

# Circular 1538

## Newcastle Permanent

### U15 Leadership Development Program



**Audience:** Presidents, Directors of Administrators, Directors of Member Services, Rookie Coordinators

**Date:** Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2022

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Summary	The Leadership Development Program aims to provide U15 members with an opportunity to be part of the SLSCC Youth Program. The program is run over multiple workshops throughout the season which will provide participants with a fun and developmental sessions and explore leadership pathways within Surf Life Saving.
Actions	Interested members are to complete the online <a href="https://form.jotform.com/222778916809876">https://form.jotform.com/222778916809876</a> by Sunday the 16th October 2022.

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Clubs are encouraged to promote to all members in the U15s age category to apply. The program will have 30 spots available, 2 participants per club (preferably 1 male and 1 female). If there are vacant positions, these will be able to be filled from a waiting list. The waiting list will be created from clubs prioritising nominated members.

SLSCC presents an intensive pathways and leadership program. The workshops will incorporate activities aimed at developing leadership, communication and networking skills, allowing participants to develop events, functions, and activities that they believe will increase youth participation and satisfaction in Surf Lifesaving on the Central Coast.

Clubs are encouraged to use this program as a method of recognising members who have the potential to develop skills further by working with like-minded youth. The program aims to host multiple workshops throughout the 2022/23 season. Participants will be encouraged, with the support of a youth facilitator, to implement their learned skills and SLS knowledge to take on leadership roles or responsibilities to give back to their clubs' nipper program.

Surf Life Saving Central Coast encourages eligible members to be vaccinated for all Surf Life Saving activities. Surf Life Saving Central Coast will communicate any vaccination requirement updates for all Youth Programs as they arise.

#### Costs

A subsidised cost of \$120 per participant will be invoiced to clubs prior to the program beginning. It is up to each club and participant to agree on how much each party will contribute.

## Date

The timeframe of the Leadership Development program is scheduled below in the table throughout the season.

Dates	Session
6 <sup>th</sup> November	Session 1
13 <sup>th</sup> January	Rookie Challenge
15 <sup>th</sup> January	Session 2

**Nominations Close:** Sunday 16th October 2022 – Interested members are to complete the form; <https://form.jotform.com/222778916809876> . Successful applicants will be notified shortly after this date.

**If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the branch office on 4353 0299 and press 3.**