



@ValeSLSC

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## ABOUT US

Vale Surf Life Saving Club is a registered charity (no 1178572) established in 2017. We are a family friendly club, affiliated with SLSA Wales and our aims are the promotion and provision of surf lifesaving skills and sport for all ages and abilities. Vale SLSC offers training in water safety, rescue, coaching, resuscitation and first aid and lifesaving activities for training, enjoyment and competitions. We also provide voluntary lifesaving and rescue services in the Vale of Glamorgan. Vale SLSC's main beach/sea training location is at Jackson's Bay, Barry Island and has a base at Barry Yacht Club.

## 2022 - 2023 Summary

Vale SLSC resumed normal training and competition activities during this period, and we saw the club grow further in all membership age groups. Training sessions were well attended, and members of all ages represented Vale SLSC in fun carnivals as well as Welsh and GB championships.

We saw the return of family social events, including the club's annual camping weekend, and charity/fundraising events, including quizzes and bag packing at local supermarkets.

## ACHIEVEMENTS MEMBERSHIP

Current membership for the period sat at 175 members, across the nipper, junior, senior and master age groups.

## AWARDS, COURSES & TRAINING

During this period, we continued to ensure all our members (including coaches) are fully trained in the relevant lifesaving awards to certify safety and competency for both training and competitions. The qualifications include:

- Nipper beach competency
- Lifesaver level 1 & 2
- Ski Competency
- National Vocation Beach Lifeguard Qualification (NVBLQ)

This is an important part of our club activity and supports our members to both train and compete safely, but also to patrol our community beaches. In 2023, we saw a significant increase of members successfully completing awards across the various

lifeguard levels, including the highest award - National Vocational Beach Lifeguard Qualification.

## RESCUES AND FIRST AID

The club carried out voluntary beach and water patrols at Jackson's Bay, Barry Island during July and August. This is a great way to give something back to our local community and qualified members spend the weekends of the summer holidays providing lifeguard cover to the local beach that doesn't have RNLI cover.

## SPORT & COMPETITION

We saw our members across all age groups compete both at interclub level and at the Welsh National and GB championships. This was in the pool and on the beach and throughout the whole year. In September 2023, the sport also saw the Commonwealth Lifesaving Championships take place in Windsor, Canada with athletes competing from all over the Commonwealth, including Australis, South Africa, Hong Kong, Canada and the home nations. Vale SLSC were fortunate to have six athletes representing Wales in the games, as well as Vale members taking up the prestigious Wales Team Manager and Wales coach roles. Wales came fourth in the championships and the Vale athletes brought home a collection of silver and bronze medals.

## CHARITY STRUCTURE

Vale SLSC, also known as Vale Surf Life Saving Club is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation and consists of 6 trustees who are appointed by agreement of the other trustees. The charity is governed by a constitution and the current Trustees on the committee -

**Gemma Ewington** - Chairman  
**Stephanie Williams** - Membership Secretary  
**Alison Woolcock** - Safeguarding Officer  
**Kelsea Peterson** - Club Captain

Other (non-trustee) members of our committee -

**Siôn Ewington** - Treasure  
**Riah Spickett** - Fundraising Officer  
**Jodi Barber** - Nipper Representative  
**Angelina Sanderson-Bellamy** - Club secretary  
**Candice Allam** – Awards officer

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Statement of Financial Activities - Vale SISC														Nov-22	Dec-22	Jan-23	Feb-23	Mar-23	Apr-23	May-23	Jun-23	Jul-23	Aug-23	Sep-23	Oct-23	Total
27/08/2024 16:27														Nov-22	Dec-22	Jan-23	Feb-23	Mar-23	Apr-23	May-23	Jun-23	Jul-23	Aug-23	Sep-23	Oct-23	Total
Income																										
October 2022 Bank Balance														2981.19												2981.19
Membership Donations/Craft Storage Donations														1475.98	1487.5	1739.01	1499.5	1450.5	1612.96	1722.05	1657.51	1575.49	1642.79	2077	1729.25	19669.54
Donations/HMRC																6.15	100				50	200				356.15
Grant funds																									0	
Earned from fundraising activities														89.36	565		414.34	35	5	50.14			26.61			1185.45
Money Transferred from Lloyds Saving Account																				2531.97					500	3031.97
Earned from subs/Anniversary do																										0
Other income including Mipper Camp/Sisa refund															60											60
Earned from club clothing														6.72		191			63	11	36	48	1248.49			1605.21
Earned from club promotion items																										0
Competition Fees															152.7	662.95	673.48	1827.23	283.75		353.48	727.81			4681.4	
Award fees																				165	167				332	
Tuck Shop																				112	24				136	
Total Income														1572.06	2265.2	2599.11	2687.32	3312.73	1964.71	4592.16	2287.99	2551.3	2918.89	2077	2229.25	31057.72
Expenditure																										
SISA Wales Fees/Tidah/Insurance-Mipper Camp+Functions														28.81	28.42	92.05	16.51		140	2384	243	556.48		424		3913.27
Competition fees/Refunds														60	60			3090	960		60	490	699	463	40	5922
Club Clothing																143		26	104	260			1487.98	44		2064.98
Kit (inc repairs)																1780					250		920	700	590	4240
Other fees (pool fees/Cardio core/Mobile phone/Patrols/Bank charges)														5	1165	5	257	1522.75	1581.01	20.97	20.6	20.45	20.57	21.18	1806.76	6446.29
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Other expenses (petrol/fundraising items/building materials)																		17.98		2649.75	521.42		296.42	50	347.55	3883.12
Barry Yacht Club Fees																2809.5						2809.5	21	47	350.36	6037.36
Total Expenditure														93.81	1543.42	4915.55	273.51	4656.73	2795.01	5314.72	1350.02	4076.43	3444.97	1325.18	3628.67	33418.02
Bank Movement for the month														1478.25	721.78	-2316.4	2413.81	-1344	-830.3	-722.56	937.97	-1525.1	-526.08	751.82	-1399.4	-2360.3
Closing bank balance														4459.44	5181.22	2864.78	5278.59	3934.59	3104.29	2381.73	3319.7	1794.57	1268.49	2020.31	620.89	36228.6

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