



WEEKLY REVIEW

WEEK ENDING: FRIDAY 31 October 2025



UPCOMING EVENTS

TITLE	DATE	DESCRIPTION	ACTION
SLSS Infront Board Bash	1 Nov 2025	The SLSS Infront Board Bash will be on Saturday 1 November 2025 at Cronulla SLSC.	Registrations are via liveheats
Cronulla Short Course Carnival	8 Nov 2025	Cronulla SLSC are holding their Short Course Carnival on Saturday 8 November 2025.	Registrations are via liveheats
Waverley Shield 2025	9 Nov 2025	The Waverley Shield (<i>Waverley Clubs only</i>) will be at North Bondi beach on Sunday 9 November 2025.	Registrations are via SEMS
U8 South Maroubra Carnival	15 Nov 2025	South Maroubra are hosting their popular U8 Carnival on Saturday 15 November 2025.	Registrations are via liveheats
South Maroubra Boat Carnival / SLSS Boat Series Round 2	15 Nov 2025	The South Maroubra Boat Carnival is on Saturday 25 November 2025.	Registrations are via liveheats



ANNOUNCEMENTS

SLSS TITLE	CLOSE/DUE	DESCRIPTION	ACTION
Announcement 21: 25/26 Senior Officials Nominations SLSS Branch Championships 2026 Click here for link	8 Nov 2025	Surf Life Saving Sydney is calling for nominations for Senior Officials for our Branch Championships events in 2026.	Refer to link.
Announcement 20: 25/26 SLSS Branch Championships 2026 Click here for link	-	This announcement provides details relating to all Surf Life Saving Sydney Branch Championships 2026 Events.	Refer to link.
Announcement 19: 25/26 SLSS JLOTY Awards Nominations Click here for link	16 Nov 2025	Nominations for Surf Life Saving Sydney Junior Lifesaver of the Year Award are now open for 2025/26.	Refer to link.
Announcement 18: 25/26 Volunteer Facilitated First Aid Courses - Club Information Click here for link	-	This announcement is to provide the details and process for Clubs who wish to organise Volunteer First Aid Courses delivered by Volunteer endorsed Facilitators.	Refer to link.
Announcement 17: 25/26 Rescue Services - Surf Rescue 30 EOIs Open Click here for link	-	Recruitment of members interested in joining Surf Rescue 30 Offshore Rescue Boat as a crewperson, driver and/or skipper.	Refer to link.



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<p>Announcement 16: 25/26 Gold Medallion Award Assessment December EOIs Open Click here for link</p>	13 Nov 2025	<p>Sydney Branch has scheduled two (2) assessment opportunities as per calendar for members to complete the Gold Medallion Award Assessment and/or skills maintenance this season. Registrations from Clubs for the December 2025 assessment are now open.</p>	Refer to link.
<p>Announcement 15: 25/26 SMAR Course – December 2025 EOIs open Click here for link</p>	3 Nov 2025	<p>Sydney Branch has scheduled 2 SMAR award courses for the season. This announcement is calling for expressions of interest (EOIs) from Clubs to submit candidates for the December 2025 course.</p>	Refer to link.
<p>Announcement 13: 25/26 Garie Patrol Support Program Click here for link</p>	-	<p>As Garie SLSC prepares to re-open this season, we are reinvigorating the Garie Patrol Support Program. SLSS is committed to supporting Garie SLSC, and we are calling on our clubs to assist by providing lifesaving patrols on Saturdays at Garie Beach.</p>	Refer to link.
<p>Announcement 12: 25/26 Officials Nominations Carnival Season 2025/26 Click here for link</p>	Various dates, per Carnival	<p>Surf Life Saving Sydney is calling for nominations for Officials for all our Sydney based carnivals for this up-and-coming season.</p>	Refer to link.
<p>Announcement 11: 25/26 Special Event and Requesting Rescue Services Click here for link</p>	-	<p>To outline the process for Sydney Branch Clubs to apply for Special Events or request for Branch Rescue Services resources (RWC, DO, SR30, UAV) must complete the Rescue Services Request via this link</p>	Refer to links.
<p>Announcement 10: 25/26 Award Assessment Planning Click here for link</p>	-	<p>Surf Life Saving Sydney is committed to communicating with Clubs and ensuring that there is flexibility in relation to the setting of dates for new award assessments.</p>	Refer to link.
<p>Announcement 05: 25/26 Junior Search and Rescue Scenario Club Drill Click here for link</p>	31 Dec 2025	<p>Sydney Branch Lifesaving & Rescue Services Committee, and the Youth & Junior Development Committee request clubs to conduct at least one 'missing child search and rescue scenario' during nippers each season. We would encourage clubs to ensure this task has been completed by 31 December 2025 this season.</p>	Refer to link.
<p>SLSS Memo – RWC Operator Proficiency Information Season 2025-26 Click here for link</p>	-	<p>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.</p>	Refer to link.



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SLSS Club Compliance Reminder for Season 2025-26 Click here for link	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.
SLNSW & SLSA TITLE	CLOSE/DUE	DESCRIPTION	ACTION
SLSA Circular 17/25-26 Surf Rescue Patrol Uniform Credit Click here for link	30 Jun 2026	An outline of the Surf Rescue Patrol Uniform Credit Allocation process and information to access the credit and order uniforms.	Refer to link.



GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

TITLE	CLOSE	DESCRIPTION	ACTION
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.



OTHER KEY INFORMATION

TITLE	DESCRIPTION	ACTION