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To: Club Presidents, Club Captains, Club Secretary, Carnival Referee's, IRB Captain, Junior Coordinators

From: Michael Schetter, Surf Life Saving SA

Date: 11 November 2011

Subject: Carnival Water Safety and IRB Requirements

Due to the introduction of the new Carnival Program for Junior Carnivals and the requirement for an extra water area, there is also a requirement to increase the number of water cover personnel. As outlined in the Junior Activity Handbook, 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.

These people are to sign on at the Administration Desk by NO LATER THAN 8.30 am – in the Carnival Patrol Log Book. They will then be allocated to a competition area depending on conditions, events and participant numbers. Clubs should ensure their person/s 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.

To adequately meet requirements, the following will be implemented for Junior Carnivals in season 2011-12.

Number of competitors	Number of water cover personnel club to supply.
5 - 45	1
45 - 90	2
90 +	3

IRB requirements:

Please be advised that the roster below has been discussed and agreed upon by the SA IRB Panel and endorsed by the Surf Sports Standing Committee. The roster will be the minimum requirement for the conduct of South Australian Carnivals on the Surf Sports Calendar of events 2011/12.

Clubs are required to provide a fully equipped, 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 back up IRB in case of breakdown.

IRB crews will be required to report to the Carnival Safety Officer (Mr Bob Menhennett) no later than 7.00 am 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.



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If crews are using a state allocated IRB and motor, both boat and motor will be required to be washed down at the completion of use. If there is no water available at the site, this will be carried out at SLSSA Boat Shed, Lonsdale on return that afternoon. All damage no matter how minor will be reported to the Carnival Safety Officer or SLSSA Surf Sports Manager on the day or by 10.00 am on the following Monday of the carnival (SLSSA 8354 6900). Failure to meet this obligation will result in repairs being charged to the last rostered club.

A carnival Patrol Log is available for recording hours and is located in the carnival caravan. 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.

Host clubs will provide sufficient drinks/food throughout the carnival for all crew members of IRB's.

We understand that each year changes are required and swaps made between clubs. Please notify me on the contact details below if this is the case or if you would like to discuss any modifications.

CARNIVAL IRB ALLOCATION:

2011/2012 CARNIVAL WATER COVER ROSTER		
JUNIOR CARNIVALS		
CARNIVAL No.	CLUB	NUMBER OF FULLY EQUIPPED IRB'S
SOMERTON 20 th November 2011	Seacliff	1
	Brighton	1
	Glenelg	1
	Somerton	2
SEMAPHORE 4 th December 2011	Semaphore	2
	Glenelg	1
	North Haven	1
	TBC	
NORMANVILLE 15 th January 2012	Normanville	1
	Moana	1
	Christies Beach	1
	Semaphore	1
	TBC	
GLENELG 19 th February 2012	Brighton	1
	Seacliff	1
	Glenelg	2
	TBC	
JUNIOR QUALIFYING PORT NOARLUNGA 3 rd March 2012	Port Noarlunga	3
	Moana	1
	South Port	1
SATURDAY STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS SEACLIFF 17 th March 2012	Brighton	1
	Seacliff	1
	Grange	1
	West Beach	1
	SLSSA (Seacliff)	1
SUNDAY STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS SEACLIFF 18 th March 2012	Brighton	1
	Glenelg	1
	Seacliff	1
	Henley	1
	SLSSA (Seacliff)	1



2011/2012 CARNIVAL WATER COVER ROSTER		
MASTERS STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS		
PORT ELLIOT 25 th and 26 th February 2012	CLUB	NUMBER OF FULLY EQUIPPED IRB'S
	Port Elliot	1
	Chiton Rocks	1
	Grange	1

2011/2012 CARNIVAL WATER COVER ROSTER		
SENIOR CARNIVALS		
CARNIVAL No.	CLUB	NUMBER OF FULLY EQUIPPED IRB'S
MOANA 27 th November 2011	Moana	2
	Port Noarlunga	1
CHRISTIES BEACH 11 th December 2011	Christies Beach	1
	Aldinga Bay	1
	Port Noarlunga	1
GOOLWA 12 th February 2012	Port Noarlunga	2
	Semaphore	1
SENIOR QUALIFYING PORT NOARLUNGA 4 th March 2012	Port Noarlunga	3
	SLSSA (Boats)	2
SATURDAY STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS SOUTH PORT 10 th March 2012	South Port	1
	Port Noarlunga	1
	Christies Beach	1
	Chiton Rocks	1
	SLSSA (Boats)	2
SUNDAY STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS SOUTH PORT 11 th March 2012	South Port	1
	Semaphore	1
	Port Noarlunga	1
	Port Elliot	1
	SLSSA (Boats)	2

If you have any changes or concerns you would like to discuss please contact me on:

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