

SENIOR CARNIVAL ONE INFORMATION

Senior Carnival One Information | 27th November 2016, Moana Beach | Circular: C16056



Events

The format for this carnival will include:

U14 & U15 – Flags, Sprints, Swim, Board & Iron

U17, U19 & Open – Flags, Sprints, Swim, Board, Ski, Iron & Taplin (3person)

Masters – Flags, Sprints, Swim, Board & Ski

Master Ocean Events will be run at the completion of Youth Events, this will be approximately 11:00am.

Flags and Sprints for all age groups will be run Friday November 26th at Seacliff. Program to follow.

Registrations

To create more efficient process for marshalling, heat allocation and result recording, all Senior Carnival Entries will now be done through the Event Management System prior to each event (<https://carnival.sls.com.au/>).

Entries Close: Wednesday November 23rd at 5pm
Late Entries Close: Friday November 25th at Noon

Carnival Fees

As per circular C16013, the carnival fee for all state carnivals (junior and senior) is \$10.00 (plus GST) per person per carnival.

LATE FEE: LATE ENTRY (electronic via EMS): close of late entry via EMS is at 12.00 noon on the Friday 25th (as per above). The late fee is set at entry fee plus 100% of entry fee (e.g. entry fee is \$10.00 then late entry will be \$10.00 to total \$20.00)

AFTER EMS LATE ENTRIES CLOSE: This is new and entries may now be submitted after close of EMS. The entry will be accepted via 'hard copy' only if they are able to be fitted in the heat allocation and as long as declarations of compliance with proficiency and patrol hour requirements and endorsements of Club are also provided. The fee is set at entry fee plus 200% of entry fee (e.g. entry fee is \$10.00 then late entry will be \$10.00 plus \$20.00 to total \$40.00)

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Competition Eligibility

Events will be conducted in accordance with the Surf Sports Manual 35th edition. In particular note section 2 (General Competition Eligibility) and all competitors must be the holder of the **appropriate SLSA Award** (as detailed in the Competition Categories and Provisos section), be SLSA proficient and be eligible under the necessary age category.

Carnival Requirements

Rules and Regulations for all events conducted are detailed in the Surf Life Saving Australia Surf Sports Manual 35th Edition and/or R & R Competition Manual. Any alterations are detailed in Surf Life Saving Australia Bulletins available on the Surf Life Saving Australia website.

Although all aspect of the Surf Sports manual will be followed there are circumstances where the Carnival Referee or Carnival Committee will make decisions in the best interests of competitors, officials and any support volunteers to ensure the safe, efficient conduct of the event as well as the wellbeing of all concerned.

Marshalling

As previously mentioned all entries must be confirmed on the day. This is to be done by Team Managers (or their nominee) at the Marshalling desk. The carnival will hopefully run to the program so please anticipate the next event and be ready to confirm starters for specific events in competition arenas. We ask that Club Team Managers let competitors know and assist with this process. **As per Surf Sport Series heats will be drawn prior to the carnival and posted up on the 'Race / results board'. This will allow for more efficient marshalling.**



Lycra Vests

As per Bulletin B11007, the use of hi-visibility lycra vests (vests) is compulsory for all senior (including masters) carnivals and events in South Australia.

SLSSA have endorsed the use of Fluorescent Pink (PMS #16-2130 TN 'Knockout Pink') and Fluorescent Yellow (PMS #13-0630 TN 'Safety Yellow') Please refer Circular C16019 for more information.

All competitors must **marshal with vest and club caps** on (tied up). Handlers also require a club cap and vest.

Carnival Point Score

At the last Surf Sport Advisory Committee meeting there was general agreement that the point score system did not achieve what it was put in place for. It was agreed that we need to continue the 'handicap' point scores (most improved and points per competitor) as they were successful last year. However we need to promote these more. Therefore it has been resolved to: **"Remove point score from carnivals this year and run States as a stand-alone event."**

Competition Committee

A Competition Committee will be appointed for the event. The Competition Committee (CC) will direct all matters relating to the actual conduct of the competition. The CC may, subject to the rules in the Surf Sports Manual (35th edition) postpone, cancel and or alter any or all events and alter the venue(s) of the competition. A review of the following will be conducted at each CC meeting:

- a) Risk Assessment of the current conditions of the beach and back of beach area
- b) Injury management statistics
- c) Current weather predictions
- d) Competition statistics

The CC shall consult and seek advice from appropriate officials, athletes and other personnel on surf conditions and safety issues when required. The CC shall appoint the various sub committees and panels as required for the event (e.g. Disciplinary Committee, Appeals Committee)

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Officials

Clubs are required to provide officials at all carnivals whether they have competitors competing or not. Club obligations are to be met for the duration of the carnival (Start to Finish). To ensure this occurs, a 'sign off' sheet will be used this year along with the normal sign on sheet. Referees will close down areas or remove a club from the competition arena should a club fail to meet their obligation. Officials are to report to the Chief Marshall to "Sign On" at the start of the day and "Sign Off" at the end of the day from their designated arena. The following appointments have been made for the 2016/17 season.

Carnival Referee: Glenn Patten

Carnival Deputy Referees: Marg Lamerton (Beach)
& Richard Crowe (Water)

Water Area Referees: Peter McMutrie, Jim Urandoff, plus 1 TBC.

Sprint Track Referee: Michael Domeracki

Flag Area Referees: Gary Abed

Liaison Officer: Darryl Pope

Club Official Quotas

Aldinga Bay	1
Brighton	4
Chiton Rocks	0
Christies Beach	2
Glenelg	7
Goolwa	0
Grange	8
Henley	4
Moana	4
Normanville	0
North Haven	0
Port Elliot	1
Pt Noarlunga	2
Seacliff	7
Semaphore	4
Somerton	4
South Port	4
West Beach	8

Please refer to Circular C16054 for details in relation to level '0' and level '1' probationary officials and quotas.

Safety and Emergency Committee

A Safety and Emergency Committee shall be appointed which must consider and advise the Referee and CC on all matters relating to competition and non-competition safety and emergency services. **At smaller events the CC will also undertake the role of the Safety and Emergency Committee.** If a separate Safety and Emergency Committee is set up, the chair of the Safety and Emergency Committee shall be the Safety and Emergency Services Coordinator who shall also be a member of the CC. The composition of the Safety and Emergency Committee will be determined by SLSSA or the CC and will include the below. Specific names will be announced in each event final Circular.

COMPETITION and SAFETY AND EMERGENCY COMMITTEE
Event Referee
Event Deputy Referee
Relevant Area/Sectional Referee(s)
SLSSA or SSAC representative
Host Club Representative (2 min.)
Safety and Emergency Services Coordinator
Water Safety Coordinator
Power Craft Operator or Representative(s)
Athlete representative(s)
Bureau of Meteorology rep when available

Water Cover

Please be advised that the Carnival **IRB roster** has been discussed and agreed upon by the SA IRB Panel and the Surf Sports Standing Committee. The roster will be the minimum requirement for the conduct of South Australian carnivals.

The following IRBS's have been allocated for the Moana Carnival.

2016/2017 CARNIVAL WATER COVER ROSTER		
CARNIVAL No.	CLUB	NUMBER OF FULLY EQUIPPED IRB'S
#1 - Moana Sunday 27th November	Moana	1 plus back up
	Christies Beach	1
	Port Elliot	1

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Clubs are required to provide a fully equipped (including radio), operational IRB with competent crew (1 x driver and 1 x crew) able to handle the conditions on the day. Crews may be interchanged during the day however this is the responsibility of the club. Please note that host clubs will also be required to have a backup IRB in case of breakdown.

IRB crews will be required to report to the **Safety and Emergency Services Coordinator** no later than 7.30am for allocation to their area. Crews will be required to lay their respective area cans, provide appropriate water cover throughout the entire carnival program and retrieve cans at the conclusion of the day.

With the introduction of U14's into senior carnivals it will now be a requirements for clubs with competitors that do not yet hold their SRC to provide extra water cover. Each Club is to supply qualified (proficient Bronze Medallion or Surf Rescue Certificate) water safety person/s with a SLSA approved rescue tube or board for the duration of the carnival at a ratio of **1 water cover to every 5 non-SRC competitors.** Clubs' duty of care to their own members should see them equip their person with a Rescue Board on inclement weather days so they are not physically in the water too long.

These people are to sign on at the Marshalling Desk by NO LATER THAN 8.15 am – in the Carnival Patrol Log Book. Clubs should ensure their person is adequately protected from the elements (i.e. sunscreen, shirt/rash top, hat where possible, wetsuit & blanket if cold etc) and should have a **person to substitute**, especially when weather conditions warrant such.

Qualified water safety persons are those who are registered members of SLSSA and hold current award proficiency for the Bronze Medallion (50% must hold Bronze Medallion) or the Surf Rescue Certificate.

A carnival Patrol Log is available for recording hours. This patrol log will be completed on the day and duly signed at the completion of the carnival event activities; all hours will be logged by SLSSA into SurfGuard.



For more information regarding information in this circular please contact Surf Sports & Event Officer Abbey Lindley on 8354 6900 or abbey.lindley@surflifesavingsa.com.au

Good luck to all competitors, Age Group Managers, Officials and support personnel