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Title: Development Lifeguarding Camp 2023 - EOI
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Department: Surf Sports/Development
Audience: Club Presidents, Club Secretaries, Club Captains, Youth Coordinators
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Summary:	SLSSA is calling for Expressions of Interest from Clubs for U14-U15 members (+ adult helpers) to attend the Youth Development Camp, Tuesday 18 th – Thursday 20 th April 2023
Action:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Clubs are to nominate and prioritise youth members to attend, based on the ratio of 2 female and 2 male members from each clubClubs intending to send +3 members are expected to provide a volunteer (chaperone) assistantCamp participant nominations are to be submitted by a Club representative here: https://form.jotform.com/230308637564862 by 12noon Monday 27th February 2023Adults/volunteer helpers are to complete the EOI here: https://form.jotform.com/230310744658858 by 12noon Monday 27th February 2023

SLSSA is excited to continue with another annual camp to the Youth calendar. This camp is a smorgasbord of activities and cross-club networking to keep teenagers interested and involved in Surf Life Saving activities.

Surf Life Saving SA is seeking expressions of interest for youth member and adult helpers to attend the new Youth Development Camp:

Tuesday 18th April – Thursday 20th April

Adare Camp Grounds, Victor Harbour

Cost TBC, but will not exceed \$250 per participant

Camp activities & expected outcomes

The aim of the Youth Development Camp is to allow participants to explore the different pathways open to them as they transition to Senior patrolling members of their club. Although the timetable is still being created, the activities may include:

- Lifesaving Skills
- Personal development
- Leadership & teamwork
- Fun activities

The itinerary will be determined by the skill sets of the volunteers we can confirm as well as the resources available.

Participants

As some clubs may not have four members suitable to attend, it is suggested the bigger clubs have a reserve list of participants they would like to include if space is available. This camp is aimed at those who have finished Juniors and are now looking to broaden their Surf Life Saving experience. **It is to assist clubs with retention of youth members, which has the highest drop-out rate of any membership category.**



Volunteers

Like participants, volunteers will be provided accommodation and all meals and snacks. **Helpers required include:**

- 3x bus drivers (22 seater)
- Water cover, including an IRB crew/Driver
- General chaperone duties; may include driving a ute, 12 seater van or staying at the accommodation and assisting with cooking, cleaning and other logistics
- Activity & games leaders

EOI form for volunteers here: <https://form.jotform.com/230310744658858>

Requirements of all participants:

- Must be current financial members of their respective club(s) and be held in good standing
- **Campers** must have participated as an U14 or U15 in the 2022/23 patrolling season
- **Helpers** must be a minimum age of 18 years; hold a current Working With Children Check (WWCC)
- **Helpers**, some roles may require National Police Check (NPC)

More information will be forth-coming and updated on the Team-Up calendar:

<https://www.surflifesavingsa.com.au/calendar>

Please remember to **submit EOI's by Monday 27th February.**

Queries?

Please contact the SLSSA Development team at: development@surflifesavingsa.com.au or call Henry Street, Development Coordinator on 8354 6900.