

Circular

ENTRIES BULLETIN

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TO: Secretaries/Administration
All SLSQ Clubs & Branches
All Branch Directors of Surf Sports
Other Interested Parties

FROM: Paul Purcell – Sport Manager

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SUBJECT: **2012 QLD JUNIOR SURF LIFE SAVING CHAMPIONSHIPS**



ENGINE

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Date: Friday 9th - Sunday 11th March 2012

Where: Maroochydore SLSC

Who: U11-U14 male and female competitors in beach and water events from SLSQ clubs.

Distribution of Bulletin:

It is most important that the information in this Bulletin is brought to the attention of all Carnival Officials, Team Managers, Coaches and Competitors.

Non receipt of this Bulletin will not be taken as an excuse if a Club, Team or Individual does not comply with the requirements outlined in this and other Bulletins and Circulars.

ENTRIES

The method of entry is via SLSQ's "Carnival Manager" for all Queensland Clubs. The name of the event is '2012 Junior State Championships'.

Entry Fee:

\$38 (inc GST) per person unlimited events.

A tax invoice for all SLSQ club entries (including late entries) will be issued to Clubs in the week after the event.

Entries Close:

Midnight Wednesday 29th February 2012

Branch Restricted Entries Close: 5pm Wednesday 29th February 2012

Late Entries Close:

5pm Monday 5th March 2012

NB: no additional entries will be taken after this date. NO EXCEPTIONS.

If you are having problems with entries please let me know before entries close because if you wait till after you will incur a late entry fee.

Late Entry Fee:

\$150 (inc GST) plus \$38 entry fee = \$188 per person.

Entry Conditions:

All Competitors wishing to compete must have the relevant SLSA award for the Age Group/s they wish to compete in by close of entries.

All entered athletes must have completed and signed the SLSA "Application for Membership Form" or their countries relevant document and paid any required membership fees as proof of their eligibility to race.

NB: It is an offence to enter a person who does not meet any of the above requirements, and any irregularities will be considered and dealt with by the SLSQ State Surf Sports Committee accordingly.

Restricted Events:

Clubs will only have access to those events that are unlimited entry when they log onto the Carnival Manager. The restricted entries will only be accessible by the clubs branches and must be completed prior to the close of entries.

Dress of Competitors:

Competition caps MUST be worn in all events for these championships along with club competition swimwear or shorts.

In reference to swim wear please refer to SLSA's Bulletin August 2009 (Document ID # 3/09-10) in reference to "REVIEW OF SLSA SWIMSUIT STANDARDS". www.slsa.asn.au

ADMINISTRATION

Medals/Trophies:

Club point scores will be determined on a 6 point for 1st place down to 1 point for 6th place system across all events. An overall club point score and handicap club point score winner and place getters will be presented with trophies at the completion of competition to the winning clubs Team Managers.

Winners and place getters from each event in each age group will receive State Championship medals and these will be presented on the presentation dais at the event immediately after the completion of their event.

Event List:

Junior All Age Relay	U11 Male Beach Relay	U12 Female Surf Teams
Junior March Past	U11 Male Beach Sprint	U12 Ironman
2-Person Junior R & R	U11 Male Board Relay	U12 Ironwoman
5-Person Junior R & R	U11 Male Board Rescue	U12 Male Beach Flags
U11 Female Beach Flags	U11 Male Cameron Relay	U12 Male Beach Relay
U11 Female Beach Relay	U11 Male Surf Board	U12 Male Beach Sprint
U11 Female Beach Sprint	U11 Male Surf Race	U12 Male Board Relay
U11 Female Board Relay	U11 Male Surf Teams	U12 Male Board Rescue
U11 Female Board Rescue	U12 Female Beach Flags	U12 Male Cameron Relay
U11 Female Cameron Relay	U12 Female Beach Relay	U12 Male Surf Board
U11 Female Surf Board	U12 Female Beach Sprint	U12 Male Surf Race
U11 Female Surf Race	U12 Female Board Relay	U12 Male Surf Teams
U11 Female Surf Teams	U12 Female Board Rescue	U13 Female Beach Flags
U11 Ironman	U12 Female Cameron Relay	U13 Female Beach Relay
U11 Ironwoman	U12 Female Surf Board	U13 Female Beach Sprint
U11 Male Beach Flags	U12 Female Surf Race	U13 Female Board Relay

U13 Female Board Rescue	U13 Male Surf Board	U14 Ironwoman
U13 Female Cameron Relay	U13 Male Surf Race	U14 Male Beach Flags
U13 Female Surf Board	U13 Male Surf Teams	U14 Male Beach Relay
U13 Female Surf Race	U14 Female Beach Flags	U14 Male Beach Sprint
U13 Female Surf Teams	U14 Female Beach Relay	U14 Male Board Relay
U13 Ironman	U14 Female Beach Sprint	U14 Male Board Rescue
U13 Ironwoman	U14 Female Board Relay	U14 Male Cameron Relay
U13 Male Beach Flags	U14 Female Board Rescue	U14 Male Surf Board
U13 Male Beach Relay	U14 Female Cameron Relay	U14 Male Surf Race
U13 Male Beach Sprint	U14 Female Surf Board	U14 Male Surf Teams
U13 Male Board Relay	U14 Female Surf Race	U14 2 person R&R (non championship event)
U13 Male Board Rescue	U14 Female Surf Teams	
U13 Male Cameron Relay	U14 Ironman	

NB: U14 Female Champion Lifesaver and U14 Male Champions Lifesaver events will be conducted at the 2012 State Surf Rescue Championships which will be held at Dicky Beach from Friday 17th to Sunday 19th February 2012.

Restricted Events/Quotas

Event	PDB	SCB	SSCB	WCB	NBB	NQB
U14 Male Cameron Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U14 Female Cameron Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U13 Male Cameron Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U13 Female Cameron Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U12 Male Cameron Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U12 Female Cameron Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U11 Male Cameron Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U11 Female Cameron Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U14 Male Surf Teams	4	5	5	2	2	2
U14 Female Surf Teams	4	5	5	2	2	2
U13 Male Surf Teams	4	5	5	2	2	2
U13 Female Surf Teams	4	5	5	2	2	2
U12 Male Surf Teams	4	5	5	2	2	2
U12 Female Surf Teams	4	5	5	2	2	2
U11 Male Surf Teams	4	5	5	2	2	2
U11 Female Surf Teams	4	5	5	2	2	2
U14 Male Board Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U14 Female Board Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U13 Male Board Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U13 Female Board Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U12 Male Board Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U12 Female Board Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U11 Male Board Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U11 Female Board Relay	6	6	6	4	4	4
U14 Male Rescue Board	4	4	4	4	4	4
U14 Female Rescue Board	4	4	4	4	4	4
U13 Male Rescue Board	4	4	4	4	4	4
U13 Female Rescue Board	4	4	4	4	4	4
U12 Male Rescue Board	4	4	4	4	4	4
U12 Female Rescue Board	4	4	4	4	4	4
U11 Male Rescue Board	4	4	4	4	4	4
U11 Female Rescue Board	4	4	4	4	4	4

U14 Male Beach Relay	3	3	3	3	3	3
U14 Female Beach Relay	3	3	3	3	3	3
U13 Male Beach Relay	3	3	3	3	3	3
U13 Female Beach Relay	3	3	3	3	3	3
U12 Male Beach Relay	3	3	3	3	3	3
U12 Female Beach Relay	3	3	3	3	3	3
U11 Male Beach Relay	3	3	3	3	3	3
U11 Female Beach Relay	3	3	3	3	3	3
All Age Relay	2	2	2	2	2	2
Iron Person events	12	12	12	8	8	8
Under 11 Individual events	12	12	12	8	8	8

Note. An additional two places in the Surf Teams Race will be available to the branches with the highest number of teams in their Branch Championships

Meeting and Briefing Times: (approx)

- 6am – IRB crews report to IRB Coordinator
- 6.15am – Official sign on/breakfast/sign on
- 7am – Official briefing
- 7.20am – Team managers briefing/sign on
- 7.30am – Water safety sign on
- 7.45am – Marshalling for first events
- 8am – Competition commences

Final Bulletin/ Competitors List/ Timetable of Events

Will be distributed to all participating clubs and placed on SLSQ website no later than 48 hours after close of entries.

Cancellation Policy:

The following Cancellation Fee & Refund Policy will be adhered to:

- If a carnival is cancelled, with no postponement before the first event is conducted, 75% of all entry fees will be refunded to all Clubs (25% retained for administration costs).
- If a carnival is cancelled, after the first event is conducted, no refund will be given.
- If a carnival is postponed and re-scheduled to another date, a 75% refund will be issued to competing Clubs that cannot compete at the re-scheduled event.

OFFICIALS

Dress:

It is imperative that the appearance of competition officials/judges is of a high standard; therefore appointed officials are requested to give a high degree of attention to their quality of uniform.

It is preferred that all officials wear their uniforms distributed at the Senior and Junior State Championships in February/March 2011.

TEAM MANAGERS

Dress:

It is compulsory for all Team Managers (in their official roles) to wear clearly identified apparel that highlights their club name and the wording "Team Manager". Anyone not displaying this ID will be asked to leave the competition arena.

Declaration:

Must ensure that they complete the relevant Team Managers declaration for this event and return to Surf Life Saving Qld as soon as possible and at the latest the Monday before the carnival.

Team Changes:

It is the Team Manager's responsibility to ensure that changes to the Club's competing teams have been registered with the Marshall, and also that all their competitors are entered into the carnival. Failure to do so will cause disqualification of their teams. **Name checks will be carried out throughout the event.**

CLUB PHOTOGRAPHERS

Only officially accredited "Club Photographers" will be permitted to enter any of the competition areas at this event.

However, these photographers MUST be wearing a lanyard around their neck, at all times whilst in the competition area, with their club photographers pass and "Blue Card" clearly displayed.

At the discretion of the referee on the day he/she may still request that an official "Club Photographer" move within or leave the area. This could be due to a number of issues at the time that may be effecting the running/conducting of events. Club Photographers are also reminded that, although authorized, absolute discretion must be shown at all times whilst in their official capacity at this event.

GENERAL INFO

Competition Conditions:

Competition conditions for all events will be in accordance with the 33rd Edition SLSA Surf Sports Manual.

Orange Shirt Water Safety

All SLSQ clubs participating in this event will be required to abide by the water safety personnel policy of 1:10 for the first 20 competitors and 1:5 for every five (5) competitors over and above 20. Please submit the names of your financial members with a minimum SLSA qualification of the Surf Rescue Certificate or Bronze Medallion along with a current blue card certification to by 5pm Monday 27th February 2012 (see attached nomination form). No water safety from Clubs will result in Clubs not starting.

IRB Water Safety

For this event the top ten clubs by competitor numbers will be required to supply a fully equipped IRB for the duration of the Championships (Friday to Sunday) and must be fully operational. Defective craft will be rejected and the Club made to replace it before they compete. IRB's must be delivered to the IRB compound by no later than 4pm on Thursday 8th February 2012. Clubs that fail to comply with this request will result in their Club not competing for that duration of time that the Club takes to supply the IRB or find a replacement IRB if their own is deemed unseaworthy.

Also the top 10 clubs by competitor numbers will be required to supply the names of Qualified IRB driver's and Qualified IRB crewman's to SLSQ by 5pm Monday 27th February 2012 (please see attached nomination form). Clubs that fail to have their members report for duties will result in that Club not competing for that duration of time that the Club was to supply personnel and the rest of the carnival if personnel is not supplied at all.

Water Safety Roster

Clubs will be put on a roster commencing Friday morning 9th March through to Sunday 11th March 2012 with morning and afternoon shifts. All Clubs are asked to nominate their preference for Water Safety on the attached Water Safety Form. If Clubs do not complete this form they will be placed on the roster at any time. The earlier this form is returned to SLSQ the more chance of your personnel getting their preference. The roster will be distributed to all clubs after entries close and any changes will need to be negotiated with the club you would like to swap with.

First Aid:

Will be supplied by the Queensland Lifeguard Service.

R&R Events

R&R will be conducted on the following days;

Round 1 Friday 9th March 2012 -Competitors will be marshalled at 6:30am for a 7:00am start each day

Round 2 Saturday 10th March 2012 – Competitors will be marshalled at 6:30am for a 7:00am start each day

Round 3 Sunday 11th March 2012 – Competitors will be marshalled at 6.30am for a 7.00am start each day

Pelerman Nipper of the Year.

Finalists selected for the Pelerman Nipper of the Year Award will be required to attend an interview on Friday evening of the carnival. Finalists will be advised directly of their requirements closer to the time. Presentations for all finalists will be made on the Saturday of the Championships with the 2012 Pelerman Nipper of the Year being announced during the presentations.

Care in the Sun:

Surf Life Saving Queensland will be supplying adequate shade tents at all marshalling areas for competition throughout this event.

It is highly recommended that all athletes ensure that they carry with them adequate apparel (Personnel Protective Equipment/Clothing) to assist with reduction of sunburn, along with recommended use of sunscreen, prior to reporting for marshalling.

Hydration:

Water Barrels will be available under the marshalling tents for officials, team managers and athletes use. There will however, due to the ongoing disrespect of the dropping of litter, be no cups supplied. These barrels are in place for all persons to use and fill up their own water bottles or drinking utensils.

Drug use:

Surf Life Saving Queensland affiliated with Surf Life Saving Australia supports the Australian Government, the Australian Sports Commission, the Australian Olympic Committee, and the Australian Sports Drug Agency in their efforts to eradicate the use of drugs in sport.

SLSA has published an Anti Doping Policy (Policy 5.2) which condemns the use of performance enhancing drugs and doping practices in sport.

Any event conducted by SLSA is subject to random drug testing, without prior notice. The very strict procedures laid down for the testing for drugs will be observed, and competitors refusing to submit to a drug test will be subject to prescribed penalties.

Should Team Managers or athletes require further information please refer to SLSA's Anti Doping Policy and as appropriate contact the "Drugs in Sport" hotline on 1800 020 506

Protests:

All protests shall be lodged with the appropriate carnival official in accordance with the procedures set down in the current edition SLSA Surf Sports Manual and shall identify the specific sections/clauses in the 33rd Edition Surf Sports Manual upon which the protest is based.

Special "Protest Forms" will be readily available from the Competitor Liaison Officer (Dark Green Bibs).

A fee of \$110.00 per appeal will be charged to lodge an appeal with the Appeals Committee. This fee is only accepted as CASH. Should the appeal be successful, the fee will be refunded.

Misconduct:

Misconduct before, during and after the carnivals will not be tolerated. Offending members risk disciplinary action against themselves and their Clubs.

Competitors and/or Clubs found tampering with signs, fences or PA system cabling and equipment also risk disciplinary action against themselves. For safety reasons, any equipment found on fences may be removed.

Consumption of alcohol is not permitted within the competition or marshalling area or on the Beach in any area including under Club Tents. Competitors and Club supporters drinking in these areas will render their club liable to disqualification and further disciplinary actions, as well as legal action by the police.

A Carnival Disciplinary Committee has been appointed with powers to 'cite' or take whatever action is necessary as a result of misconduct and will be readily available to convene as required.



Please also see attached Team Managers Declaration.

These documents will also be on our website – www.lifesaving.com.au Sports> Events>
Queensland Junior Surf Life Saving Championships