



Surf Life Saving Sydney

Development Camp

Minders Information

Things each Minder/Club need to know:

- Each club to bring whatever they can by way of a few rescue tubes, resus manikins, training defibs, a patrol radio, an operational oxygen resuscitator, operational defib and a first aid kit; all depending on the size of their contingent.
- It is preferred that each Minder is a parent of one of the children attending; i.e. a Female Minder for the Girls and a Male for the Boys.
- Kids and Minders please do not to wear club gear during the weekend – Club swimwear and beach towels are an exception.
- Parents and Minders, please ensure kids do not bring lollies, chips, phones, money or any valuables.
- Transport to the camp is either via the bus from North Bondi/Maroubra/Elouera or make own way - we just need to know how you and your kids are getting there so we know how many to book for on the buses.
- Please advise as soon as possible if any registered children are not coming; we need to be advised prior to the camp.

For the weekend:

- Kids will be randomly dispersed into "Patrol" groups on Friday for all the activities which will be in place until Sunday AM; whereupon they will go back to their club groups after lunch for the Pool Rescue/CPR Challenge.
- Each Patrol will appoint a Patrol Captain, who will lead that group until lunchtime on Sunday
- Kids sleep in the cabins with their club mates of the same gender, however there will inevitably be some mixing of clubs, as required, to fill the cabins.
- Minders sleep in cabins with other minders of the same gender.
- We always move as a group, or in specified groups, and at night the kids go to bed when activities are completed or as advised to the group - all at the same time, not as individuals.
- All Bronze holders and those with higher qualifications will be utilised on the weekend for instruction; and along with SRC holders whenever we are in the pool or by the river where we will require Water Safety as per SLS policy.
- Qualified Minders please bring orange WS or yellow Surf Rescue rash shirts, and a patrol shirt for Sunday.
- Minders are involved in all activities on the weekend and those with SLSA Awards are encouraged to take part.
- Important note for Minders, no alcohol can be brought to the Camp, this is a no alcohol-drinking event.

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