

2017 Shipwreck Coast Swim Series - Not For Cows

This year we had an extremely wet spring and the Hopkins was a great sight in full flood.

But what wasn't such a great sight was dead cows washed-up on the beach.

So this year the Shipwreck Coast Swim Series committee and associated surf clubs want to get the water safety message out to our bovine friends that swimming is not a good idea and that they're better suited to land based activities.

And to help spread the message this year we have fantastic "Not for Cows" T-shirts.

So if you want to get one of these and spread the safety message make sure you sign-up for a swim by going to the Swim Series website at <http://www.shipwreckcoastswimseries.com.au>



About the Shipwreck Coast Swim Series

The Shipwreck Coast Swim Series is an initiative between WSLSC, PCSLSC and PFSLSC and has been running since 2004. The series involves three swims in open water at Warrnambool, Port Campbell and Port Fairy. We have also introduced a short course swim at each, the aim of which is to entice novice and beginner swimmers of all ages to have a go at ocean swimming.

Our aim is to build these events into swims with over 300 participants at each venue and to increase the number of visiting or non-local participants.

All venues allow excellent spectator viewing.

Warrnambool: The Tony Ryan Memorial Swim

The Warrnambool Swim is "The Tony Ryan Memorial Swim", in picturesque Lady Bay. The start is to the west of the WSLSC clubhouse and the finish is on the beach at the clubhouse.

Port Fairy

The Port Fairy Swim is "The Port Fairy Moyneyana Open Water Swim", on Port Fairy's East Beach. The course is out through the break, before heading west along the beach and back in to the finish.

Port Campbell

The Port Campbell Swim is "The Twelve Apostles Plunge", in the breathtaking cliff-bound bay of Port Campbell. The course challenges swimmers to a lap of the bay heading out into the open sea between the heads.