

ENTRY CIRCULAR

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Summary: This circular contains the relevant details for entering competitors into the Australian Surf Life Saving Championship 2018.

From 14-22 April 2018, surf lifesavers from all around the nation and also overseas will meet on Scarborough Beach, Western Australia, to contest the Australian Surf Lifesaving Championships. There will be more than 450 events on offer and the Aussies brings together Surf lifesaving's national movement and the community in a spirited celebration that showcases the best of our traditions, culture and sport.

This will be the 12th time the event has been held in Perth, with over 6,000 competitors in addition to club members, volunteers, officials, accompanying people and spectators making their annual pilgrimage to the host venue as they chase those elusive gold medals. From the traditional surf swimming, boats, rescue and resuscitation and surf belt races, to the modern day ironman and ironwoman events, surf lifesavers compete for their chance to add their names into the Surf Life Saving record books, alongside some of Australia's greatest sporting heroes.

In addition to the Championships, the Aussies also welcomes the public to participate in an ocean swim. The 2km ocean swim race, offers participants the opportunity to compete and be part of the iconic annual festival alongside lifesavers competing for Championship medals and without having to be an active member of a Surf Life Saving Club.

The key dates are:

Saturday 14 and Sunday 15 April	Australian Youth Surf Life Saving Championships
Sunday 15 April	Australian Surf Life Saving Championships Ocean Swim
Monday 16 and Tuesday 17 April	Australian Masters Surf Life Saving Championships
Wednesday 18 to Saturday 22 April	Australian Open Surf Life Saving Championships

As we get closer to 2018 Australian Surf Life Saving Championships further circulars will be issued of which have the same authority as the Entry Circular. These include, but are not limited to:

- Championships Committee Structures Circular
- Senior Officials Appointments Circular
- Officials Appointments Circular
- Powercraft Circular
- Gear & Equipment Subsidy Circular
- Scrutineering Circular
- Final Carnival Circular



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KEY INFORMATION

The following two pages are created to assist Team Managers to complete the necessary entries and conditions of entry for the upcoming Australian Surf Life Saving Championships 2018 (Youth, Ocean Swim, Masters and Opens).

- **SURF SPORTS MANUAL** – Please ensure you are up to date with the revised 35th edition of the Surf Sports Manual as well any updates. The Surf Sports Manual can be found [Member's Portal](#) > Library > Sport > Manuals & Technical Rules > SLSA > Surf Sports Manual most current version of the Surf Sports Manual and any subsequent Bulletins or Circulars.
- **MEMBER'S PORTAL AND SLSA WEBSITE** – SLSA has, and will, continue to make available all key documents leading up to Aussies 2018. These will be uploaded onto the Surf Life Saving Australia [Website](#) and [Member's Portal](#).
- **UPDATED EVENTS** – Per Bulletin 3-16/17 SLSA has reviewed Masters Competition Policy 5.09 for the purpose of age and gender equality across events. Full event listings can be found from page 19 onwards.
- **YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIP EASE OF RESTRICTIONS** – The 2018 Youth Championship will be uncapped for individual events (excluding the Ironman/Ironwoman which will remain at 4, plus state qualified competitors). Teams will remain at 2 per club with a refinement review at the completion of the 2018 Championship.
- Further clarification for the Ironman/Ironwoman events - Should a club have members qualify for a state Ironman/Ironwoman final in the Under 14 or Under 15 age category, those competitors will be eligible to enter their respective event at the Australian Youth Championships in addition to the club quota of 4 competitors per club, per gender, per event.
- **CONDITIONS OF ENTRY** – Ensure you have read through the Conditions of Entry below to be sure you and your club have met ALL requirements before entering. Any breaches of these conditions will deem a club/competitors ineligible to compete.
- **ONLINE ENTRIES** – Entries are made via SLSA Carnival Manager. Please refer to the [Carnival Manager Guide](#) for instructions on how to enter. Lists of all events are found on the final few pages of this circular.
- **POWERCRAFT REQUIREMENTS** – Clubs must meet powercraft requirements as set out in the Powercraft Circular. This is available on the [Member's Portal](#) and [Website](#). With a new rostering system in place this year, it is important that all involved in the powercraft roster and shifts for the championships understand the new system, as a lack of knowledge will not be considered an eligible excuse if clubs do not understand.
- **WATER SAFETY AND FIRST AID REQUIREMENTS** – To safely deliver the Aussies, SLSA requires proficient lifesavers to assist as water safety personnel, Area Risk Response Officers and proficient first aiders. More details regarding these requirements can be found on page 10.
- **TEAM MANAGER DECLARATION & LYCRA SINGLET FORM** – Team Managers must complete the [Team Manager Declaration and Lycra Singlet Form](#) before their club will be eligible to compete. Further details are on page 10.



- **SITE MAP** – A detailed site map of Scarborough Beach is now available on the SLSA Aussies 2018 [Website](#) and [Member's Portal](#). Please note the site map will be in draft format and subject to change.
- **OCEAN SWIM** - For eligible SLSA members the 2018 Ocean Swim is an Australian Surf Lifesaving Championship event with age and gender categories aligned with the Masters and U17 to Opens age groups. To confirm, each competitor's age will be taken as at September 30, 2017.

Australian Championship medals will be awarded in all divisions and placing points allocated to the respective Age group, Open and Masters overall champion club point score. The event is also open to members of the public to compete without earning Australian Championship medals or club points. For further information and to enter please visit www.sls.com.au/aussieoceanswim

IMPORTANT DATES

Please see below a summary of important dates related to the Australian Youth, Masters and Opens Surf Life Saving Championships 2018.

Sep-17		
Fri, 15 Sep	5.00pm AEDT	Officials nominations open
Oct-17		
Fri, 13 Oct	5.00pm AEDT	Officials nominations close
Nov-17		
Mon, 6 Nov	9:00am AEDT	Aussies 2018 – Early Bird Entries open
Dec-17		
Fri, 1 Dec	5.00pm AEDT	Officials Appointments Announced
Jan-18		
Fri, 12 Jan	5.00pm AEDT	Early Bird Entries Close
Mon, 15 Jan	5.00pm AEDT	Early Bird entry invoices sent to clubs
Mar-18		
Mon, 19 Mar	7:00am AWST	Site Build Commences
Wed, 21 Mar	5:00pm AEDT	Normal Entries Close
	5.00pm AEDT	Limited Entries Entered (by States)
Fri, 23 Mar	5:00pm AEDT	Normal entry invoices sent to clubs
Apr-18		
Wed, 4 Apr	5.00pm AEDT	Online Late entries close
Fri, 6 Apr	5.00pm AEDT	Late entry invoices sent to clubs
Mon, 9 Apr	9:00am-5:00pm AWST	First day for container deliveries (ANY CONTAINER DELIVERED BEFORE THIS DATE WILL BE TURNED AWAY)
Thu, 12 Apr	5.00pm AEDT	Invoices due (All entry payments in full due)
Fri, 13 Apr	7:00am AWST	First day for club tents to be erected – All Beaches
	9:00am-3:00pm AWST	Scrutineering begins: Trailer Compound – Location TBC (Youth Competitors Only)
	2.00pm AWST	Powercraft personnel Briefing: Location TBC
	3.00pm AWST	Youth and Ocean Swim Team Manager Briefing: Location TBC
	4.30pm AWST	Youth and Ocean Swim Officials Briefing: Location TBC
	5.00pm AWST	Last day for container delivers
Sat, 14 Apr	All Day	Competition Day 1: Youth Championships
	7:00am-3:00pm AWST	Scrutineering continues: Trailer Compound - Location TBC
Sun, 15 Apr	All Day	Competition Day 2: Youth Championships
	7:00am-3:00pm AWST	Scrutineering continues: Trailer Compound - Location TBC
	8:00am-12:00pm AWST	The AUSSIE Ocean Swim – Scarborough Beach
	2:30pm AWST	Board Riding Competitor briefing & day 1 board riding marshalling: Location TBC
	4.30pm AWST	Masters & Opens Team Manager Briefing: Location TBC
	6.30pm AWST	Masters & Opens Officials Briefing: Location TBC
Mon, 16 Apr	All Day AWST	Competition Day 3: Masters Championships

	All Day	Scrutineering continues: Trailer Compound - Location TBC
Tue, 17 Apr	All Day	Competition Day 4: Masters Championships
	All Day	Scrutineering continues: Trailer Compound - Location TBC
	4.30pm AWST	Open Team Manager Briefing: Location TBC
	6.00pm AWST	Open Officials Briefing: Location TBC
Wed, 18 Apr	All Day	Competition Day 5: Open Championships
Thurs, 19 Apr	All Day	Competition Day 6: Open Championships
Fri, 20 Apr	Half Day	Competition Day 7: Open Championships
Sat, 21 Apr	All Day	Competition Day 8: Open Championships
Sun, 22 Apr	All Day	Competition Day 9: Open Championships
Mon, 23 Apr	9:00am-5:00pm AWST	First day for container pickup
Wed, 25 Apr	9:00am-5:00pm AWST	Final day for container pickup
Fri, 27 Apr	5:00pm AWST	Bump Out Complete

All above dates and times are subject to change

** Team Managers who are managing for more than one of Youth, Opens and Masters Championships need only attend one of the briefings**

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ENTRY PROCESS

Club entries to the Australian Youth, Australian Masters and Australian Open Surf Life Saving Championships 2018 must be submitted via the SLSA Carnival Manager System. A guide to entering entries online can be found here: [Carnival Manager Guide](#).

ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE

To be eligible to compete at the Championships, competitors must comply with Policy 5.4 – Competition Eligibility and the SLSA Guidelines for Competition Eligibility document (both available online at [Member's Portal](#) > Library > Governance > Policy > SLSA > Policy 5.4) and the Conditions of Entry listed on the pages 8-17 of this Circular.

Ineligible competitors will not appear in Carnival Manager to nominate to compete.

All youth entries will be audited by SLSA to ensure compliance with Club entry number restrictions. Penalties shall apply to Clubs that breach these restrictions.

Note 1: *U14 age competitors do not need to fulfil patrol hour/service obligations to be eligible to compete in the Youth Championships in U14 individual events and U15 Team events but must meet all other requirements of Policy 5.4.*

Note 2: *Those participating in the public swim are ineligible for Championship medals and placing points and are not required to meet the requirements of policy 5.4.*

CARNIVAL MANAGER

Please ensure your club notes the [Carnival Manager Guide](#) before and during the entry process.

ENTRY FEES

The Australian Surf Life Saving Championships 2018 entry fees are as follows:

Price Level	Dates	Competitor Category	Price (incl GST)*
Early Bird Entry	Mon 6 Nov 2017 – 5pm Fri 12 Jan 2018 (AEDT)	Youth Championships Competitor	\$90
		Opens Championships Competitor	\$90
		Masters Championships Competitor	\$90
		Ocean Swim – All Competitors	\$35
		Ironman/Ironwoman Handler only	\$7 per event up to \$14 max
		Reel Team only (Surf Belt Race)	
March Past only			
Normal Entry	Fri 12 Jan 2018 – 5pm Wed 21 Mar 2018 (AEDT)	Youth Championships Competitor	\$105
		Opens Championships Competitor	\$105
		Masters Championships Competitor	\$105
		Ocean Swim – All Competitors	\$45
		Ironman/Ironwoman Handler only	\$7 per event up to \$14 max
		Reel Team only (Surf Belt Race)	
March Past only			
Online Late Entry	Wed 21 Mar 2018 – 5pm Wed 4 Apr 2018 (AEDT)	Youth Championships Competitor	\$155
		Opens Championships Competitor	\$155
		Masters Championships Competitor	\$155
		Ocean Swim – All Competitors	\$55
		Ironman/Ironwoman Handler only	\$14 per event up to \$28 max
		Reel Team only (Surf Belt Race)	
March Past only			
Ocean Swim On The Day	Sun 15 April 2018	All on day entries	\$60

***Note 1:** Prices are per competitor irrespective of the number of events entered unless otherwise stated above.

*** Note 2:** [A separate entry fee is required to enter the Ocean Swim.](#)

Ocean Swim Entries can only be completed through the online web form at <https://sls.com.au/aussieoceanswim/>

PAYMENT

Clubs will be sent an invoice after each Early Bird/Normal/Online Late entry closing date. Clubs MUST pay by one of the following methods by **Friday 30 March 2018**. No other payment methods will be accepted. Please note that boat sweeps are classified as competitors and charged the full competitor fee. They are however classified as exceptions in Carnival Manager and so the pro-forma invoice issued by Carnival Manager will include an exception fee for sweeps. The pro-forma invoice is incorrect in this instance; the Tax Invoice issued by SLSA will have the correct charge for sweeps included.

Clubs must include club name and invoice number when paying total amounts:

Direct Deposit	
Bank:	Westpac Bank
Bank Address:	Haymarket, 671-675 George Street, Sydney, NSW 2000

Credit Card
Visa or MasterCard via SLSA payment gateway: http://pay.slsa.com.au
Clubs MUST enter the following:

Cheque
Sent to and made payable to:
Surf Life Saving Australia



Account Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia Limited
Swift:	WPAC AU 2s
BSB Number:	032-005
Account Number:	883-750

1. 'Choose Your Club or Service' field, type **SLSA** or **Surf Life Saving Australia**
2. 'Transaction type' field, choose from the drop down box **Carnival Entry fee**
3. 'Name/Meaningful Payment Details' field, enter your **club details and invoice number**
4. Amount: As per invoiced amount

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CLUBS WITH UNPAID ENTRY FEES WILL BE INELIGIBLE TO COMPETE.

REFUND OF FEES/CANCELLATION FEES

Once an invoice has been generated, entry fees are non-refundable.

CHANGES TO EXISTING ENTRIES

Changes to already existing entries can occur up until Late Entries close (5pm, Wednesday 4 April 2018, AEDT) via Carnival Manager. After this date, an admin fee of \$7 per change to an already existing competitor can occur up until 8:00am (AWST) the day of the race, through visiting the Administration Centre only. This is for individual entries. Changes to the composition of teams can occur until marshalling commences. There is no charge for a team change if the competitor is already entered in the carnival. If the competitor has not previously entered into this carnival a late entry fee of \$150 shall be charged.

ENTRY AFTER ONLINE LATE ENTRIES CLOSE

Late individual and/or team entries may be submitted at the Administration Centre at the Championships provided they are received no later than 7:00am (AWST) the day of the race. The individual or team entries will be accepted as long as declarations of membership compliance with proficiency and patrol hour/service requirements and endorsements of Club, Branch and State Centres are provided.

Entire Club Late Entries – If an entire club does not submit entries before the late entry closing date (5pm, Wednesday 4 April AEDT), the club needs to request permission to enter by directing a letter to the Competition Committee via events@slsa.asn.au explaining the exceptional circumstances for late entry.

COMPETITIVE TRANSFERS

Competitors, Team Managers and club administrators should familiarise themselves with Section 2.2.4 – Competitive Transfers rules of the current edition of the [Surf Sports Manual](#) (> Sport > Surf Sports Manual) General Conditions.

SUBSTITUTIONS

Any substitutions will only be accepted as listed in the General Competitive Conditions – Substitution of Competitors in the current edition of the [SLSA Surf Sports Manual](#) (> Sport > Surf Sports Manual) (and any amending Bulletins). Clubs and/or State Centres may be permitted to make substitutions at no charge as long as the competitor is already entered into the Championships. If a substitution occurs with a new competitor who is not already entered into the Championships, the relevant entry fee will be charged.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

All competitors entered in the Australian Youth, Australian Masters and Australian Open Surf Life Saving Championships 2018 must be financial members of an affiliated club.

MEMBERSHIP, AWARD PROFICIENCIES AND PATROL REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL COMPETITORS

Each competitor must hold the award relevant to their entry and have completed a proficiency test for the award. The details of these requirements are detailed in SLSA's Policy 5.4 – Competition Eligibility and the SLSA Guidelines for Competition Eligibility document (both available online at [Member's Portal](#) > Library > Governance > Policy > SLSA > Policy 5.4) SLSA reserves the right to conduct a random and/or deliberate audit of entries and under such circumstances, the selected clubs will be required to submit appropriate documentation to substantiate the eligibility of those members entered.

TEAM MANAGER REQUIREMENTS

Each club must have a Team Manager complete the online [Team Manager Declaration & Lycra Singlet Form](#) before their club is eligible to compete at the Australian Youth, Australian Masters and Australian Open Surf Life Saving Championships 2018. The online form requires Team Managers to provide the following details:

- Correct club Team Manager contact details
- List each club Assistant Team Manager names
- Location of club accommodation & approximate numbers staying there
- Club Lycra singlet requirements and sizes
- Agree to all terms outlined the Team Manager declaration.

TEAM MANAGER BRIEFINGS

- Youth and Ocean Swim Manager Briefing: 3:00pm, Friday 13 April 2018 (AWST) compulsory for all Youth Team Managers
- Masters & Open Team Manager Briefing Option 1: 4.30pm, Sunday 15 April 2018 (AWST) compulsory for all Masters Team Manager and option 1 for Opens Team Managers
- Open Team Manager briefing Option 2: 4.30pm, Tuesday 17 April 2018 (AWST) compulsory for all Opens Team Managers who did not attend Option 1

All Team Manager Briefings will occur at – Location TBC. Team Managers managing club members in the Youth Aussies are required to attend the Youth Aussies briefing and managers of teams in the Masters and Opens Championships are required to attend **one** of the briefings. As part of the Australian Championships safety procedures, the safety and contingency plans will be communicated in detail at this briefing. Failure to attend the relevant briefing/s may result in the Club's entries being refused and/or the Club referred to the Australian Championships Competition Committee for further action. As part of SLSA's administration processes, the briefings will be recorded.

Club competition Lycra singlets and Team Manager and Assistant Team Manager accreditations will be distributed after the briefings.

WATER SAFETY AND FIRST AID REQUIREMENTS

SLSA is also looking for water safety personnel, Area Risk Response Officers and first aid officers to assist during the Masters and Open Championships. If clubs are interested in fulfilling these roles please email events@slsa.asn.au with names, availability and phone numbers. Required

qualifications include current Bronze Medallion and First Aid awards. Briefings for these positions will be provided to all appointed personnel.

RESTRICTIONS ON EVENTS AND PROVISOS

The following restrictions shall apply in regards to nominations and competition in the various events:

AGE/GENDER CATEGORIES - SAFETY RESTRICTIONS – Where a particular age/gender category area and/or section (including specific events) is postponed, cancelled or relocated due to safety and/or weather/sea conditions, competitors, from that particular age/gender grouping are not permitted to compete in any older age category event/s.

YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS – ENTRY RESTRICTIONS

1. Double Dipping – in accordance with SLSA rules for the event:
 - No Under 15 competitor is eligible to contest Under 17 or older team or individual events.
 - No Under 14 competitor is eligible to contest U15 individual events.
No Under 13 competitor is eligible to enter the Youth Championships.
2. Entry Restrictions – Each Club is permitted to enter a maximum of:
 - Uncapped for all individual events (except for Ironman/Ironwoman).
 - Four competitors per age group and gender in Ironman and Ironwoman events.
However, should a club have members qualify for a state Ironman/Ironwoman final in the Under 14 or Under 15 age category, all those competitors will be eligible to enter their respective event at Australian Youth Championships **in addition** to the club quota of 4 competitors per club, per gender, per event.
 - **Note:** State results of the Ironman and Ironwoman events may be reviewed as part of an audit of club Ironman/Ironwoman entries.
 - 2 teams per team event, per gender.
(All Team events in the Youth Championships are Under 15, allowing Under 14s and Under 15s to make up these teams).
Note: Teams must be made up of members from the same club.

Entry Restrictions for the 2019 Australian Youth Championships will be reviewed following the conduct of the 2018 Championships.

SWIMMING AREA

For Surf Belt Race events, reel handlers are permitted to double up in teams competing in different heats, quarter finals and semi-finals of the same event provided that no shuffling of rounds are required to accommodate handlers (i.e. the draw process is not hindered).

BOAT AREA

1. Only accredited Sweeps will be eligible to sweep surf boats in these Championships. Please refer to the Sweep Accreditation tool kit on the Members portal via the following tabs:
Library>>Sport>>Coach Education>>SLSA

To be an unrestricted (S3) sweep oarsman and to be eligible to compete in these Championships, a sweep must hold a proficient SLSA Bronze Medallion/Cert II, a minimum current Development Coach Award or equivalent as well as having attended a sweep practical assessment, or sat with a panel of sweeps in a formal process of learning and to have been deemed competent to sweep by this panel.

A restricted (S2) sweep may participate in these championships under the guidance of a

sweep mentor in surf conditions rated up to and including 13 under the Mc-deM Surf Hazard Rating (SHR) system provided that they have formally commenced the SLSA online Development Coaching Module and sat with a panel of sweeps as part of their skill development.

A (S1) pre competition sweep is not permitted to participate in any competition.

For further information please refer to the SLSA Sweep Accreditation Document.

2. Please note Section 5.1 (f) of the Surf Sports Manual re the mandatory wearing of helmets in Surf Boats unless an acceptably low level risk is assessed.

SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS FOR SURF BOATS AT AUSTRALIAN SURF LIFE SAVING CHAMPIONSHIPS

The following supplementary boat rule is to apply to the Australian Surf Life Saving Championships 2018 and replaces parts of [Surf Sports Manual](#) Section 5.1(c). This rule is circulated as a supplementary rule for the inclusion in the Entry Circular and other Australian Championship Circulars.

- A.** *"Double dipping" (i.e. competing in more than one division or age category of rowing) by crews will not be permitted at the Australian Surf Life Saving Championships 2018. Exceptions to this condition are as follows:*
1. *Sweep Oarsmen may continue to compete in multiple divisions and gender and age categories but, as per existing SLSA rules, shall only compete in a particular division or category once irrespective of whether they are sweeping or rowing;*
 2. *Individual rowers from an age crew who are also competing with another crew (i.e. not the same four rowers) in an older age category are permitted to row in a second category at the Australian Surf Life Saving Championships provided that the other crew members are not also doubling up to form separate crews;*
 3. *Should a member of any crew become indisposed they may be replaced subject to approval of the Carnival Referee provided they comply with the requirements contained in Section 2.18 of the Surf Sports Manual and this event condition;*
- B.** *If an U19 or U23 competitor is rowing in an older age category made up of mixed age groups they can continue to row in that older age category even if their own individual age division is suspended or cancelled. However, a crew made up entirely of rowers from suspended or cancelled age or gender group(s) shall not be permitted to compete."*

BOAT AREA COMPETITION FORMAT – The Surf Boat Referee will make the final decision on the racing format (round robin, elimination or combination of both) based on the entries for all events and discussions with sectional referees and the appointed boat panel.

BEACH EVENTS

MARCH PAST – All March Past events (Open, U23 and U17) will occur as a final (no qualifying rounds) on Sunday, 22nd April 2018.

LIMITED ENTRY EVENTS

State Centres shall be responsible for nominating and entering individuals/teams (by **Wednesday 21 March 2018**) as well as reserves, to contest the Limited Entry Events for Youth, Masters and Opens Championships in accordance with the 'quotas' allocated in each State/Territory (see final pages of this Circular for quotas).

PATIENT REQUIREMENTS – All clubs entered in limited entry events such as Champion Lifesaver, First Aid competition and Patrol Competition will be required to provide patients according to club/team entries. Please see ratios below:

- Champion Lifesaver: 1 patient per club entry
- First Aid Competition: 1 patient per team entry
- Patrol Competition: 1 patient per club entry who must hold at least a proficient SRC and the patient must be prepared to go into the water.

SUBSTITUTION OF LIMITED ENTRY EVENT COMPETITORS

1. **All States/Territories are requested to nominate up to 5 reserves (in order of priority) for all above limited entry events.**
2. “Substitution of Competitors” – State/Territory Centres are able to replace an individual, team member or team who has already been nominated as a reserve for the event. If a State is unable to substitute from the reserve list, the nominating State may substitute a replacement from that State/Territory irrespective of whether they are on the reserves list. Where a State/Territory is unable to fill a vacancy then the vacancy will be filled by the next available reserve on the list.
3. If States/Territories do not fill their quota, positions will be filled from the reserves offered by other States/Territory

Note: SLSA also reserves the right to select competitors to compete from the reserve list.

MASTERS EVENTS - CLARIFICATION

Clubs are responsible to ensure that they comply with directions set out in this Entry Circular and SLSA Policy 5.9 - Masters Competition (available online at [Member's Portal](#) > Library > Governance > Policy > SLSA > Policy 5.9). The following items should be noted when nominating to participate in these Masters Championships:

MASTERS AGE GROUPS – Individual competitors can only compete in their own age group and team competitors can only compete in one combined age category in each team event. Further, teams are only permitted to compete in their eligible age group. This includes where individual/team events are cancelled/postponed/relocated.

- **Board Rescue & Double Ski** – Team age category is determined by youngest competitor in the team.
- **All other Team Events** – The aggregate ages of the team members will determine the age category.
- **Surf Boats** – The aggregate ages of the four rowers will determine the age category. The sweep does not need to be a Master age competitor and is not included in the team's aggregate age.

Note: Where limited starters are entered the sectional referee may combine age groups in events to ensure the program is completed in reasonable time.

INTERNATIONAL COMPETITORS

Conditions of entry for international competitors:

1. SLSA reserves the right to invite and/or accept entries from international competitors and club teams to compete in any event at the Australian Championships.
2. Limited Entry Events – only one entry from each country may be accepted into an event. If more than one individual or club team nominates, only the national champion or highest ranked individual/club team from that country (as advised by the governing body to SLSA) will be allowed to compete.

3. Youth Championships entry restrictions apply to any international club entries. All other events (unrestricted) in Masters and Opens have no limits on international competitors or club teams entering.
4. International club teams must be a genuine club team (not composite teams) and must compete in club colours to be eligible to compete.
5. International individual competitors may compete in their club caps or, with the permission of their country, compete in their national colours.
6. All international competitors and club teams must gain international clearance from their governing body and must be submitted to SLSA prior to competition to compete at the Australian Youth, Masters, Ocean Swim and Open Surf Life Saving Championships 2018.

HANDLERS

Ironman/Ironwoman/Boat Race events/Belt Races (reel handlers) handlers should be members of the same club as the competitor. Exemptions may be given by the Referee for a member of another club to be a handler as long as the handler is entered at the competition and meets all proficiency requirements. Handlers must be listed and identified in the events in which they are to participate. All handlers must wear the supplied hi-vis vests when handling.

NAMES OF TEAMS IN TEAM EVENTS

Where the club has one or more teams entered in an event, then that particular event code number for each competitor in each team shall be subtitled “A” for the first team or “B” for the second team, etc., as applicable.

Note: SLSA reserves the right to change any team name deemed inappropriate.

DRESS OF COMPETITORS

In all events, competitors must wear approved competition dress as detailed in the current edition [Surf Sports Manual](#) (Sport > Surf Sports Manual) and any subsequent Bulletins or Circulars. To promote competitor safety and assist with competitor identification, competitors and handlers entering the water beyond knee depth are required to wear the provided yellow lycra singlet as the top layer of clothing. Refusal to comply renders the clothing, competition apparel or equipment ineligible for the competition and the competitor and/or team would be ineligible for further participation in the Championships.

Approval may be granted by the Championship Referee for a club or competitor to wear a singlet or vest different to the supplied singlet provided it complies with the SLSA Competition Sponsorship Policy 5.8 (refer [Member's Portal](#)). This approval is subject to colour and visibility of the club/competitor singlets being fluoro yellow **ONLY**. This must be presented for approval at the Team Managers' briefings. The approved lycra singlets may only then be worn during the heats. For the Quarter Finals, Semi Finals and Finals the SLSA branded event lycra singlets must be worn; **NO EXCEPTIONS**. Competitors will be checked at the start line and no competitor will be allowed to compete unless they comply.

SLSA Staff, the Championship Referee, Area Referee and/or Sectional Referee reserve the right to order the removal or covering of signage, ID or logos in conflict with the Championships sponsor and/or the SLSA Competition Sponsorship Policy.

LYCRA SINGLET SIZING & DISTRIBUTION – To collect lycra singlets at the Team Managers' briefings, Team Managers are required to fill the [Team Manager Declaration & Lycra Singlet Form](#) with numbers and sizes of lycra singlets required for that club. Lycra singlet sizing chart is below. Team Managers are responsible for distributing lycra singlets to all competing club members.

Please note, if a club is competing in Youth, Masters & Opens Championships, the club's entire lycra allocation will be provided at the first Team Managers briefing attended.

The lycra will be produced by FINZ.

LADIES	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL
SIZE	L8	L10	L12	L14	L16	L18	L20	L22
Bust	83cm	87cm	91cm	95cm	99cm	103cm	107cm	111cm
Waist	65cm	69cm	73cm	77cm	81cm	85cm	89cm	93cm
Hips	88cm	92cm	96cm	100cm	104cm	108cm	112cm	116cm
MENS	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL
SIZE		M14	M16	M18	M20	M22	M24	
Chest	86cm	90cm	94cm	99cm	104cm	109cm	114cm	119cm
Waist (low waist 4cm below natural waist)	76cm	80cm	84cm	88cm	92cm	96cm	100cm	105cm

TRAINING/WARM UP/SWIMMING BEFORE OR AFTER COMPETITION – Hi viz lycra singlets or vests must be worn by anyone swimming, in boats or paddling boards or skis before or after competition for training/warm up purposes. All participants wanting to enter the water, including but not limited to, competitors, Team Managers, coaches, officials and staff are recommended to bring old Lycra singlets from previous competitions for this purpose as additional lycra singlets will not be distributed.

Team Managers are required to familiarise themselves with details of specific warm up times and allocated areas, which will be advised within the Final Carnival Circular.

CHAMPIONSHIP AND SPONSOR IDENTIFICATION

It is a condition of entry to the 2018 Australian Surf Life Saving Championships that competitors may be required to carry sponsor logos/identification on craft, boats, and equipment. However, if this occurs every effort will be made not to cover other signage, provided it does not conflict with sponsors of the Championships. For further details regarding sponsorship, refer to Policy 5.8 – Competition Sponsorship (available online at [Member's Portal](#) > Library > Governance > Policy > SLSA > Policy 5.8).

PHOTOGRAPHY & FILM

As a condition of entry, all competitors agree that any photography taken during the Australian Surf Life Saving Championships 2018 can be used for promotional material by SLSA. This is:

I understand that as a competitor I am participating in competition which is of national significance and agree:

- a) *to be filmed, televised, photographed, interviewed and otherwise recorded for the duration of the competition, under the conditions and for the purposes authorised by SLSA;*
- b) *to compete with a Go Pro or any other device, within reason, attached to equipment if requested for the purpose of obtaining best possible footage to promote the sport, unless an athlete can prove that such an attachment would hinder their performance.*
- c) *that SLSA owns all rights in the photos and recordings taken in accordance with (a) and SLSA has the right to reproduce these.*
- d) *if asked, I agree to wear a 'Tracker' in any event. Please note that this device is only used to enhance broadcast and audience engagement, and is not a safety device.*

PENALTIES – BREACH OF CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

All Club competitors (including Ironman/Ironwoman Handlers and Reel Party members of Belt Teams) must be listed on Carnival Manager. Ineligible entered competitors with incorrect qualification or proficiency (Refer to page 12), default of personal patrol hour/service obligations, or other breach of Association or club entry regulations will receive the following:

The penalty for breach of conditions of entry for the Australian Youth, Australian Masters and Open Surf Life Saving Championships 2018 will be the automatic rejection of entries for those persons found to be in breach and the forfeiture of their entry fees.

Application of the automatic penalty will not preclude further disciplinary action by the association against clubs or other persons if deemed appropriate in the case of serious attempts to defeat association regulations.

LOSS AND DAMAGE OF PROPERTY

Surf Life Saving Australia will not accept liability for damaged, lost or stolen gear, craft or other personal belongings. All clubs are encouraged to secure craft and equipment each night.

GENERAL EVENT INFORMATION

GEAR & EQUIPMENT

The Gear & Equipment Subsidy Circular will be released shortly with full details on these subsidies to assist Clubs from all over Australia to attend the Australian Surf Life Saving Championships 2018.

SHIPPING CONTAINERS

Clubs transporting containers to Scarborough SLSC, must contact the SLSA venue manager (kbird@slsa.asn.au) and provide the following information:

Club	Container Size	Container arrival date	Container pickup date	Container Organisers Name	Container Organisers Phone No	Container Organiser Email	Transporting company (e.g. Toll)	Container ID #

In booking container transport to Scarborough Beach, please first email kbird@slsa.asn.au to ensure correct delivery instructions and FAQs are provided. If contact is not made, then a container will not be accepted onto site.

TEAM MANAGER ACCREDITATIONS

Each club will be provided with accreditation passes for the Team Manager and each Assistant Team Manager to gain access to each relevant competition area. Team Managers must fill in the online [Team Managers Declaration Form](#) which requires the name of each Assistant Team Managers (up to 8 Assistant Team Managers). Below is the recommended ratio of competitors/accreditation passes):

- 1x overall Team Manager
- Number of areas club competitors are competing in = number of Assistant Team Manager accreditations,
 e.g.: 5 areas (3x water, 1x boat & 1x beach areas) = 5 Assistant Team Managers

Please note, if your club enters Youth, Masters and Opens competitors, the club's overall Team Manager is responsible to pass on all accreditation passes to Youth, Masters and Opens Assistant Team Managers.

Clubs will receive their accreditation passes at the first attended Team Manager briefing, of Youth, Masters or Opens.

CHAMPIONSHIP MEDALS, TROPHIES AND POINTSCORE

SLSA Championship medallions will be awarded to individuals and team members gaining 1st (Gold), 2nd (Silver) or 3rd (Bronze) in all Championship events contested. A minimum of one starter is required for any event to be contested. Medals will be awarded as follows:

- Three (3) or more competitors – Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals may be awarded.
- Two (2) competitors – Gold and Silver medals may be awarded.
- One (1) competitor (providing the competitor/ team correctly completes the course) – Gold medal.

TROPHIES /POINTSORES – The following 2018 Australian Surf Life Saving Championships overall point score categories and memorial trophies will be formally awarded at the conclusion of the final day of competition:

Overall Pointscore 'Surf Life Saving Australia Perpetual Trophy' (Under 17, Under 19 & Open Points only)*	Handicap Pointscore
Under 17 years Champion Club	Under 19 years Champion Club
Open Age Champion Club	Most Outstanding Male Competitor
Most Outstanding Female Competitor	Male Champion Lifesaver
Female Champion Lifesaver	Peter Lacey Medal (U19, U17, U15 & Ironperson, Surf Race, Board, Belt)
Open First Aid Competition 'Tess Cramond AO, OBE Shield'	Under 19 First Aid Competition 'Ian Mackie AM Trophy'
Open 6 Man R&R 'Curlewis Trophy'	Open 5 Man R&R 'Dearlove and Rennie Trophy'
R&R Overall Open Champion Club Competition "Sandstrom Trophy"	Under 19 Surf Boats 'Robert Gatenby Shield'
Under 19 Ironman 'Saxon Bird Trophy'	Under 15 Ironman 'Matthew Barclay Memorial Trophy'
Surf Board Riding Overall Masters Champion Club Competition	Surf Board Riding Overall Open Champion Club Competition
Teams Surf Board Riding 'Peter Doolan Trophy'	Open Patrol Competition 'The Governor Generals National Trophy'

*Youth and Masters results do not contribute to the overall point score

The point score awarded for each Champion Club, within each event's age category, will be 6 points for 1st place, down to 1 point for 6th place. If, when the Championships have concluded, there is a tied point score, the Club with the most 1st placings will be declared the winner. Failing this, the Club with the most 2nd placings to 6th placings respectively will be taken into account to determine a winner. If, after this procedure there is no single winner, then the point score will be declared a tie and dual trophies will be presented.

Note: International clubs (and/or non SLSA affiliated clubs) are not eligible to earn points towards Australian Champion Club.

DEAD HEATS - Where a dead heat (as defined in the current edition [Surf Sports Manual](#)) occurs in the final of an event, the clubs of individuals/teams will share the placing points and medal relative to the finish placing. The club of the next individuals/teams to finish will receive the relative placing points based on the number of individuals/teams finishing ahead of them. For example: if two individuals/teams finish equal 1st, both individuals/teams shall receive 6 points each and the gold medal. The next placing individual/team shall be awarded the 4 points and the bronze medal for coming 3rd.

INTERNATIONAL COMPETITOR MEDALS – If an international competitor (or club team) place (1st, 2nd or 3rd) in a Championship they will be awarded the medallion (and/or trophy) equal to the placing gained.

However, the Australian competitor/s (or club team/s) to who place will be awarded the Australian Championship Title/Placing and the equivalent medal and/or trophy.

HEALTH

Competitors and officials should realise the importance of fitness to undertake their respective activities and should seek expert advice on all aspects of their health before participating.

Competitors and/or officials who suffer illness or injury should seek medical advice prior to participating or continuing with their activity.

In addition, SLSA may, at its sole discretion, require a competitor and/or official to be assessed for physical and/or psychological fitness to participate to ensure that an unfit competitor and/or official and/or SLSA is not placed at risk.

ANTI-DOPING

Members have responsibilities under Policy 5.2 Anti-Doping Policy & Policy 6.23 Illicit Drugs in Sport (both available online at [Member's Portal](#) > Library > Governance > Policy > SLSA > Policy 5.2 & 6.23). Members have a duty to avoid all prohibited substances and prohibited methods and should be aware of the policy if medication is required. If appropriate, advice should be obtained from medical practitioners, pharmacists, the Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority (<https://www.asada.gov.au/substances/check-your-substances>) or 13000 ASADA (1300 027 232).

It is strongly recommended that all Team Managers complete the online [ASADA training module](#) AND conduct at least one (1) anti-doping education activity with all competitors from the Club.

SLSA CODE OF BEHAVIOUR/MISCONDUCT

Misconduct before, during and after the Championships will not be tolerated. Offending members risk disciplinary action against themselves and their Clubs. Please refer to the current Edition [Surf Sports Manual](#) and, in particular but not limited to, section 2.27 SLSA Code of Behaviour, section 2.28 Abuse/Inappropriate Behaviour and section 2.29 and also to SLSA Policy 6.5 – Member Protection Policy (available online at [Member's Portal](#) > Library > Governance > Policy > SLSA > Policy 6.5).

AUSTRALIAN YOUTH SURF LIFE SAVING CHAMPIONSHIP 2018 EVENTS

The following Championship events shall be conducted in their respective areas in accordance with the rules and conditions set out in the current edition of the SLSA [Surf Sports Manual](#), and all amending and clarifying Bulletins.

LIST OF YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

Swimming	
35	Under 15 Mixed 5 Person R&R Championship OR remove the word altogether in each case
113	Under 15 Male Surf Race Champ
213	Under 15 Female Surf Race Champ
115	Under 14 Male Surf Race Champ
215	Under 14 Female Surf Race Champ
119	Under 15 Male Surf Teams Race Champ
219	Under 15 Female Surf Teams Race Champ
Multi Discipline	
128	Under 15 Iron Man Race Champ
228	Under 15 Iron Woman Race Champ
129	Under 14 Iron Man Race Champ
229	Under 14 Iron Woman Race Champ
133	Under 15 Male Surf Board Rescue Race Champ
233	Under 15 Woman's Surf Board Rescue Race Champ
143	Under 15 Male Cameron Relay Race Champ
243	Under 15 Female Cameron Relay Race Champ
Surf Board	
167	Under 15 Male Surf Board Race Champ
267	Under 15 Female Surf Board Race Champ
168	Under 14 Male Surf Board Race Champ
268	Under 14 Female Surf Board Race Champ
172	Under 15 Male Surf Board Relay Race Champ
272	Under 15 Female Surf Board Relay Race Champ
Surf Board Riding	
178	Under 15 Male Surf Board Riding Champ
278	Under 15 Female Surf Board Riding Champ
179	Under 14 Male Surf Board Riding Champ
279	Under 14 Female Surf Board Riding Champ
Beach	
189	Under 15 Male Beach Sprint Race Champ
289	Under 15 Female Beach Sprint Race Champ
190	Under 14 Male Beach Sprint Race Champ
290	Under 14 Female Beach Sprint Race Champ
195	Under 15 Male Beach Relay Race Champ
295	Under 15 Female Beach Relay Race Champ
1101	Under 15 Male Beach Flags Champ
2101	Under 15 Female Beach Flags Champ
1102	Under 14 Male Beach Flags Champ
2102	Under 14 Female Beach Flags Champ
1561	Under 15 Male 2km Beach Run Champ

2561	Under 15 Female 2km Beach Run Champ
1562	Under 14 Male 2km Beach Run Champ
2562	Under 14 Female 2km Beach Run Champ
First Aid	
3108	Under 15 Mixed First Aid Champ (State Entries)
Lifesaving*	
1120	Under 15 Male Champion Lifesaver (State Entries)
2120	Under 15 Female Champion Lifesaver (State Entries)

LIMITED ENTRY EVENTS FOR YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS

Events marked “State Entries” above, have the below quota limits.

Entries for these events will be each State Centre’s responsibility ONLY.

ENTRY CODE	AGE GROUP	EVENT	STATE QUOTAS							
			Total	NSW	QLD	VIC	SA	WA	TAS	NT
3108	U/15	Mixed First Aid Competition	10	3	2	1	1	1	1	1
1120	U/15	Male Champion Lifesaver	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
2120	U/15	Female Champion Lifesaver	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1

AUSTRALIAN MASTERS SURF LIFE SAVING CHAMPIONSHIP 2018 EVENTS

The following Championship events shall be conducted in their respective areas in accordance with the rules and conditions set out in the current edition of the SLSA [Surf Sports Manual](#), and all amending and clarifying Bulletins.

LIST OF MASTERS EVENTS

Swimming	
1200	30-34 yrs Male Surf Race
2200	30-34 yrs Female Surf Race
1201	35-39 yrs Male Surf Race
2201	35-39 yrs Female Surf Race
1202	40-44 yrs Male Surf Race
2202	40-44 yrs Female Surf Race
1203	45-49 yrs Male Surf Race
2203	45-49 yrs Female Surf Race
1204	50-54 yrs Male Surf Race
2204	50-54 yrs Female Surf Race
1205	55-59 yrs Male Surf Race
2205	55-59 yrs Female Surf Race
1206	60-64 yrs Male Surf Race
2206	60-64 yrs Female Surf Race
1207	65-69 yrs Male Surf Race
2207	65- 69yrs Female Surf Race
1208	70 yrs & over Male Surf Race
2208	70 yrs & over Female Surf Race
1212	110 yrs min Male Surf Teams Race
2212	110 yrs min Female Surf Teams Race
1213	130 yrs min Male Surf Teams Race
2213	130 yrs min Female Surf Teams Race
1214	150 yrs min Male Surf Teams Race
2214	150 yrs min Female Surf Teams Race
1215	170 yrs min Male Teams Race
2225	170 yrs min Female Surf Team Race
Rescue Tube	
1218	30-34 yrs Male Rescue Tube Race
2218	30-34 yrs Female Rescue Tube Race
1219	35-39 yrs Male Rescue Tube Race
2219	35-39 yrs Female Rescue Tube Race
1220	40-44 yrs Male Rescue Tube Race
2220	40-44 yrs Female Rescue Tube Race
1221	45-49 yrs Male Rescue Tube Race
2221	45-49 yrs Female Rescue Tube Race
1222	50-54 yrs Male Rescue Tube Race
2222	50-54 yrs Female Rescue Tube Race
1223	55-59 yrs Male Rescue Tube Race
2223	55-59 yrs Female Rescue Tube Race
1224	60-64 yrs Male Rescue Tube Race

2224	60-64 yrs Female Rescue Tube Race
1225	65-69 yrs Male Rescue Tube Race
2225	65-69 yrs Female Rescue Tube Race
1226	70 yrs & over Male Rescue Tube Race
2226	70 yrs & over Female Rescue Tube Race
Multi Discipline	
1234	30-34 yrs Iron Man Race
2234	30-34 yrs Iron Woman Race
1235	35-39 yrs Iron Man Race
2235	35-39 yrs Iron Woman Race
1236	40-44 yrs Iron Man Race
2236	40-44 yrs Iron Woman Race
1237	45-49 yrs Iron Man Race
2237	45-49 yrs Iron Woman Race
1238	50-54 yrs Iron Man Race
2238	50-54 yrs Iron Woman Race
1239	55-59 yrs Iron Man Race
2239	55-59 yrs Iron Woman Race
1240	60-64 yrs Iron Man Race
2240	60-64 yrs Iron Woman Race
1241	65-69 yrs Iron Man Race
2241	65-69 yrs Iron Woman Race
1242	70 yrs & over Iron Man Race
2242	70 yrs & over Iron Woman Race
1245	110 yrs min Male Taplin Relay Race
2245	110 yrs min Female Taplin Relay Race
1246	130 yrs min Male Taplin Relay Race
2246	130 yrs min Female Taplin Relay Race
1247	150 yrs min Male Taplin Relay Race
2247	150 yrs min Female Taplin Relay Race
1248	170 yrs min Male Taplin Relay Race
2248	170 yrs min Female Taplin Relay Race
Board Rescue	
1252	30-34 yrs Male Surf Board Rescue Race
2252	30-34 yrs Female Surf Board Rescue Race
1253	35-39 yrs Male Surf Board Rescue Race
2253	35-39 yrs Female Surf Board Rescue Race
1254	40-44 yrs Male Surf Board Rescue Race
2254	40-44 yrs Female Surf Board Rescue Race
1255	45-49 yrs Male Surf Board Rescue Race
2255	45-49 yrs Female Surf Board Rescue Race
1256	50-54 yrs Male Surf Board Rescue Race
2256	50-54 yrs Female Surf Board Rescue Race
1257	55-59 yrs Male Surf Board Rescue Race
2257	55-59 yrs Female Surf Board Rescue Race
1258	60-64 yrs Male Surf Board Rescue Race
2258	60-64 yrs Female Surf Board Rescue Race
1259	65-69 yrs Male Surf Board Rescue Race
2259	65-69 yrs Female Surf Board Rescue Race
1260	70 yrs & over Male Surf Board Rescue Race

2260	70 yrs & over Female Surf Board Rescue Race
Surf Boat	
1263	120 yrs min Male Surf Boat Race
2263	120 yrs min Female Surf Boat Race
1264	140 yrs min Male Surf Boat Race
2264	140 yrs min Female Surf Boat Race
1265	160 yrs min Male Surf Boat Race
2265	160 yrs min Female Surf Boat race
1266	180 yrs min Male Surf Boat Race
2266	180 yrs min Female Surf Boat Race
1267	200 yrs min Male Surf Boat Race
2267	200 yrs min Female Surf Boat Race
1268	220 yrs min Male Surf Boat Race
2268	220 yrs min Female Surf Boat Race
1269	240 yrs min Male Surf Boat Race
2269	240 yrs min Female Surf Boat Race
1270	260 yrs min Male Surf Boat Race
2270	260 yrs min Female Surf Boat Race
Surf Ski	
1272	30-34 yrs Male Single Ski Race
2272	30-34 yrs Female Single Ski Race
1273	35-39 yrs Male Single Ski Race
2273	35-39 yrs Female Single Ski Race
1274	40-44 yrs Male Single Ski Race
2274	40-44 yrs Female Single Ski Race
1275	45-49 yrs Male Single Ski Race
2275	45-49 yrs Female Single Ski Race
1276	50-54 yrs Male Single Ski Race
2276	50-54 yrs Female Single Ski Race
1277	55-59 yrs Male Single Ski Race
2277	55-59 yrs Female Single Ski Race
1278	60-64 yrs Male Single Ski Race
2278	60-64 yrs Female Single Ski Race
1279	65-69 yrs Male Single Ski Race
2279	65-69 yrs Female Single Ski Race
1280	70 yrs & over Male Single Ski Race
2280	70 yrs & over Female Single Ski Race
1284	110 yrs min Male Single Ski Relay Race
2284	110 yrs min Female Single Ski Relay Race
1285	130 yrs min Male Single Ski Relay Race
2285	130 yrs min Female Single Ski Relay Race
1286	150 yrs min Male Single Ski Relay Race
2286	150 yrs min Female Single Ski Relay Race
1287	170 yrs min Male Single Ski Relay Race
2287	170 yrs min Female Single Ski Relay Race
1291	30-34 yrs Male Double Ski Race
2291	30-34 yrs Female Double Ski Race
1292	35-39 yrs Male Double Ski Race
2292	35-39 yrs Female Double Ski Race
1293	40-44 yrs Male Double Ski Race

2293	40-44 yrs Female Double Ski Race
1294	45-49 yrs Male Double Ski Race
2294	45-49 yrs Female Double Ski Race
1295	50-54 yrs Male Double Ski Race
2295	50-54 yrs Female Double Ski Race
1296	55-59 yrs Male Double Ski Race
2296	55-59 yrs Female Double Ski Race
1297	60-64 yrs Male Double Ski Race
2297	60-64 yrs Female Double Ski Race
1298	65-69 yrs Male Double Ski Race
2298	65-69 yrs Female Double Ski Race
1299	70 yrs & over Male Double Ski Race
2299	70 yrs & over Female Double Ski Race
Surf Board	
1303	30-34 yrs Male Surf Board Race
2303	30-34 yrs Female Surf Board Race
1304	35-39 yrs Male Surf Board Race
2304	35-39 yrs Female Surf Board Race
1305	40-44 yrs Male Surf Board Race
2305	40-44 yrs Female Surf Board Race
1306	45-49 yrs Male Surf Board Race
2306	45-49 yrs Female Surf Board Race
1307	50-54 yrs Male Surf Board Race
2307	50-54 yrs Female Surf Board Race
1308	55-59 yrs Male Surf Board Race
2308	55-59 yrs Female Surf Board Race
1309	60-64 yrs Male Surf Board Race
2309	60-64 yrs Female Surf Board race
1310	65-69 yrs Male Surf Board Race
2310	65-69 yrs Female Surf Board Race
1311	70 yrs & over Male Surf Board Race
2311	70 yrs & over Female Surf Board Race
1314	110 yrs min Male Surf Board Relay Race
2314	110 yrs min Female Surf Board Relay
1315	130 yrs min Male Surf Board Relay Race
2315	130 yrs min Female Surf Board Relay Race
1316	150 yrs min Male Surf Board Relay Race
2316	150 yrs min Female Surf Board Relay Race
1317	170 yrs min Male Surf Board Relay Race
2317	170 yrs min Female Surf Board Relay Race
Surf Board Riding	
1320	30-39 yrs Male Malibu Long Board Riding
2320	30-39 yrs Female Malibu Long Board Riding
1321	40-49 yrs Male Malibu Long Board Riding
2321	40-49 yrs Female Malibu Long Board Riding
1386	50-59 yrs Male Malibu Long Board Riding
2386	50-59 Female Long Board Riding
1388	60-69 yrs Male Malibu Long Board Riding
2388	60-69 yrs Female Malibu Long Board Riding
1389	70 yrs & over Male Malibu Long Board Riding



2389	70 yrs & over Female Malibu Long Board Riding
1322	30-39 yrs Male Short Board Riding
2322	30-39 yrs Female Short Board Riding
1323	40-49 yrs Male Short Board Riding
2323	40-49 yrs Female Short Board Riding
1387	50-59 yrs Male Short Board Riding
2387	50-59 yrs Female Short Board Riding
1390	60-69 yrs Male Short Board Riding
2390	60-69 yrs Female Short Board Riding
1391	70 yrs & over Male Short Board Riding
2391	70 yrs & over Female Short Board Riding
Beach	
1324	30-34 yrs Male Beach Sprint
2324	30-34 yrs Female Beach Sprint
1325	35-39 yrs Male Beach Sprint
2325	35-39 yrs Female Beach Sprint
1326	40-44 yrs Male Beach Sprint
2326	40-44 yrs Female Beach Sprint
1327	45-49 yrs Male Beach Sprint
2327	45-49 yrs Female Beach Sprint
1328	50-54 yrs Male Beach Sprint
2328	50-54 yrs Female Beach Sprint
1329	55-59 yrs Male Beach Sprint
2329	55-59 yrs Female Beach Sprint
1330	60-64 yrs Male Beach Sprint
2330	60-64 yrs Female Beach Sprint
1331	65-69 yrs Male Beach Sprint
2331	65-69 yrs Female Beach Sprint
1332	70 yrs & over Male Beach Sprint
2332	70 yrs & over Female Beach Sprint
1335	140 yrs min Male Beach Relay Race
2335	140 yrs min Female Beach Relay Race
1336	170 yrs min Male Beach Relay Race
2336	170 yrs min Female Beach Relay Race
1337	200 yrs min Male Beach Relay Race
2337	200 yrs min Female Beach Relay Race
1338	230 yrs min Male Beach Relay Race
2338	230 yrs min Female Beach Relay Race
1343	30-34 yrs Male Beach Flags
2343	30-34 yrs Female Beach Flags
1344	35-39 yrs Male Beach Flags
2344	35-39 yrs Female Beach Flags
1345	40-44 yrs Male Beach Flags
2345	40-44 yrs Female Beach Flags
1346	45-49 yrs Male Beach Flags
2346	45-49 yrs Female Beach Flags
1347	50-54 yrs Male Beach Flags
2347	50-54 yrs Female Beach Flags
1348	55-59 yrs Male Beach Flags
2348	55-59 yrs Female Beach Flags

1349	60-64 yrs Male Beach Flags
2349	60-64 yrs Female Beach Flags
1350	65-69 yrs Male Beach Flags
2350	65-69 yrs Female Beach Flags
1351	70 yrs & over Male Beach Flags
2351	70 yrs & over Female Beach Flags
1360	30-34 yrs Male 2 km Beach Run
2360	30-34 yrs Female 2 km Beach Run
1361	35-39 yrs Male 2 km Beach Run
2361	35-39 yrs Female 2 km Beach Run
1362	40-44 yrs Male 2 km Beach Run
2362	40-44 yrs Female 2 km Beach Run
1363	45-49 yrs Male 2 km Beach Run
2363	45-49 yrs Female 2 km Beach Run
1364	50-54 yrs Male 2 km Beach Run
2364	50-54 yrs Female 2 km Beach Run
1365	55-59 yrs Male 2 km Beach Run
2365	55-59 yrs Female 2 km Beach Run
1375	60-64 yrs Male 1 km Beach Run
2375	60-64 yrs Female 1km Beach run
1376	65-69 yrs Male 1 km Beach Run
2373	65-69 yrs Female 1 km Beach Run
1377	70 yrs & over Male 1km Beach Run
2377	70 yrs & over Female 1km Beach Run
Lifesaving	
1382	30-39 yrs Male Champion Lifesaver (State Entries)
2382	30-39 yrs Female Champion Lifesaver (State Entries)
1383	40 yrs & over Male Champion Lifesaver (State Entries)
2383	40 yrs & over Female Champion Lifesaver (State Entries)
Ocean Swim	
1400	30-39 yrs Male 2km Ocean Swim
2400	30-39 yrs Female 2km Ocean Swim
1401	40-49 yrs Male 2km Ocean Swim
2401	40-49 yrs Female 2km Ocean Swim
1402	50-59 yrs Male 2km Ocean Swim
2402	50-59 yrs Female 2km Ocean Swim
1403	60-69yrs Male 2km Ocean Swim
2403	60-69yrs Female 2km Ocean Swim
1404	70 yrs & over Male 2km Ocean Swim
2404	70 yrs & over Female 2km Ocean Swim

LIMITED ENTRY EVENTS FOR MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS

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ENTRY CODE	AGE GROUP	EVENT	STATE QUOTAS							
			Total	NSW	QLD	VIC	SA	WA	TAS	NT
1382	30-39 yrs	Male Champion Lifesaver	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
2382	30-39 yrs	Female Champion Lifesaver	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
1383	40yrs & over	Male Champion Lifesaver	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
2383	40yrs & over	Female Champion Lifesaver	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1

AUSTRALIAN OPEN SURF LIFE SAVING CHAMPIONSHIP 2018 EVENTS

The following Championship events shall be conducted in their respective areas in accordance with the rules and conditions set out in the current edition of the SLSA [Surf Sports Manual](#), and all amending and clarifying Bulletins.

LIST OF OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

Swimming	
31	The Curlewis 6 Person R&R Championship OR remove the word altogether
12	Open Male 5 Person R&R Champ
22	Open Female 5 Person R&R Champ
32	Open Age Mixed 5 Person R&R Champ
33	Under 19 5 Person R&R Champ
34	Under 17 5 Person R&R Champ
17	Open Male Surf Belt Race Champ
27	Open Female Surf Belt Race Champ
18	Under 19 Male Surf Belt Race Champ
28	Under 19 Female Surf Belt Race Champ
19	Under 17 Male Surf Belt Race Champ
29	Under 17 Female Surf Belt Race Champ
110	Open Male Surf Race Champ
210	Open Female Surf Race Champ
111	Under 19 Male Surf Race Champ
211	Under 19 Female Surf Race Champ
112	Under 17 Male Surf Race Champ
212	Under 17 Female Surf Race Champ
114	Men's Restricted (Over 24 years) Surf Race Champ
214	Female Restricted (Over 24 years) Surf Race Champ
116	Open Male Surf Teams Race Champ
216	Open Female Surf Teams Race Champ
117	Under 19 Male Surf Teams Race Champ
217	Under 19 Female Surf Teams Race Champ
118	Under 17 Male Surf Teams Race Champ
218	Under 17 Female Surf Teams Race Champ
Multi Discipline	
125	Open Iron Man Race Champ
225	Open Iron Woman Race Champ
126	Under 19 Iron Man Race Champ
226	Under 19 Iron Woman Race Champ
127	Under 17 Iron Man Race Champ
227	Under 17 Iron Woman Race Champ
130	Open Male Surf Board Rescue Race Champ
230	Open Female Surf Board Rescue Race Champ
131	Under 19 Male Surf Board Rescue Race Champ
231	Under 19 Female Surf Board Rescue Race Champ
132	Under 17 Male Surf Board Rescue Race Champ
232	Under 17 Female Surf Board Rescue Race Champ
135	Open Male Rescue Tube Rescue Race Champ

235	Open Female Rescue Tube Rescue Race Champ
136	Under 19 Male Rescue Tube Rescue Race Champ
236	Under 19 Female Rescue Tube Rescue Race Champ
140	Open Male Taplin Relay Race Champ (6 person)
240	Open Female Taplin Relay Race Champ (3 person)
141	Under 19 Male Taplin Relay Race Champ (3 person)
241	Under 19 Female Taplin Relay Race Champ (3 person)
142	Under 17 Male Taplin Relay Race Champ (3 person)
242	Under 17 Female Taplin Relay Race Champ (3 person)
345	Lifesaver Relay Race Champ (State Entries)
Surf Boat	
148	Open Male Surf Boat Race Champ
248	Open Female Surf Boat Race Champ
149	Reserve Male Surf Boat Race Champ
249	Reserve Female Surf Boat Race Champ
150	Under 23 Male Surf Boat Race Champ
250	Under 23 Female Surf Boat Race Champ
151	Under 19 Male Surf Boat Race Champ
251	Under 19 Female Surf Boat Race Champ
352	Open Surf Boat Relay Race Champ (State Entries)
Surf Ski	
154	Open Male Single Ski Race Champ
254	Open Female Single Ski Race Champ
155	Under 19 Male Single Ski Race Champ
255	Under 19 Female Single Ski Race Champ
156	Under 17 Male Single Ski Race Champ
256	Under 17 Female Single Ski Race Champ
157	Open Male Single Ski Relay Race Champ
257	Open Female Single Ski Relay Champ
158	Under 19 Male Single Ski Relay Race Champ
258	Under 19 Female Single Ski Relay Race Champ
159	Under 17 Male Single Ski Relay Race Champ
259	Under 17 Female Single Ski Relay Race Champ
160	Open Male Double Ski Race Champ
260	Open Female Double Ski Race Champ
360	Open Mixed Double Ski Race Champ
161	Under 19 Male Double Ski Race Champ
261	Under 19 Female Double Ski Race Champ
Surf Board	
164	Open Male Surf Board Race Champ
264	Open Female Surf Board Race Champ
165	Under 19 Male Surf Board Race Champ
265	Under 19 Female Surf Board Race Champ
166	Under 17 Male Surf Board Race Champ
266	Under 17 Female Surf Board Race Champ
169	Open Male Surf Board Relay Race Champ
269	Open Female Surf Board Relay Race Champ
170	Under 19 Male Surf Board Relay Race Champ
270	Under 19 Female Surf Board Relay Race Champ
171	Under 17 Male Surf Board Relay Race Champ

271	Under 17 Female Surf Board Relay Race Champ
Surf Board Riding	
175	Open Male Surf Board Riding Champ
275	Open Female Surf Board Riding Champ
176	Under 19 Male Surf Board Riding Champ
276	Under 19 Female Surf Board Riding Champ
177	Under 17 Male Surf Board Riding Champ
277	Under 17 Female Surf Board Riding Champ
180	Open Male Malibu Long Board Riding Champ
280	Open Female Malibu Long Board Riding Champ
Beach	
383	Open March Past Champ
384	Under 23 March Past Champ
385	Under 17 March Past Champ
186	Open Male Beach Sprint Race Champ
286	Open Female Beach Sprint Race Champ
187	Under 19 Male Beach Sprint Race Champ
287	Under 19 Female Beach Sprint Race Champ
188	Under 17 Male Beach Sprint Race Champ
288	Under 17 Female Beach Sprint Race Champ
192	Open Male Beach Relay Race Champ
292	Open Female Beach Relay Race Champ
193	Under 19 Male Beach Relay Race Champ
293	Under 19 Female Beach Relay Race Champ
194	Under 17 Male Beach Relay Race Champ
294	Under 17 Female Beach Relay Race Champ
198	Open Male Beach Flags Champ
298	Open Female Beach Flags Champ
199	Under 19 Male Beach Flags Champ
299	Under 19 Female Beach Flags Champ
1100	Under 17 Male Beach Flags Champ
2100	Under 17 Female Beach Flags Champ
1558	Open Male 2km Beach Run Champ
2558	Open Female 2km Beach Run Champ
1559	Under 19 Male 2km Beach Run Champ
2559	Under 19 Female 2km Beach Run Champ
1560	Under 17 Male 2km Beach Run Champ
2560	Under 17 Female 2km Beach Run Champ
First Aid	
3105	Open First Aid Champ (State Entries)
3106	Under 19 First Aid Champ (State Entries)
3107	Under 17 First Aid Champ (State Entries)
Lifesaving	
3113	Open Patrol Champ (State Entries)
3115	Under 17 Patrol Champ (State Entries)
1117	Open Male Champion Lifesaver (State Entries)
2117	Open Female Champion Lifesaver (State Entries)
1118	Under 19 Male Champion Lifesaver (State Entries)
2118	Under 19 Female Champion Lifesaver (State Entries)
1119	Under 17 Male Champion Lifesaver (State Entries)

2119	Under 17 Female Champion Lifesaver (State Entries)
Ocean Swim	
1125	Open Male 2km Ocean Swim
2125	Open Female 2km Ocean Swim
1128	Under 19 Male 2km Ocean Swim
2128	Under 19 Female 2km Ocean Swim
1129	Under 17 Male 2km Ocean Swim
2129	Under 17 Female 2km Ocean Swim

LIMITED ENTRY EVENTS FOR OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Events marked “State Entries” above, have the quota limits listed below.

Entries for these events will be each State Centre’s responsibility ONLY.

ENTRY CODE	AGE GROUP	EVENT	STATE QUOTAS							
			Total	NSW	QLD	VIC	SA	WA	TAS	NT
345	Open	Lifesaver Relay	16	5	4	2	1	2	1	1
352	Open	Surf Boat Relay Race	16	5	4	2	1	2	1	1
3105	Open	First Aid Competition	10	3	2	1	1	1	1	1
3106	U/19	First Aid Competition	10	3	2	1	1	1	1	1
3107	U/17	First Aid Competition	10	3	2	1	1	1	1	1
3113	Open	Patrol Competition	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
3115	U/17	Patrol Competition	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
1117	Open	Male Champion Lifesaver	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
2117	Open	Female Champion Lifesaver	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
1118	U/19	Male Champion Lifesaver	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
2118	U/19	Female Champion Lifesaver	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
1119	U/17	Male Champion Lifesaver	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
2119	U/17	Female Champion Lifesaver	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	1