



2008 Senior Surf Life Saving Championships & 2008 Westpac Junior Surf Life Saving Championships

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The main change for 2008 is that the Lifesaving events of the 2008 Championships will be held on a different date. They are scheduled for Saturday 2nd August 2008 at 1.00 pm at Casuarina Beach, Darwin and information on these events will be issued separately.

Due to the logistics of conducting the Championships in Broome WA it is very important that clubs enter their members by the closing date for entries. Late entries should be avoided and only used for members in highly exceptional circumstances.

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ENTRY FEES

Entry fees are determined according to a member's age group as follows...

'Seniors' (U15 - Masters)	\$30 per person
'Juniors' (U8 – U14)	\$15 per person
Late Entries (all categories)	\$50 per person
Late Entry to Additional Events	\$10 per event to max of \$50 (see below)

CLOSE OF ENTRIES

Monday 8th September 2008 at 5.00 pm.

Late entries can be accepted up to 2 days before the event.

ENTRY FORM

Entry information, typed onto the Entry Form document and emailed to SLSNT, is the only acceptable method of entering the Championships.

SURFGUARD

Surf Life Saving NT will access SurfGuard to provide assurance of a competitor's eligibility for the Championships and will specifically check that members entered in the Championships are registered, proficient and have accrued patrol hours as required. Competitors will not be permitted to compete at these Championships if SurfGuard does not confirm eligibility.

ENTRY CONDITIONS

All members entered in the SLSNT Surf Life Saving Championships must be:

1. REGISTERED: Registered on SurfGuard as financial members of their club
2. PROFICIENT: Meet SLSNT proficiency requirements for their award/age groups.

PATROL HOUR REQUIREMENTS

Patrol Hour requirements are valid for the period 1/7/2007 – 30/6/2008.

Active Members (inc Open, U/19, U/17 and U/15): 16 hours or more.

Active Reserve Members: 8 hours or more.

Long Service & Life Members: Exempt.

Members gaining their Bronze Medallion or Surf Rescue Certificate since the last championships but before 30 June 2008 must have completed a minimum of 8 patrol hours by the close of entries.

Members gaining their Bronze Medallion or Surf Rescue Certificate between 30 June 2008 and the close of entries must have completed a minimum of 4 patrol hours.



ENTRY FORMS

Clubs are required to submit the 2008 Northern Territory Surf Life Saving Championships Entry Form and, for all competitors, must list:

- Surname and Given names in full

This information must be consistent with data in SurfGuard.

Membership Classifications:

Active (U/15 & above)	A
Under 15	C
Reserve Active	RA
Long Service	LS
Life member	LM
Junior Activity	N

"For the purpose of determining an age group classification, all competitors will have a common birth date calculated as at midnight on September 30, 2008 and the age at that date shall determine his/her age for competition in that season." Masters must be a MINIMUM 35 years of age.

MEDALS AND TROPHIES

Medals will be awarded to the first 3 places in each event. Aggregate Point, age and event trophies where they exist will be presented to eligible winners.

Only Members competing for Gove Peninsula SLSC, Darwin SLSC, Broome SLSC and Mindil Beach SLSC are eligible to claim NT Titles Trophies.

There is to be a minimum of 3 entrants per event before that event will be held.

POLICIES & RULES

The SLSNT 2008 Surf Life Saving Championships will be conducted in accordance with SLSA policies (available from the SLSA Web site www.slsa.asn.au) and the rules, procedures and conditions set out in the current edition of the SLSA Surf Sports Manual and subsequent bulletins.

SUBMITTING ENTRY FORMS

The official entry form must be used. A typed documents in Word format, and submitted by email, is the only acceptable method of entry.

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