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Illawarra surf club launch the Centenary of Coalcliff surf life saving with an evening of comedy

Coalcliff Surf Life Saving Club celebrates 100 years of association with surf life saving next summer. On Saturday, 25 February, they will kick off a year of community events celebrating the Centenary of Coalcliff SLSC, starting with an evening that showcases Sydney & Melbourne International Comedy Festival talent locally.

“One of the core values Coalcliff has created over the past 100 years is community. Coalcliff is a fantastic place to be. We must strive to continue to ensure that the surf club is an open and inclusive hub for the community. Our events for the Centenary of Coalcliff will enable the community to engage with us beyond public safety on the beach,” said James McFarlane, President of Coalcliff Surf Life Saving Club.

Comedy for a Cause is excited to host this event in the Pioneer Room at Helensburgh Tradies on Saturday, 25 February 2023. Doors open at 7 pm.

More information about the comedian lineup will be issued shortly. However, if you'd like to get in early, purchase tickets for only \$35 per person and enjoy a fun community fundraising evening for Coalcliff Surf Life Saving Club, visit www.comedyforacause.net/ccs

Do you know any funny or interesting stories about Coalcliff? Do you recall the names of some of the surf shacks you may have owned or visited at Coalcliff? The club is capturing stories and photos for a digitisation project during the Centenary of Coalcliff SLSC. Feel free to reach out to the club via email at events@coalcliffslsc.com.au



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ABOUT COALCLIFF SURF LIFESAVING CLUB

For 100 years, Coalcliff SLSC has provided a caring and family-friendly atmosphere, emphasising surf skills and an enjoyment of the ocean rather than rigorous competition. This laid-back attitude has played a significant part in drawing new members and nippers to the club from an area that exceeds the boundaries of Coalcliff itself.

Coalcliff SLSC hosts regular ocean swim events and the annual Triple-Crown series, which is a series of events that determine the yearly Coalcliff Black Ironperson.

The club's strength, stability, and welcoming attitude have helped position Coalcliff SLSC as a significant focus of the small but gentrifying community of Coalcliff. Please come by our beautiful beach and say hello. You'll always find a friendly face.

For more information, visit www.coalcliffslsc.com.au