

## Circular

<b>Title:</b>	<b>Final Event Circular – SunSmart WA Surf Life Saving Championships</b>
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<b>Audience:</b>	Club Executives, Surf Sports Directors and Club Administrators
<b>Summary:</b>	Provides supplementary information to bulletin 05,2020/21 regarding the conduct of the 2021 SunSmart WA Surf Life Saving Championships.
<b>Action:</b>	Clubs to note the following clarifications regarding rules and logistics for the championship events.
<b>Attachment:</b>	<a href="#">Attachment 1 – Event Program</a> <a href="#">Attachment 2 – Official Appointments</a> <a href="#">Attachment 3 - Trailer parking map</a> <a href="#">Attachment 4 – Team changes form</a>

This circular supplements bulletin 05 2020/21 and outlines final event information for clubs including clarification on some event rules.

### Event Program

There has been a number of changes to the program following closing of entries due to many events being straight finals. Updated program is attached (attachment 1).

### Official Appointments

Official appointments for the SunSmart WA Surf Lifesaving Championships are available for viewing at attachment 2.

### Beach Events

U/14 age groups will compete on the same course as all other age groups and open.

### Team Events

As highlighted in section 2.3.4 of the competition manual – Under 17 and Under 19 competitors can compete in two team events only.

Under 17 competitors can compete in two team events out U17, U19, U21 and Open. Under 19 competitors can compete in two team events out U19, U21 and Open.

### Surf Boats

Surf Boat Relay will be conducted on the short course (approximately 200 metres).

### **Trailer parking**

Surf Boats can be dropped off either Friday afternoon between 4.30pm and 6pm or Saturday morning before 6.45am. The drop off point is marked on attachment 3. Surfboats will be left on the beach on Saturday night and towed off the beach at the conclusion of the event on Sunday afternoon.

Craft Trailers can be dropped off either Friday afternoon between 4.30pm and 6pm or Saturday morning before 6.45am. The drop off point is located in attachment 3.

After dropping off trailers vehicles must be moved to designated car parking bays . No parking is allowed on the grassed areas.

### **Club tents**

Club tents may be put up after 5.00pm Friday the 26 March. Tents cannot be put up before this as a clean beach is a requirement to set up livestream video equipment. Any tent put up in water area 2 cannot be pulled down until the completion of the final event of the program.

### **Team changes**

Any team which requires team members to be changed can only do so by filling out the change of team form (Attachment 3) and submitting it to the SLSWA Administration van. Team changes will not be accepted in the marshalling areas.

To assist clubs with last minute team changes the event entry system has been reopened until 12pm Friday 26 March 2021. Any changes to teams after this time must be done on the team changes form and submitted to the administration van before the event marshals in the respective areas

### **Protests and Appeals**

Protest and appeals will be managed in accordance with the Sport Sports Manual. A fee of \$100 is required to lodge a written protest. This must be done with the relevant Sectional Referee. The Sectional referee will either adjudicate on the protest or refer the matter directly to the Competition Appeals Committee.

The Competition Appeals Committee will comprise of a minimum of two members of the Championship Committee as determined by the Championship Referee.



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