Wales · Charity number 1041392

Details

Status Registered

Legal form Other

Registered 1994-10-12

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

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Activities

Objects: A) THE PREVENTION AND REDUCTION OF LOSS OF LIFE BY DROWNING BY THE PROVISION AND MAINTENANCE OF AN INSHORE RESCUE SERVICE IN THE AREA OF REST BAY BEACH, PORTHCRAWL, MID GLAMORGAN. B) THE ADVANCEMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT BY, IN PARTICULAR: I) THE PROMOTION AND DEVELOPMENT OF BEACH LIFE SAVING METHODS IN ALL THEIR RESPECTS II) THE PROMOTION OF THE WATER SAFETY ASPECT OF ALL BEACH ACTIVITIES III) THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE METHODS OF THE TEACHING AND INSTRUCTION OF THE ABOVE.

Activities: Our main aim is to provide users of Rest Bay beach with the best possible lifeguard service. Training and educating members and the public in beach and water safety. We provide volunteer patrols of Rest Bay beach and train members (age 7 up) in lifesaving skills in order to gain lifesaving awards. Members are also given opportunities to participate in surf lifesaving competitions.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Human Resources, Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space, Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Education/training, Amateur Sport
- **Who:** Children/young People, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** REST BAY, PORTHCAWL
- Bridgend

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£38,612	£30,216	-	-
2023-12-31	£40,926	£38,947	-	-
2022-12-31	£17,851	£23,913	-	-
2021-12-31	£16,718	£9,102	-	-
2020-12-31	£8,369	£10,274	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Matthew Davies	Chair	2017-06-11
ANDY MORGAN		2013-09-04
Arran Bluck		2014-06-01
Chris Page		
JEFFREY GEORGE PAGE		
LESLEY PAGE		
Laura McCloy		2019-06-30
Lisa Davies		2023-04-23
Megan McCloy		2022-04-24
Melanie Taylor		2019-06-30
RICHARD CASTLE		2017-06-11
Sam McCloy		2015-06-01
Stephen Taylor		2016-06-15

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Matt Davies – Chairman

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Annual General Meeting
3pm on 11 May 2025

To be held at Rest Bay Lifeguard Club Station/Club House,
Rest Bay, Porthcawl

Agenda & Minutes

1. Chairman's Welcome - MD

2. Attendees

- Lisa Davies (LD), Rebecca Openshaw Rowe (RR), Andy Morgan (AM), Clare James (CJ), Sarah Morgan (SM), Matthew Davies (MD), Melanie Taylor (MT), Lesley Page (LP), Chris Page (CP), Jeff Page (JP), Steven Taylor (ST), Natasha Evans (NE), Arron Bluck (AB)

Apologies

- Richard Castle (RC), Joeli Patterson (JP), Chris Bluck (CB), Sam McCloy (SM) and Laura McCloy (LM)

3. Overview of previous year - MD

- Last 12 months have been a positive and good year. Successful organised nipper carnival held in Rest Bay and was a huge success and great feedback received. We have scheduled one for 2025.
- Welsh Still Waters, GB's and Beach great results from all sections of the club. The breadth and depth of experience is growing.
- MD thanked all committee members for a first year in Chair and the club has had a successful year

4. Officers Reports:

- **Secretary**

- **Training Officer - AM**

- i. Busy year, lots of awards completed, very strong delivery from all club trainers
- ii. Good year of patrols
- iii. Positive comments received from outside of the club for all athletes who undertook awards
- iv. 14 completed level 1, 10 completed level 2 and 7 completed level 3.
- v. Higher numbers again for this year 2025. Already off to a busy start, with early assessments. There has been significant changes to the award criteria and process. Which we have adapted.
- vi. Ski competency now to be renewed if over 5 years old
- vii. Minimal requirement is now Level 1 to complete.

5. Accounts - CP

- Awaiting final accounts back from the accountants. The service with current accountant is no longer free of charge and likely to be £400+ going forward.
- CP speaking with new accountant who has kindly offered to do accounts FOC
- Last year accounts to be finalised due to change of accountant. Current indications on income and expenditure £38,000 – Income and £30,000 Expenditure, with a £8K balance.
- Last year we broke even - surplus is artificially overstated by £4597 due to SLSA Wales failing to invoice Nipper Stillwaters 2024 £1497 and Nipper Camp 2024 £3100.
- This year not likely to be in the positive due to SLSA Wales 2024 delayed invoicing but targeting to break even.
- Successful fundraising received of £3K
- Halo pool fees have increased in 2025 to £193.20 per 2 hour session and we may need to consider a potential increase in weekly fees in September 2025.
- We need to give 1 months' notice to the pool if not required during the summer months
- CP to circulate accounts once received and upload to the Charity Commission Website once complete.

6. Chairman's Report

- Thanked for everyone's contribution to all members – fantastic year!
- First carnival hosted and good fundraiser

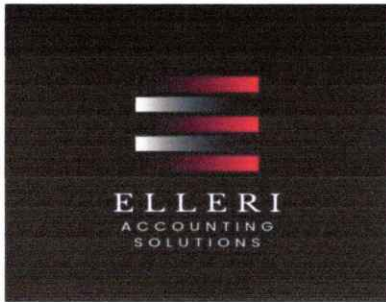
- Safety cover done for the Trident Triathlon, awaiting request again for this year. Donation was made to the club for this.
- Great performance for Welsh, GB for all sections in pool and beach.
- RLSS Wales Commonwealth where there have been recent members to represent Wales
- Team GB selected members for representation
- Recognised Rest Bay members in New Zealand for lifeguards
- Honours board to be updated

7. Election of Officers/Committee – All below have been re-elected for 2025/26

- Chairman – MD
- Vice Chair – ST
- Club Captain – MT
- Secretary – CJ
- Treasurer – CP
- Training officer – AM
- Gear steward – ST, RC and CP
- Child Protection – LP and AB
- Social / Fundraising Secretary – SM
- Membership - LP

8. AOB

9. Closure of Meeting



30th July 2025

Mr C Page
Restbay Lifeguards

Dear Chris

RESTBAY LIFEGUARDS

Please find the Clubs Accounts enclosed, for the year ended 31st December 2024.

Yours sincerely

Ceri Nelson

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REST BAY LIFEGUARD CLUB
RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS ACCOUNT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2024

31.12.23				
£	<u>INCOME RECEIPTS:</u>	£	£	
9743	Membership Subscriptions	6,165		3
12117	Life Saving Training Sessions	20,491		1
1019	Fund Raising and Sales	7,062		4
217	Interest & Dividends	304		
2775	Donations	4,590		2
15055	Grants	-		5
<u>40926</u>	<u>TOTAL RECEIPTS</u>	<u>38612</u>		
	 <u>DIRECT CHARITABLE EXPENDITURE</u>			
465	Building Contents & Rescue Equip Insurance	2245		
872	SLSA/RLSS Fees	3355		2
58	Lifeguard Station Annual Maintenance Costs	387		1
12151	Lifesaving Equip Service/Repairs/Replacement	4280	3&6	
0	Lifeguard Services Capital Projects	0		
3830	SLSA/RLSS/RNLI Training & Awards	9451		4
21359	Competitions/Galas/Carnivals	10062		5
<u>38735</u>		<u>29781</u>		
	 <u>OTHER EXPENDITURE</u>			
214	Sundry Expenses	434		7
<u>38947</u>	<u>TOTAL EXPENDITURE</u>	<u>30216</u>		
 <u>1979</u>	 (Deficit)/Surplus for the year	 <u>8396</u>		

Note

SLSA Wales had at the year end failed to invoice and request payments for two events during 2024. These were Nipper Stillwaters 2024 £1497 and Nipper Camp 2024 £3100. These were paid during 2025 and therefore the surplus for the year is artificially over-stated by £4597 being the total of these two payments.

- 1. AMC Annual Maintenance Cost
- 2. F+I Fees & Insurance
- 3. LSER Lifesaving Equipment & Replacement
- 4. T+A Training & Awards
- 5. CG+C Competitions, Gala's & Carnivals, Fund Raising
- 6. LSES+R Lifesaving Equipment Service & Repairs, Fuel
- 7. SE Sundry Expenses

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14th April 2024



Chris Bluck – Chairman

Annual General Meeting

1. **Attendance:** Chris Bluck, Arran Bluck, Kath Bluck, Charlie Taylor, Steve Taylor, Jeff Page, Lesley Page, Chris Page, Matt Davies, Lisa Davies and Natasha Evans.
2. **Apologies:** Rich Castle, Norah, Hywel, Gareth, Clare James, Joeli Patterson, Laura McCloy, Meg McCloy and Sam McCloy.
3. **Overview from 2023:** Lots of new members, awards and new Welsh caps! Good year and progress. Everyone is happy with what was agreed last year.
4. **Officers Report**
Secretary – Absent

Training Officer (AM) – Last year was very busy, for both the club and the region. AM extended his thanks to the other TA's in the club. AM has asked that a list of those who need awards comes to him ASAP. Club to run two training courses for awards this year. One in the early season and one after the competitions. RNLI have changed their fitness tests to include two parts of the NVBLQ. This shall relieve some of the burden from SLSA Wales. AM or HM to attend to verify training.

Treasurer – Last year's current account problems were recapped. After trying to add CP as a signatory to the Barclays Account, they shut the account down. CP opened a new account with Lloyds to keep up with payments needed. Barclays apologised in the time and reinstated the account, so now the club has two general accounts. JP is still assisting CP with the treasurer duties as part of a handover process. Due to the problems incurred with Barclays, we do not currently have last year's accounts, but these will be presented to the committee as soon as they are available. Card machine has been in use since January 2024 and is making a positive difference within the club.

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5. **Accounts for Accuracy:** Accounts are unavailable at the moment but will be presented to the committee in the next meeting.
6. **Chairman's Report:** CB is standing down as Chairman today. This will be his last meeting in charge. He wanted to thank those who have assisted him over the years. He is very proud to have been a part of the club and its journey, the club is in a good place and it is a good time to step down.
7. **Election of Officers /Committee:** Matt Davies has been appointed the new Chairman. All agreed. All other Officers have been re-elected. Secretary – Clare James, Treasurer – Chris Page and Training Officer – Andy Morgan.

Committee Members: Ollie Griffiths and Simon Diamond have stood down from the committee. A big thank you to all they have done.

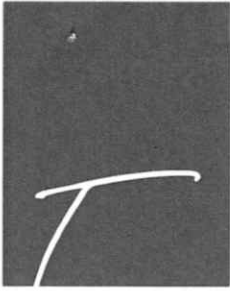
Committee Members 2024: Lesley Page, Meg McCloy, Steve Taylor, Jeff Page, Lisa Davies, Charlie Castle, Natasha Evans, Mel Taylor, Rich Castle, Laura McCloy, Sam McCloy, Arran Bluck, Joeli Patterson.

Chris Bluck to stay on for 6 months to assist Matt Davies in his duties.

8. **AOB:** No business to discuss
9. **Closure of Meeting:** 14:28

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RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS ACCOUNT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2023

<u>31.12.22</u>			
£	<u>INCOME RECEIPTS:</u>	£	£
2850	Membership Subscriptions	9,743	
7851	Life Saving Training Sessions	12,117	
2481	Fund Raising and Sales	1,019	
13	Interest & Dividends	217	
4656	Donations	2,775	
0	Grants	15,055	
<u>17851</u>	<u>TOTAL RECEIPTS</u>	<u>40926</u>	
	 <u>DIRECT CHARITABLE EXPENDITURE</u>		
2098	Building Contents & Rescue Equip Insurance		465
2740	SLSA/RLSS Fees & Insurance		872
505	Lifeguard Station Annual Maintenance Costs		58
6214	Lifesaving Equip Service/Repairs/Replacement		12151
	Lifeguard Services Capital Projects		0
8617	SLSA/RLSS/RNLI Training & Awards		3830
3705	Competitions/Galas/Carnivals		21359
<u>23879</u>			<u>38733</u>
	 <u>OTHER EXPENDITURE</u>		
34	Sundry Expenses		214
<u>23913</u>	<u>TOTAL EXPENDITURE</u>		<u>38947</u>
<u>-6062</u>	(Deficit)/Surplus for the year		<u>1979</u>



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10th September 2024

Dear Jeff

We enclose the Clubs accounts for the year ended 31st December 2023.

Please note there is a Surplus for the year of £1979, compared to a Deficit of £6062 last year.

Donations have decreased as follows:-

	2022	2023
Donation Llan Fawr	-	550
Masonic Donation	-	1250
Barclays Compens	-	275
Encon Donation	-	500
Other	-	200
Donations from members	625	-
BAVO donation	2250	-
Porthcawl Runners	200	-
Wavetrack	1000	-
Stokes and Stokes	50	-
Deli Plus	50	-
Gift aid donations	356	-
Facebook donations	120	-
Give at checkout	5	-
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