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Title: U14/15 Development Lifeguarding Camp 2024 - EOI
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Department: Member 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 2xU14-U15 members (+ adult helper/s) to attend the Youth Development Camp, Tuesday 16 th – Thursday 18 th April 2024.
Action:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Clubs are to nominate and prioritise youth members to attend, based on the ratio of 1 female and 1 male member from each club• Clubs intending to send a member are expected to provide a volunteer (chaperone) assistant• Camp participant nominations are to be submitted by a Club representative here: https://form.jotform.com/240350790337858 by 12noon Monday 26th February 2024• Adults/volunteer helpers are to complete the EOI here: https://form.jotform.com/220606561796865 by 12noon Monday 26th February 2024

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 16th April – Thursday 18th April

Adare Camp Grounds, Victor Harbour

Cost \$260 per participant (inclusive of GST)

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

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:**

- Bus drivers (12-14 seaters)
- Water cover, including an IRB crew/Driver
- Group leader; may include driving a ute, 12 seater van but focus will be on leading a small group of campers for the bulk of the camp. May also involve assisting with cooking, cleaning and other logistics
- Cook, shopping and other logistics
- Activity & games leaders

EOI form for volunteers here: <https://form.jotform.com/220606561796865>

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 2023/24 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 26th February.**

Queries?

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