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## Circular

**Title:** Glenelg Sprint Challenge (Summer of Surf) – information & entries  
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<b>Summary:</b>	Summer of Surf Event (Senior Carnival 2) will be held on Saturday 9 November 2023 at Glenelg SLSC. Event details & entry process are detailed in this document.
<b>Action:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Circulate the carnival information to relevant members</li><li>• Complete competitor entries via <a href="#">SEMS</a> by 10am - Friday 1 December 2023</li><li>• Complete the <a href="#">Officials &amp; Volunteer Roster</a> by 10am - Monday 4 December 2023</li><li>• Check Event Calendar Page for any further event updates</li></ul>

### GENERAL DETAILS

**Carnival type:** Summer of Surf - Senior Carnival  
**Date:** Saturday 9 December 2023  
**Venue/Host:** Glenelg Beach

Please note that results from this carnival may be used to assist with selection for SA Reds & Interstate Ocean/Beach Teams.

### Queries?

If you have any enquiries, please don't hesitate to contact the Surf Sports team at SLSSA [Surf.Sports@surflifesavingsa.com.au](mailto:Surf.Sports@surflifesavingsa.com.au) or call (08) 8354 6900

## ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

### Entries

**No additional entries will be accepted after the close of late entries or on the day of the event.** This includes Team events. Competitors and/or team managers should check the event page via Live Heats prior to the close of late entries (10am, Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December) to ensure they are entered correctly.

### Composite Teams & Entries

Composite Team requests **MUST** be entered via SEMS. Please change the team name to composite. Composite teams will be allocated on the morning of event after the team managers meeting. Once teams are allocated these teams will be final.

### How to enter competitors

Entries must be submitted via [SEMS](#) (find 2023 Glenelg Sprint Challenge- Summer of Surf)

- A guide to entering entries can be found [here on our website](#)
- If you require SEMS access for another Club officer/s tasked with entering competitors for carnivals; please request this via email to [ithelp@slsa.asn.au](mailto:ithelp@slsa.asn.au)

### Entry Fees

The carnival entry fee is set at **\$45.00 + GST per entered competitor**. Any entries received after the close of entries (10am, Friday 1<sup>st</sup> of December) and before the close of late entries (10am, Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December) will be charged at \$70 + GST per entered competitor.

Clubs will be invoiced for all entered competitors following the carnival.

### Eligibility

All eligibility criteria as detailed below **MUST** be achieved AND showing in Surfguard by the date of the close of entries (Fri 1 December 2023).

	Continuing Members <i>Gained the required award/s in 2022/23 season or earlier &amp; was proficient in 2022/23</i>	New Members <i>Gained or is gaining the required award/s in 2023/24</i>	Returning Members <i>Gained the required award/s in 2021/22 or earlier AND was not proficient in 2022/23</i>
SLSC Membership	Registered <sup>2</sup> in Surfguard for either 2022/23 or 2023/24 <i>NOTE: Clubs may have more specific requirements</i>	Registered <sup>2</sup> in Surfguard for 2023/24	Registered <sup>2</sup> in Surfguard for 2022/23
Award/s	Be the holder of a proficient Bronze Medallion <sup>1</sup>	Have completed the basic assessment <sup>3</sup> as a minimum (Award for non-award holders 120 days' &/or be the holder of a proficient Bronze Medallion <sup>1</sup>	Have completed the basic assessment <sup>3</sup> as a minimum (Award for non-award holders 120 days' &/or Be the holder of a proficient Bronze Medallion <sup>1</sup>
Patrol Hours	No minimum patrol hour requirement applies for non-championship carnivals.		
Other	Must not be in default with their Club or SLSSA in relation to their service, financial or discipline obligations		

## Eligibility (Continued)

<sup>1</sup> For Under 15 age category members, the award required is Surf Rescue Certificate and/or Bronze Medallion; Proficient is defined as the award expiry date being later than the date of close of entries for the relevant event; NOTE: for Under 14 age group members, the minimum award for these carnivals is a proficient Junior Activities Under 13 Competition Skills Evaluation from last season or Under 14 Competition Skills Evaluation this season if only joined in 23-24 (MUST have 1:5 water safety provision if not SRC qualified)

<sup>2</sup> Members are only eligible to compete for the Club with which their Competitive Rights are held

<sup>3</sup> For Under 17 age category and new members the basic assessment is the 400m pool swim (to be completed in <9minutes); for Under 15 age category members this is the 200m swim (to be completed in <5minutes). Other criteria apply (refer Use of SLSA Equipment Policy 1.02)

**If a member is not showing as eligible in SEMS then there might be a problem with either their registration, membership category/competition rights and/or award proficiency.** Please contact us if you have any queries re this.

## WATER SAFETY & RISK MANAGEMENT

The Safety & Emergency Committee will meet prior to the start of the carnival to determine any final procedures regarding water safety and risk management.

Should, at any stage prior to or during competition, there is a credible basis for concluding there is an unreasonable risk of serious injury occurring, the Safety & Emergency Committee and/or appropriate officials shall suspend all or parts of the competition. The Safety & Emergency Committee shall then decide whether to postpone, cancel or relocate all or parts of the competition. Should a risk assessment indicate that part, or all of the competition, not be conducted because of adverse weather or surf conditions, or another threat, the Competition and Safety and Emergency Committees will again decide whether to postpone or cancel all or parts of the competition.

## LIVE HEATS

**Wristbands** competitors are required to have a LiveHeats wristband.

- i. if competitors have one from previous events like Aussies, Summer of surf etc they can use those wristbands however should report to admin on arrival to ensure it is working if they haven't completed another event during the 2023/24 season.
- ii. If competitors do **NOT** have one, they can collect one for \$10 from the admin area prior to their first event.

## Entries & Random Draws

- i. Athletes and/or team managers should check the **LiveHeats** – SLSSA events page to ensure they are entered into all the events they wish to be entered in correctly as no additional entries will be accepted on the day.
- ii. Athletes need to take note of the random draw number they have been given for each event. The random draw will be visible on the **LiveHeats** – SLSSA events page. Athletes can search name to find random position number once the draws are published. This number will determine your position and heat after marshalling for an event is closed.
- iii. Athletes must arrive to the marshalling area ready to race (Wristband, Club cap, Hi Vis, Craft)
- iv. Athletes on arrival must get their wristband scanned before entering the marshalling pen area. Once in the marshalling pen athletes must stay in the area until called.
- v. After finished their race athletes wristband will be scanned to record results

**Results** will be available on the **LiveHeats** – SLSSA events page.

## EVENTS

Heats/Finals Format, heats to be randomly drawn.

Events	U14	U15	U17	Open
Surf Race	✓	✓	✓	✓
Board Race	✓	✓	✓	✓
Single Ski			✓	✓
Iron Person	✓	✓	✓	✓
4 Person- Mixed Cameron		✓	✓	
6 Person- Mixed Taplin				✓
Beach Sprints	✓	✓	✓	✓
Beach Flags	✓	✓	✓	✓
Beach Relay- Mixed		✓	✓	✓

### Individual Events

- U14s & U15s must compete in their own age group only.
- U17s can complete in U17 &/or Open

### Team Events

- U14s can complete in U15 team events.
- U15s that are 15 years of age and have obtained their bronze medallion can compete in U17 team events.
- U17s Can complete in both U17 & Open team events.

Mixed Cameron= 2 Male & 2 Female; 1x Swimmer, 1x Board Paddler (1x male & 1x female), 2x Runners (1x male & 1x female)

Mixed Taplin= 1 Male & 1x Female Swimmer, 1 Male & 1x Female Board Paddler, 1 Male & 1x Female Ski Paddler.

## RACE STARTS & FINISHES

### Water Event Starts:

Unless otherwise advised, all water events shall be started on the beach with a run start. Craft will be placed in front of the start line and as close as practicable to the water's edge. Handlers are not required for the start.

### Water Event Finishes:

Unless otherwise advised, all water events shall be a run finish. Handlers are to remove craft and paddles from the course.

## MEDALS & PRIZE MONEY

- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Place medals will be awarded for all individual disciplines (by age/gender category)
- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in individual **Open events** will also be awarded Prize Money as per the following,
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Place in individual events= \$250
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in individual events= \$150
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in individual events= \$100

**\$1000 prize Pool to be shared by any open competitor/s who wins 3 out of 4 Open Ocean events or 2 out of 2 Open beach events.**

- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in the Open 6 Person Mixed Taplin teams will be awarded as per the following,
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Place = \$500, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place = \$250, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place = \$150

**PROGRAM**

	BLUE WATER AREA (South)	PINK WATER AREA (North)
<b>10.15am</b>	Officials Briefing	
<b>10.30am</b>	Team Managers Briefing	
<b>10.45am</b>	Marshalling commences	
<b>11.00am</b>	<p><b>Iron Race (Heats)</b>            U14 Male            U17 Male            U15 Male            Open Male</p> <p><b>Single Ski</b>            U17 Male            Open Male</p> <p><b>Surf Race</b>            U14 Male            U17 Male            U15 Male            Open Male</p> <p><b>Board Race</b>            U14 Male            U17 Male            U15 Male            Open Male</p> <p><b>Iron Race (Finals)</b>            U14 Male            U17 Male            U15 Male            Open Male</p> <p><b>Mixed Cameron/Taplin</b>            U17 Mixed Cameron            Open Mixed Taplin</p>	<p><b>Iron Race (Heats)</b>            U14 Female            U17 Female            U15 Female            Open Female</p> <p><b>Single Ski</b>            U17 Female            Open Female</p> <p><b>Surf Race</b>            U14 Female            U17 Female            U15 Female            Open Female</p> <p><b>Board Race</b>            U14 Female            U17 Female            U15 Female            Open Female</p> <p><b>Iron Race (Finals)</b>            U14 Female            U17 Female            U15 Female            Open Female</p> <p><b>Mixed Cameron</b>            U15 Mixed</p>
	<b>BEACH AREA</b>	
<b>4.15pm</b>	Officials Briefing	
<b>4:30pm</b>	Team Managers Briefing	
<b>4:45pm</b>	Marshalling commences	
<b>5:00pm</b>	<p><b>Beach Sprint</b>            U14 Male            U14 Female            U17 Male            U17 Female            U15 Male            U15 Female            Open Male            Open Female</p> <p><b>Beach Relay</b>            Mixed U17            Mixed U15            Mixed Open</p>	
	<p><b>Flag Pit 1</b>            U17 Male &amp; Female            Open Male &amp; Female</p>	<p><b>Flag Pit 2</b>            U14 Male &amp; Female            U15 Male &amp; Female</p>

## CLUB REQUIREMENTS

Please click the link to fill in the [Officials & Volunteer Roster](#) with applicable names as below

### 1. Officials

Thank you to those officials who have already volunteered for this carnival. Role allocations have been made accordingly.

- a. Remaining allocations to be filled by club officials as per rostered allocation (please select names as appropriate on the roster) If you have a new official that has recently completed the minimum requirements and not showing on the volunteer sheet please email [surf.sport@surflifesavingsa.com.au](mailto:surf.sport@surflifesavingsa.com.au)
- b. Must SIGN ON at the Carnival Admin tent.
- c. Should wear either an officials shirt or alternatively sunsmart plain clothing (no club branding). Coloured vests will be available for officials to put on over their clothing to denote they are officiating in that particular area.
- d. BYO sunsmart hat, water bottle (water will be available in the area to FILL your own drink bottle), sunscreen, note pad, pen.

### 2. Under 14 competitors

- Clubs with Under 14 competitors who have NOT yet completed their Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC) are to provide **COMPETENT** water safety personnel (WSP) with their own Rescue Board in the ratio of 1 WSP: 5 competitors.
- These duties can be shared between clubs to ensure the ratio is maintained whilst not overcrowding the water arena with additional craft.
- Please provide details of the number of Under 14s WITHOUT an SRC on the Officials & Volunteers sheet & ensure your Club meets the above requirements.

### 3. Photographers

- Must have meet the requirements completed the [Accreditation Request Form](#) (once per photographer for the season) as per [C23060 – Carnival Club Photographers 23-24](#)
- The number of photographers per Club is limited to a maximum of 3 at any one time.
- A maximum of 1 x photographer per Club in any competition area also applies.
- Photographers must SIGN ON at the Carnival Admin tent & will receive their media vest.
- They must then SIGN OUT at completion, returning vest.
- Photographers are to comply with Officials' directives regarding positioning etc.

### 4. Shallow Water Rescue personnel

- a. Competent, skilled surf swimmers (BM proficient) who would be called upon to assist should a shallow water rescue occur.
- b. List name/s of competent member/s who will be present at the carnival on the volunteer roster.
- c. Will be called for briefing at start of the day.

### 5. IRB Water Cover & First Aid

- a. IRBs – Glenelg SLSC & West Beach SLSC will be providing 1 x IRB each
- b. First Aid – Glenelg SLSC will provide first aiders for the event

## LOGISTICS

Will be provided on the event calendar page closer to the event.