

Circular

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Summary:	This Circular outlines the appointment process for Surf Sport Officials for club and SLSWA run events.

This coming season there will be three styles of events taking place;

1. **Club run event** – This style of event is controlled by the club running the event and they are free to go with a management structure that best suits their needs and the event. For example a club may choose to appoint key officials from within their own club to develop their members and give them experience in key roles. Alternatively, the club may request, with Surf Life Saving WA (SLSWA) assistance, help from other officials outside their own club to ensure the event is run efficiently and smoothly. We would encourage officials to assist when required if they are able to do so. Examples of this style of event this season are;
 - i. Nipper Development Carnival at Coogee Beach on Sunday 1 December 2019
 - ii. Little Nipper Development Carnival at Mullaloo Beach on Sunday 8 December 2019
 - iii. Senior Carnival at Secret Harbour on Saturday 14 December 2019
 - iv. Nipper Carnival at Sorrento Beach on Sunday 15 December 2019
 - v. Nipper Carnival at City Beach on Sunday 19 January 2020
 - vi. Senior Carnival at Scarborough Beach on Sunday 9 February 2020

2. **Club hosted event** – This style of event is controlled by SLSWA with the club where the event is being held offered a payment to assist in aspects of the event that are predetermined and negotiated through a host club agreement. An appointed Event Manager will run the event with the assistance of an Event Committee when required. SLSWA will appoint the key officials such as the Referee, Sectional Referees, Marshals, Starters and Chief Judges who will work under the direction of the Event Manager. When additional officials are required SLSWA will email all active officials requesting their assistance. Again, we would encourage officials to assist when they are able to do so. Examples of this style of event this season are;
 - i. SunSmart Nipper Development Carnival at Alkimos Beach on Sunday 1 December 2019
 - ii. SunSmart Little Nippers Carnival at Coogee Beach on Sunday 12 January 2020
 - iii. SunSmart Little Nippers Carnival at Leighton Beach on Sunday 9 February 2020

- 3. SLSWA run event** – This style of event is run by SLSWA with varying degrees of assistance from a club and volunteers as negotiated prior to the event. An appointed Event Manager will run the event with the assistance of an Event Committee when required. SLSWA will appoint the key officials such as the Referee, Sectional Referees, Marshals, Starters and Chief Judges who will work under the direction of the Event Manager. When additional officials are required SLSWA will email all active officials requesting their assistance. Examples of this style of event this season are;
- i. SunSmart Country Carnival at Smiths Beach, 25-26 January 2020
 - ii. SunSmart Nipper Metro Qualifier at Mullaloo, 15-16 February 2020
 - iii. SunSmart WA Master Championship at Denmark on Saturday 29 February 2020
 - iv. SunSmart WA Country Championship at Denmark on Sunday 1 March 2020
 - v. SunSmart WA Little Nippers Championship at Sorrento Beach on Sunday 8 March 2020
 - vi. SunSmart WA Nipper Championships at Scarborough Beach, 13-15 March 2020
 - vii. SunSmart WA Lifesaving Championships at City Beach, 21-22 March 2020
 - viii. SunSmart WA Senior Championships at Scarborough Beach, 28-29 March 2020

For events under category 2 & 3 Officials are asked to complete a short survey <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CDKVVJR> to indicate their availability for these events. Please be patient completing the survey, as your answers to questions directs the survey to the next appropriate question. Closing date for this survey is Sunday 1 December 2019.

Should any official wish to discuss their development they are asked contact Graham Snook, Surf Sports Officer via email gsnook@slswa.com.au or phone 9207 6666.

This Circular will be emailed to all active officials last season. Should one of these official no longer wish to receive emails about officiating they are asked to email gsnook@slswa.com.au and ask to be remove from the distribution list.



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