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## TERMS AND CONDITIONS



### PARENT/GUARDIAN ROLE AT THE LOCATION

Parents/guardians must remain at the location at all times during their child's participation in their designated class. We encourage parents and guardians to get involved in the activities. When arriving at the location, the parent/guardian should take their child to their designated instructor and ensure that their child is marked "IN" on the attendance sheet for that day. No child will be accepted before the start of their designated class time. After class, the onus is on the parent/guardian to ensure that instructors are aware their child has been collected.

### CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

Participants (in and out of the water) are expected to cooperate with the instruction and direction of instructors. Instructors are responsible for the children directly involved in their class while the class is being conducted. Inappropriate or disruptive behaviour could result in exclusion from classes. Instructors are not responsible for the general supervision of others at the location; parents/guardians should ensure that appropriate supervision is provided at all other times.

### SUN SMART

Surf Life Saving SA may not provide sunscreen for participants and encourages sun smart behaviour. Remember to slip, slop, slap, seek and slide.

### CLASS TIMES

Whilst every possible effort will be taken to comply with class bookings, we do not guarantee that these times will be available. Class times are subject to change at the last minute due to weather conditions or staffing requirements.

### MEDICAL CONDITIONS

If your child has a medical condition (e.g. asthma, attention deficit disorder, diabetes, epilepsy and/or others), it must be listed and detailed on the enrolment form. If necessary, please provide a detailed explanation of your child's medical condition.

Please note that whilst Instructors and Volunteers will be aware of the student's medical conditions, it is the responsibility of the parent or guardian to carry and administer medicines to their own child as required throughout the program. Parents and guardians must be nearby their child's class for the duration of the session.

### CHILDREN WITH A DISABILITY

Children with a disability are encouraged to participate in the program. Participation is conditional upon SLSSA being able to provide any additional support services, as arranged through consultation between Surf Life Saving SA (during the program lead-up) or the Instructor in Charge (during the program week) and the parent/guardian. Parents/guardians are encouraged to send an email and attach a note providing further explanation if required.

### PRIVACY POLICY

The SLSSA Privacy Policy is in accordance with the

Privacy Act 1988 and, Privacy Amendment (Enhancing Privacy Protection) Act 2012. All information collected and stored on the participant database will only be used for the purpose, nature and duration of the program. There will not be any disclosure of any information collected or stored on the participant database to a third party for any reason other than delivering products or services in relation to the Rippers Program.

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If you have a privacy concern or would like to verify information held about you, please contact the SLSSA office on (08) 8354 6900.

### PHOTOGRAPH/VIDEO

Surf Life Saving SA and the Rippers program have permission to utilise any photographs or footage taken of participants during the course of the program for future promotions in any media, with regards to promoting water safety awareness, or for reporting purposes. Any footage taken may be used for future promotions in any media, with regards to promoting water safety awareness, or for reporting purposes. Surf Life Saving SA will inform staff and parents if / when a drone will be used.

If you do not wish to have your child's photograph taken, please submit this in writing to [nippers@surflifesavingsa.com.au](mailto:nippers@surflifesavingsa.com.au) in addition to the Instructor in Charge on the first day of the program.

### RELEASE

As parent/guardian of the child listed on the enrolment form, I declare that the information I have provided is true and correct. I give my consent for the child to participate in the Rippers program.

I declare myself and my child are medically, mentally and physically fit and able to participate in the Rippers program. I will immediately notify SLSSA in writing through of any change to my medical condition, fitness and ability to participate. If my child requires medical treatment as a result of an emergency or accident, and contact with me is impracticable or impossible, I authorise Surf Life Saving SA and Rippers staff to arrange the appropriate medical assistance as necessary. I will pay all medical and dental expenses incurred on behalf of my child. I have supplied medical information including details of any additional health support that the child requires to safely participate in the program.

By completing this form, I consent to SLSSA using, disclosing and storing my personal information in accordance with the SLSSA Privacy Policy. I understand that the information I have provided in this form is necessary for the proper management of SLS Activities, administration of surf lifesaving and related activities in South Australia.

I acknowledge that I have read and understood the Terms and Conditions for participating in the program and agree that myself and my child will comply with the program rules, standards and requirements.

I acknowledge that my child participates at their own risk and will not hold employees or volunteers of Surf Life Saving SA liable for any accident, injury, property loss or cost occurring as a result of participating in the program, unless caused by negligence or a wrongful act or omission by employees or volunteers of Surf Life Saving SA.

I expressly agree to be responsible for the child listed on the enrolment form's behaviour and agree to personally accept in my capacity as parent or guardian the terms set out in these terms and conditions, including the provision by me of a release and indemnity in the terms set out above.