



Coronado's own
J.R. Memorial Longboard Surf Classic

November 8, 2008
South Beach at the Shores parking lot – "Shipwrecks"

What is now a much-anticipated surfing event began as a memorial service in 1983 following the death of Jimmy Reilly, a young Coronado man who made many friends during his short life. That first year after Jimmy's passing, friends staged a surfing contest at North Beach. Former pals, grown and living in the far reaches of the world, returned to pay tribute to "J.R." They came from as far as Europe, South America, Australia, and Hawaii. Now, years later, they still come to participate in this special event.

Proceeds from the event support the Coronado Middle School and High School surf teams. Additionally, a college scholarship has been established to be awarded to a graduating CHS senior.

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