



Circular 1551

Surf Sports Carnival – Officials Requirements

Audience: All Members, Club Presidents, Directors of Administration and Directors of Surf Sports
Date: Tuesday 13th December 2022
Contact: Michael Hyslop
Phone: 0466 691 090
Email: admin@slscc.com.au

Summary	Highlights the requirements of officials at SLSCC Surf Sport Carnival.
Objective	To inform clubs of the qualifications needed by officials volunteering at local SLSCC Surf Sports Carnivals and the rules around “parent helpers”.
Action	Clubs are required to ensure that the following guidelines are being met when allocating officials to SLSCC Surf Sport events.

Overview

SLSCC has a rich history of running effective and professional surf sports carnivals within our branch each summer. At the core of the efficiency of these carnivals are the host clubs and the officials on the sand.

Our participating clubs have a responsibility to provide officials and water safety for each carnival as highlighted at the beginning of the season in [Circular-1532-202223-Water-Safety-and-Official-Ratios.pdf \(slscc.com.au\)](#).

Unfortunately, SLSCC has seen a decline in qualified officials being nominated for these positions and an increase in ‘parent helpers’. To ensure we keep running carnivals of the highest quality, SLSCC are reminding clubs of their requirements around official allocations.

1. A minimum of 95% of the clubs official ratios for carnivals are to be met by **qualified** officials.
2. If an official role is filled by an unqualified member/parent helper, that member can’t volunteer as an official again without completing the officials course.
3. Officials are to stay in their allocated area for the duration of the carnival.
4. Officials are to register via the Jotform link within the “Final Event Information” which is distributed a few days prior to each carnival.
5. On the day of the carnival, officials are to sign on within the surf club with Toni Jennar prior to 30 minutes before the start of the carnival.

For more information on officials qualifications and courses, please contact the SLSCC Manager of Officials – Toni Jennar – toni@comsman.com.au

SLSCC Surf Sports Board

T: 02 4353 0299
A: 7/4 Teamster Close, Tuggerah, 2259
ABN: 67 048 543 118

Australian for life.

