

Circular

Title:	2025 Surf Life Saving WA IRB Racing Championships	
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From:	Surf Sports Team – Email: surfsports@slswa.com.au	
Audience:	Club Competition Directors, Club Administrators, Competitors	
Summary:	Final Event Information	

Venue	Event date	Entries close
Mullaloo Beach	Sat 21 & Sun 22 June 2025	Thursday 12 June 2025 11.59pm. Team composition closes Monday 16 June 2025, 11.59pm

The 2025 Surf Life Saving WA IRB Racing Championships are being held at Mullaloo Beach on Saturday 21 & Sunday 22 June 2025, with events starting at 8am each day.

GENERAL

These championships will be guided by the SLSA Surf Sports Manual 37th Edition (revised November 2024) and subsequent amendments. These can be accessed via the SLSWA website at this Link.

The contested events will be as follows:

Female Tube Rescue Female Mass Rescue Male Tube Rescue Male Mass Rescue U23 Female Tube Rescue U23 Female Mass Rescue U23 Male Tube Rescue U23 Male Mass Rescue 35+ Female Tube Rescue 35+ Female Mass Rescue 35+ Male Tube Rescue 35+ Male Mass Rescue Female Teams Rescue Female Single Rescue Male Teams Rescue Male Single Rescue U23 Female Teams Rescue U23 Female Single Rescue U23 Male Teams Rescue U23 Male Single Rescue 35+ Female Teams Rescue 35+ Female Single Rescue 35+ Male Teams Rescue 35+ Male Single Rescue Open Mixed Rescue Relay

SCRUTINEERING

There will be no scheduled scrutineering. However, there will be random checks throughout the competition day conducted by the Carnival Referee or delegated scrutineer.

PROTESTS

All protests shall be lodged with the Referee in accordance with the procedures set down in the SLSA Surf Sports Manual 37th Edition (Revised November 2024), section 14 – PROTESTS, APPEALS AND DISCIPLINE and shall identify the specific sections/clauses in the Competition Manual upon which the protest is based. A fee of \$150 cash will be charged to lodge a protest or appeal.



ENTRY CONDITIONS

Entries for all individual members competing will close on Thursday 12 June 2025, 11.59pm. No late member entries will be accepted.

Clubs are then to create their teams from their entered individual athletes before the close of team entries. Team compositions must be completed by Monday 16 June 2025, 11.59pm. Once team entries close individuals unassigned to teams, unnamed teams and incomplete teams will be deleted.

Entry fee is \$50 per competitor and is to be paid online via SurfTec. Entry fees are non-refundable.

Competitors may compete in a maximum of twelve events plus the Rescue Relay. Events are conducted in Open, U23 and Over 35 divisions.

PROFICIENCY OF COMPETITORS

All award holding members must be proficient to participate in competition events and to undertake lifesaving duties. For further information please view the SLSA Surf Sports Manual 37th Edition (Revised November 2024), section 2.2.1 Competition Qualifications.

PATROL AND SERVICE HOUR REQUIREMENTS FOR COMPETITORS

Patrol hour requirements are as per the SLSA Policy 5.04 – Competition Eligibility.

TEAMS

No Mixed Club Teams are allowed to compete. The composition of the teams will be taken as they are entered in SurfTec. As outlined above individuals unassigned to teams, unnamed teams and incomplete teams will be deleted from SurfTec. If a team change is required on the day, please complete the Team Changes Notification Form at the end of this Circular and hand to the Marshall. Up to 5 changes are permitted per change form with a fee of \$20 which will be invoiced to Club's post event. Note, this form cannot be used to enter new competitors into the Championships.

CARNIVAL SAFETY

The provision of a safe environment at all SLSWA competitions is paramount. SLSWA endeavours to ensure that the appropriate safety standards as set by SLSA are met at all championships, including the provision of qualified personnel, rescue craft and communications. Should an emergency situation arise during competition, correct control and discipline shall be maintained under the direction of the Event Manager, Championship Referee and the Emergency Services Officer.

OFFICIALS 1:7 RATIO

Officials play an important part within our organisation and are integral to the ongoing delivery of our sport. Officials ensure competitions are run in a safe and secure environment, while maintaining rules and regulations. For this reason, clubs are requested to provide at least 1 official for every 7 competitors entered. If there are not enough officials then clubs who have not provided their quota will not be allowed to compete.

COMMUNICATIONS

Final instructions including draws for the events along with the Championship program will be sent out to all competing clubs by Thursday 19th June and will also be available on SLSWA Surf Sport Team App. Results can be viewed via SurfTec.



MEDALS AND PRESENTATIONS

Medals will be presented directly after the conclusion of Sundays events in the clubrooms of the Mullaloo Beach SLSC.

For any event to be contested at the 2025 Surf Life Saving WA IRB Championships, a minimum of three (3) teams from (2) different clubs are required.

As such, for all events, medals will be awarded as follows:

(a) Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals may be awarded.

The 2025 Surf Life Saving WA IRB Racing Champion Club banner will be presented to the Club with the highest overall points score from the results of the Championships. Additionally, a 2025 Surf Life Saving WA U23 IRB Racing Champion Club banner will also be presented to the Club with the highest points gained through the U23 events.

Please contact the Surf Sports Team if you require any further information at surfsports@slswa.com.au or on 9207 6666.

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Chief Executive Officer



TEAM CHANGES NOTIFICATION FORM

Club Nam	ne:				
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FEE \$20 per form completed. Each form can have up to and including five event team changes.

Please note, team changes made due to injuries will be considered on a case by case basis and the fee may be waived.

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