

# Clubhouse Update

## Clubhouse OPEN Wed to Sunday

Club Office hours: Wed to Fri | 9am - 3pm

Weekends : 9am - 2pm

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Dear Members,

Please note that from Monday the 18th of December, the club will be open on Monday and Tuesdays from **07h00 to 17h00** until the 7th of January. The club will close at 11h00 on the 24th of December and will remain CLOSED for on Christmas Day to allow staff to spend the day with family.

The highlight of this past weekend was without a doubt the #ChalupskyDay. Which saw supporters from multiple clubs join the call in support of Oscar.

Just in case you missed it last week, we now have a live webcam available for you to check the conditions right in front of the club. You can find live cam links here:

<https://pwsc.co.za/beachcam/>

<https://www.durbanskiboatclub.co.za/beachcam/>

<https://duc.co.za/beachcam/>

If you would like to see your image in the next newsletter, we encourage members to share their club activities with us online by tagging #PWSC or email us at [news@pwsc.co.za](mailto:news@pwsc.co.za) to be featured.



Grant Wessels  
General Manager



# Dates to Diarize

Dates to make note of this month.  
Mark your diary so that you don't miss the action.

- **9th** Freediving Workshop
- **16th** Santa Claus visit
- **17th** DSBC Fishing comp
- **16th** DUCS League Swim
- **16th** DUC League SUP
- **19th** DSBC Tackle Talk
- **21st** DUC Movie Night



## Club Watersport Sections

As a member of DUC or DSBC, you are spoilt for choice on various watersports that are available to you. In the following sections, we'll highlight any special events for these watersports.

- Boating
- Environmental
- Fishing Ski
- Freediving
- Lifesaving
- Open Water Swimming
- Scuba Diving
- Spearfishing
- Stand Up Paddle
- Surf Ski
- Underwater Hockey
- Water Polo



# Social Activities



Catch this weekend's **LIVE ENTERTAINMENT** with Allen Faulty on Saturday, 8 December from 17h30 to 20h30 and Angie Kittel, Sunday 10 December from 13h00 to 16h00!

Mark your calendars for our **Movie Night** coming up on the **21st of December**. This is the first official screening of the documentary, The Last Shark. Tickets are just R50 (includes popcorn and a soft drink). Get your tickets on My Club Account: <https://myclubaccount.co.za/pwsc/ClubEvents>

## SANTA'S VISIT IS COMING SOON!



Rumour has it that a fat fella in a red suit was seen leaving the PWSC offices in the early hours of the morning over the weekend. According to sources in the office, the list of good and naughty kids is missing from the desk drawer of our admin lady? He did leave a note though, saying he would be back on the **16th of December at 09h00** to see the children. Join us for Santa's annual visit. Cost is R35 per child to join in, this includes a treat packet, hot dog & slushie. Tickets available on My Club Account or register at the office.



*Please ensure that all gifts are clearly marked with your child's name and delivered to the PWSC office by 15 December and that the gifts do not exceed R250 in value to make it fair for all the kids.*



# Fishing

## Our December Dorado Comp is around the corner!

Join us on the **17th of December** to chase the bouncing bream in a great social competition with prizes in excess of R15 000!

This comp is the final leg of the Tri-Club series, sponsored by the **CMH Group**, and puts all Durban Ski Boat Club members against anglers from the Umhlanga Ski Boat Club and Rod & Reel Ski Boat Club.

Entry fee is R100 per angler and includes a free braai pack for the braai after the competition.

We hope to see you all there, to ensure DSBC takes the win this year. **SAVE THE DATE!**



# Open Water Swimming

Join the DUCS for the last open water swim of the year! Entry on My Club Account - R65 (included bacon and egg roll). Contact Steven for more info 082 855 5516

PWSC / DUC co hosted the recent Brick Challenge this past weekend. Consisting of 3 separate legs, namely a 1/2/3 km swim, a 5/10/20 km run and a 20/40/80 km cycle.

PWSC proved to be the ideal venue for this unique Triathlon. Together with the DUCS swimming group, there were over 130 swimmers participating in very challenging conditions, and the vibe at the club was full of energy, music and action. We look forward to hosting these events going forward.



# Scuba Diving

Witness the beauty of the underwater world through the lens of the DUC divers, as they present a collection of photographs from their recent Sodwana trip.



# Stand Up Paddle

Join the last SUP League of the year! Our year-end paddle is in three weeks' time, on the public holiday of the **16th December**.

Contact Murray for more info 083 635 9854



**16 DECEMBER 2023**



VENUE: DUC  
TIME: 06H30 for 06h45 START  
DISTANCE: 2.4km  
ENTRY: FREE

FOR MORE DETAILS, WHATSAPP MURRAY ON 0836359854.  
ALL PADDLERS WELCOME, ALL BOARDS WELCOME.  
JOIN US FOR A FUN GROUP PADDLE TO KICKSTART YOUR WEEKEND.

LEASHES COMPULSORY.



# Surf Ski

## No Retreat No Surrender

Oscar Chalupsky is a 12 time Molokai Surfski World champion, winning one of them 29 years after his first win, has Springbok colours for Surfski and lifesaving, he's been to the Olympics, and was a Craven week rugby player. Oscar put South African Surfski paddling on the map, and is recognised by many paddlers around the world as one of the greatest, if not the greatest surfski paddler there has been.

Oscar has been fighting cancer for a number of years and is currently in quite poor health. Anyone who follows paddling on social media would have seen the drive #ChalupskyDay on Saturday 2nd December to support Oscar by wearing yellow, with the catch phrase, 'No Retreat No Surrender', in solidarity with Oscar's fight.

Yellow is the colour worn in support of bone and blood cancer patients which is what Oscar is putting up a big fight to overcome.

Started by a paddler in Puerto Rico posting support for Oscar, other countries have also gotten involved such as Indonesia, Germany, New Zealand, the US, Australia to name a few.

Many clubs across South Africa pulled together to show their support for Oscar with Social media blowing up with Yellow.

DUC paddlers got together for the weekly Geris Saturday paddle, with a drive to garner support for Oscar. Paddlers from Pirates & Marine life saving clubs also joined the call resulting in a massive turn out of paddlers in Yellow on Vetch's beach.

Oscar keep fighting, we're here to support you.





FOOD & BEVERAGE

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# Kitchen Specials Menu

## ALL WEEK

Ribs n' Wings	R150
Big Daddy Breakfast	R95
Fish Stix	R86
Grilled Chicken, Avo, Pineapple & Prawn Salad	R98
PWSC Signature Pizza	R98

## VEGETARIAN OPTIONS

Mediterranean Pasta	R85
Vegetable Stir Fry	R70

## WEDNESDAY 06 DEC

Butter Chicken Curry	R110
Durban Style Mutton Curry	R110
Pulled Pork Quesadilla	R95

## THURSDAY 07 DEC

Roasted Pork Roll	R100
Chicken Roulade	R90

## FRIDAY 08 DEC

Fisherman's Eisbein	R98
Roasted Beef Topside	R100

## SUNDAY 10 DEC

PWSC Sunday Pork Belly	R120
Gammon Ginger & Pineapple Glaced	R100
Peach Cobbler	R35

