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100 1922 2022

100 YEARS OF VOLUNTEERS
SOUTH NARRABEEN SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB



1200 Pittwater Rd, Narrabeen www.snslsc.org.au

Welcome to the 2021/2022 season at South Narrabeen Surf Lifesaving Club.

Once again we are starting the season with many uncertainties about getting out and back to the beach. The Committee is taking the approach that we will be back and we will have an action packed season which has seen us continue to plan the usual events such as Halloween, Christmas and Australia day as well as a few other events as we lead up to our 100th Anniversary, the Clubs social committee has been busy organising our annual events which are held throughout the season for Club members and their guests. All planned events will be publicised on the club's web site as well on the South Narrabeen Surf Lifesaving Club Facebook page as soon as we can depending on what COVID restrictions are in place.

Updates on Surf Lifesaving COVID requirements can be found at

www.surflifesaving.com.au/resources/coronavirus-covid-19-updates-resources-slsnsw-clubs

Your Directors of your Club Committee this season are,

President – Peter Madden – president@snslsc.org.au

Director of Administration – Richard Dowling – secretary@snslsc.org.au

Director of Finance – Alan Brightman – finance@snslsc.org.au

Director of Lifesaving – Annie Yan – lifesaving@snslsc.org.au

Director of Education – Mike Renie – education@snslsc.org.au

Director of Junior Activities – Claudia Ritter – nippers@snslsc.org.au

Director of Surf Sports – Thecla Haven – competition@snslsc.org.au

Director of Sponsorship & Grants - Ratna Selvaratnam – sponsorship@snslsc.org.au

Director of Facilities – Tony Haven – building@snslsc.org.au

Please feel free to see us at the club or email us with any feedback that you have as we can only get better with everyone's ideas and input. If you want to get involved in the running of the club we would love to hear from you, we are currently looking for members to join our sub committees which are an important part of the clubs management structure, our current sub-committees are,

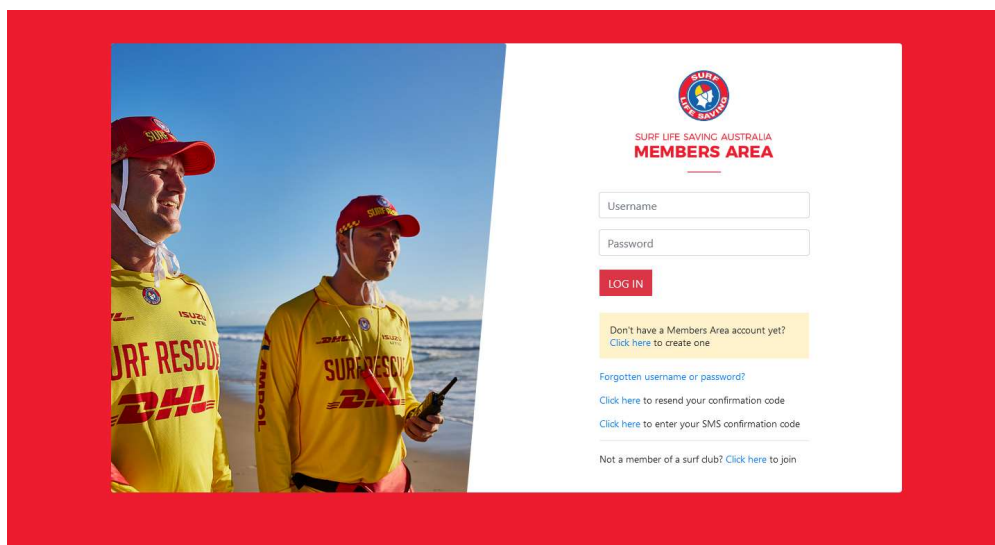
- Lifesaving and Education Sub-committee
- Nippers Sub-Committee
- Social Committee
- History Sub-committee
- Building and Development Sub-committee
- Life Member and Honours Sub-committee
- Rules and Constitution Sub-committee

For more information on our sub committees please email memberservices@snslsc.org.au or see us at the beach on Sunday mornings.

Registrations are now open for the season and can be done online at www.snslsc.org.au/membership .

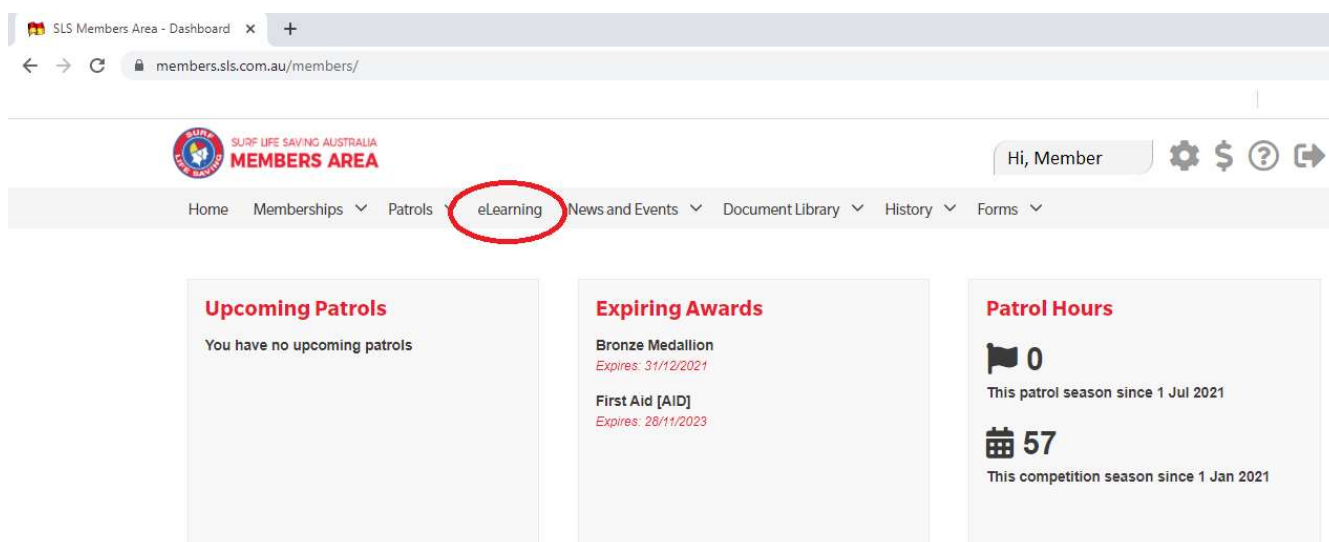
Existing Active members

Memberships are now open and can be completed online using the Surf Lifesaving members portal at <https://members.sls.com.au/> . Follow the instructions on the page. Membership renewal is required to be completed prior to the commencement of the Patrolling season which starts on Saturday 18th September 2021.



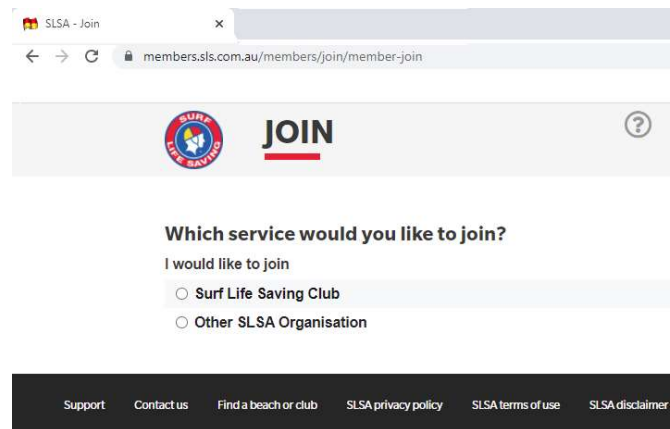
Please remember to complete your required Lifesaving proficiency modules before December as we need to have all proficiency requirements closed off by the end of the year. If you have any questions regarding your proficiencies, please email education@snslsc.org.au with your questions.

All the Proficiency modules for your Surf Lifesaving awards can be found in the members eLearning area at <https://www.surflifesaving.com.au/members>, login and select eLearning at the top of the page



New Patrolling Members

If you are joining South Narrabeen SLSC for the first time you can register at <https://members.sls.com.au/members/join/member-join> or come down to the club on any weekend during the season and meet us and see what we have to offer or email memberservices@snslsc.org.au

A screenshot of a web browser showing the 'SLSA - Join' page. The browser address bar shows 'members.sls.com.au/members/join/member-join'. The page features the SLSA logo (a red circle with a white surfboard and a blue wave) and the word 'JOIN' in large, bold, black letters. Below this, the text asks 'Which service would you like to join?' and provides two radio button options: 'Surf Life Saving Club' and 'Other SLSA Organisation'. At the bottom of the page, there is a dark navigation bar with links for 'Support', 'Contact us', 'Find a beach or club', 'SLSA privacy policy', 'SLSA terms of use', and 'SLSA disclaimer'.

Become a Lifesaver

Membership for active (Patrolling) members who complete their required Patrol obligations is free and includes use of the clubs gym and other equipment, training courses are run throughout the year and are at no cost to current active members, membership categories and cost can be found at www.snslsc.org.au/membership . To be an active Patrolling member you do not need to hold a Bronze medallion, there are other qualifications that can be gained depending on your ability such as First aid or radio operator which will allow you to join a patrol group and wear the Red and Yellow uniform and become Part of Australia’s most iconic volunteer organisation All inquiries regarding becoming a life saver can be sent to lifesaving@snslsc.org.au

Nippers

Nipper age groups are from 5 to 13 years, a child who reaches five years of age after 30 September may join nippers at that time; however, this child will be required to stay in the U6 nippers age group again the following season. To find out more on Surf Lifesavings Nipper program go to <https://www.surflifesaving.com.au/nippers> To join Nippers at South Narrabeen go to <http://www.snslsc.org.au/nippers.html> and follow the instructions. Nippers are run on Sunday mornings from 9:30 and usually finish by around 11:00 however we usually have fun social activities so you can stay and play at the club all day. All inquiries for Nippers can be sent to nippers@snslsc.org.au

Youth Development Program “Rookies”

The Rookie Program is a youth development program to assist with the education and retention of our 13 to 17 year old members through a structured development program. South Narrabeen SLSC members become a ‘Rookie’ when they achieve their Surf Rescue Certificate at the age of 13 (Under 14 Nippers). They stay in this program and can achieve their Bronze Medallion that allows them to be fully participating Patrol members. They also have the opportunity to earn other awards like IRB crew and driver, advanced First Aid and gain their Silver and Gold Medallion allowing them to be paid Life Guards To find out more about this fantastic program go to <https://www.surflifesaving.net.au/member-services/13-17s-youth/>

I’m looking forward to seeing you all very soon at the club and hope that we have a long and enjoyable summer without any COVID disruptions.

Regards

Peter Madden
President
South Narrabeen SLSC