



# WEEKLY REVIEW

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

TITLE	DATE	DESCRIPTION	ACTION
SLSS Branch Portfolio Pre-Season Briefings	23 Aug 2025	<p>Surf Life Saving Sydney Pre-Season Briefing sessions are on Saturday 23 August 2025.</p> <p>The first Pre-Season Briefing session is the <b>Welcome &amp; Special Presentation</b> Time: 8:45am – 9:30am <a href="#">Meeting Link</a></p> <p><b>Lifesaving &amp; Rescue Services Session</b> Time: 9:45am – 10:30am <a href="#">Meeting Link</a></p> <p><b>Member Services Session</b> Time: 9:45am – 10:30am <a href="#">Meeting Link</a></p> <p><b>Surf Sports and Youth &amp; Junior Development Session</b> Time: 9:45am – 10:30am <a href="#">Meeting Link</a></p>	Refer to Circular 05 below for further information.
SLSS AGM	26 Aug 2025 7:00pm	Surf Life Saving Sydney will be holding their AGM on Tuesday, 26 August 2025 at the Sydney Branch Office in Little Bay. Interested parties and affiliate members are invited to attend.	-
SLSS Clubs Gear Inspections	31 Aug 2025	Surf Life Saving Sydney have confirmed Sunday 31 August 2025 as all Clubs Gear Inspection Day.	Refer to Circular 04 below for further information.
IRB Buoy Laying Course	20 Sept 2025 7am-11am South Maroubra SLSC	A half-day course on IRB Buoy Laying for Carnivals, Nippers, Special Events. Strongly recommended for IRB drivers and crew, particularly those who will set courses for club/ branch/ special events. SLSS encourage Clubs to nominate at least 2-4 members to attend this course. Further details TBC	Save the Date
Lifesaving Competition Workshop	21 Sept 2025 8am-12:30pm South Maroubra SLSC	Facilitators from Sydney Northern Beaches will deliver an introductory/ca workshop. Events covered include Champion Life Saver, Champion Patrol Competition, and First Aid. Looking to engage existing and potential competitors along with capacity-building officials. Further details TBC	Save the Date



## CIRCULARS & MEMOS



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SLSS Circular 08 – 2025 SLSS Interbranch Team Selection & Nomination Information <a href="#">Click here for link</a>	10 Oct 2025	Surf Life Saving Sydney invites ALL competitors in U12 to U17 Age Groups for the 2025/2026 Season to nominate for selection in the Sydney Branch Team to compete at the 2025 NSW Interbranch Championships to be held at Avoca SLSC on Saturday 29 November and Sunday 30 November 2025.	Refer to link.
SLSS Memo – RWC Operator Proficiency Information Season 2025-26 <a href="#">Click here for link</a>	-	All RWC operators are required to complete their annual proficiency for the 2025/26 season. Proficiencies and professional development sessions are essential to maintaining high standards and operational capability, while also improving safety for both the public and fellow operators. Proficiency must be completed by 31 December 2025.	Refer to link.
SLSS Memo - Patrol Operations Manual (POM) 2025-26 <a href="#">Click here for link</a>	31 Oct 2025	This memo is a reminder to Clubs to review and update your Patrol Operations Manual (POM) document for season 2025-26.	Refer to link.
SLSS Memo – Interbranch 2025 Competition & Trial Details <a href="#">Click here for link</a>	-	This year, SLSNSW Interbranch Championships are on 29 - 30 Nov 2025 at Avoca Beach SLSC. SLSS wishes to notify all about the trial dates for those interested in being selected for SLSS Branch Team.	Refer to link.
SLSS Club Compliance Reminder for Season 2025-26 <a href="#">Click here for link</a>	Deadlines within Circular link.	SLSS issued a reminder regarding NSW Compliance requirements for season 2025-26. All information of these requirements and the deadlines can be found within the Circular link.	Refer to link.
SLSS Circular 06 - Silver Medallion Patrol Captain (SMPC) Award Course September 2025 <a href="#">Click here for link</a>	25 Aug 2025	Expressions of interest are now open from Clubs for the scheduled Silver Medallion Patrol Captain (SMPC) award course September 2025, our 2nd scheduled course for season 2025-2026.	Refer to link.
SLSS Circular 05 - Surf Life Saving Sydney 2025-26 Pre-season Briefing <a href="#">Click here for link</a>	-	The pre-season briefing will be held on Saturday, 23 August 2025. The pre-season briefing is an important event in the annual SLSS calendar. The event ensures all Club and Portfolio Leaders across all areas are briefed by the Branch Directors regarding requirements and plans for the season ahead.	Refer to link.
SLSS Circular 04 – Gear Inspection 2025 <a href="#">Click here for link</a>	Deadlines within Circular link.	Season preparations are underway, and we share with you important information for the Annual Gear Inspection on Sunday 31 August 2025.	Refer to link.
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SLSNSW Memo – 2026 Sharkskin NSW IRB Premiership and Championships <a href="#">Click here for link</a>	-	SLSNSW is excited to confirm the rounds, dates, and venues for the 2026 Sharkskin NSW IRB Premiership and the 2026 Sharkskin NSW IRB Championships.	Refer to link.
SLSNSW Circular 3911 – 2025-26 NSW Surf Boat Interstate Selection Carnivals <a href="#">Click here for link</a>	-	SLSNSW has released the 2025/26 Surf Boat Interstate Selection Carnivals and selection criteria for the 2026 NSW Surf Boat Interstate Team.	Refer to link.
SLSNSW Circular 3905 – 2025 NSW Interbranch Championships Officials Nominations <a href="#">Click here for link</a>	21 Sep 2025	SLSNSW is calling for nominations from all currently accredited Surf Sports Officials for positions at Interbranch Championships on 29 & 30 November 2025 at Avoca Beach.	Refer to link.



## GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

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SLSA Circular 9 – 25-26 Beach Safety Equipment Fund (BSEF)	1 May 2026	To support Surf Life Saving's mission, the Australian Government provides funding through the BSEF, aimed at reducing water-related injuries and deaths by equipping Surf Life Saving Clubs with vital front-line equipment and Patrol uniforms. This Circular explains the BSEF Process for season 2025/26	Refer to SLS Hub for Circular.
2025/26 CLEG (Club Lifesaving Equipment Grant) Delegate Form	31 Aug 2025	The CLEG aims to provide financial assistance to each club to promote maintaining and upgrading operational gear and equipment items which are essential to lifesaving operations. All Clubs are required to nominate an Ordering Delegate via this <a href="#">Link</a>	Complete the nomination form. Queries can be directed to Laura <a href="mailto:lschuetz@surflifesaving.com.au">lschuetz@surflifesaving.com.au</a>



## OTHER KEY INFORMATION

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