



The life of the beach.

## **SURF LIFE SAVING SA**

PO Box 108, Torrensville SA 5031  
219 Henley Beach Road, Torrensville SA 5031  
Phone: 08 8354 6900  
Facsimile: 08 8354 6999  
Web Site: [www.surfrescue.com.au](http://www.surfrescue.com.au)

# **C I R C U L A R**

**Circular No:** C010006  
**TO:** Presidents, Captains, Junior Officers, Youth Development Committee, Secretaries  
**FROM:** Stephen Cornish, Camp Coordinator  
**DATE:** 3rd February 2010  
**SUBJECT:** 2010 'Be Active' U15 – U17, U11/U12 & U13/U14 State Development Camps

---

Previous State based development camps have been acknowledged as a success, and such programs supported by SLSSA and Clubs as viable and necessary to ensure the future of Surf Life Saving.

This season Surf Life Saving SA is again conducting camps for members from all age groups U11 – U17 (for season 2009/2010). The Camps provide the opportunity for young members to be exposed to the many elements of Surf Life Saving. Additionally the program will encompass team building, personal development and a strong emphasis on fun.

The camps will be conducted at the **Encounters Camp and Conference Centre, Victor Harbor** during the April School Holidays as detailed below.

<b>U15 - U17 members</b> (season 2009/2010)	<b>Make own way to camp to arrive at 10.30 am, Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2010</b> <b>Make own way home from camp departing 3.30 pm, Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2010</b>
<b>U11/U12 members</b> (season 2009/2010)	<b>Bus Departs Surf Life Saving SA 1.00 pm, Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2010</b> <b>Bus Returns: Surf Life Saving SA 12.45pm, Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2010</b>
<b>U13/U14 members</b> (season 2009/2010)	<b>Bus Departs Surf Life Saving SA 1.00 pm, Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2010</b> <b>Bus Returns: Surf Life Saving SA 12.45pm, Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April 2010</b>

**NOTE: Transport to and from the camp is via Bus is for U11 – U14's only. Members wishing to make alternative transport arrangements need to specify this on the application form.**

Clubs should encourage members they believe are potential future leaders within their Club to nominate. A limited number of participants will be allowed at each camp. Should applications received exceed this number clubs will be requested to prioritise their members. Each Club is guaranteed a minimum of **two (2) members** for each of the camps.

## **OVERVIEW**

The Surf Life Saving SA Development Camps are designed to provide a range of skills to participants. Participants are to be current members in the U11 – U17 age groups (season 2009/2010) who completed the relevant age Awards or Surf Education modules during the season. Participants will be exposed to a variety of sessions that are designed to challenge them personally and in a team concept.

Objectives include:

- Enrich participants involvement in Surf Life Saving - retain members by offering satisfying experiences which are mutually beneficial.
- Offer personal development opportunities - realise an individuals potential.
- Promoting teamwork and socialisation.



The life of the beach.

## **COSTS**

Clubs are advised cost per member attending the camps are not finalised however will not exceed \$150 per member. These costs include all meals, use of equipment and facilities, accommodation, resources and other literature, transport to and from the camp and a camp pack (including a camp shirt).

Clubs will be invoiced the total costs for members attending from their club. **Clubs are encouraged to meet or subsidise these costs.**

## **CAMP SUPERVISION**

All members of the camp management team and camp assistants are registered members of Surf Life Saving SA who have completed all elements of the SLSA member protection policy including a current police certificate.

## **CAMP ASSISTANTS** (important information for Clubs)

To ensure sufficient and appropriate supervision of members while attending the camp each Club is required to provide 1 person for a minimum of 1 day and night to assist the camp organisers.

These members are required to have the following qualifications.

1. Registered member for season 2009/2010.
2. Be a minimum of 18 years of age.
3. Current Police Certificate (SLSSA will assist these people in obtaining this certificate).

To assist with coordination of helpers, Clubs are required to complete the attached Camp Assistance Form and return to SLSSA also no later than **12noon Friday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2010**.

## **FUTURE CORRESPONDENCE**

Applicants will receive all future correspondence regarding the camps via email. Therefore it is imperative that all applications include an email address that is regularly checked. This information will include:

- Camp program and timetable
- Directions (for people not using the camp bus)
- What to bring
- Camp contacts
- Camp supervisors
- Camp overview

### **NOTE:**

**This information will also be available on the website when details are finalised**

## **APPLICATIONS**

Application and consent forms are available on the Surf Life Saving SA website [www.surfrescue.com.au](http://www.surfrescue.com.au). Completed application forms are to be forwarded to Surf Life Saving SA.

***Applications close: 12 Noon, Friday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2010.***

## **ENQUIRIES**

All enquiries regarding the camp are to be directed to Stephen Cornish (SLSSA Camp Coordinator).  
Phone: 8354 6900      Mobile: 0422 606 575      Email: [stevec@surfrescue.com.au](mailto:stevec@surfrescue.com.au)