



Newsletter

Summer 2014

The summer of 2014 has been full of sun, sea and surf. Catch up on all that happened with the Aberystwyth Surf Life Saving Club Newsletter!

Annual Awards Party, May

On Sunday 11th May, ASLSC celebrated another fantastic year at our Annual Awards Evening held in Aberystwyth Yacht Club. With plenty of tasty food prepared by our club members, a BBQ and a bonfire it was a great evening enjoyed by all. A big thank you to everyone who helped organise this year's party and we're looking forward to an even bigger and better season!



Glengower Annual Charity Raft Race, May

The Glengower Annual Charity Raft Race took place on Sunday 25th May and ASLSC provided lifeguard support along with the RNLI Aberystwyth crew. This year saw 8 wild raft designs race each other all the way from the Glengower Hotel, around Bath rocks to the wooden jetty and back! Although there were a few capsizes along the way, all competitors made it safely back to shore with most rafts intact. Well done to all those who took part and we look forward to next year's event where some of our very own members have vowed to enter the race!

Welsh Championships, June



Aberystwyth Challenge, July

On Saturday 12th July, the Aberystwyth Challenge took place on North Beach. This was the first time an event like this has taken place in Aberystwyth for a long time. People from all over Wales made the long journey to Aber to compete and support including competitors from Newport and Poppit Sands. It was a fantastic day and we caught the attention of many people wandering along the promenade. A big thank you to all those involved in making the event run smoothly and a massive congratulations to all those who took part!



West Wales Championships, July

On Sunday 27th July, ASLSC and their supporters headed down to Poppit Sands to compete in the West Wales Surf Life Saving Championships 2014. After a great turnout at the 2013 event, many of our members were back for more. However, for the majority of our team this year, this was their first ever surf life saving competition. Five clubs competed for the glory of being crowned West Wales Champions including Poppit Sands, Newport and Llanelli. Even though ASLSC were outnumbered by these large clubs, we managed to secure 4th place overall - an amazing achievement by our small but mighty club! It was a day thoroughly enjoyed by all and we are already looking forward to next year. A massive congratulations to all those who competed, and a big thank you to all our supporters.

