



SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY
2026/2027 Competition Season – Club Compliance Checklist

CLUB RESPONSIBILITY – PRE-SEASON COMPLIANCE FOR U8 TO U13s COMPETITORS
(Complete prior to entering any carnivals)

- ☐ All competing members are current financial members
- ☐ All awards are processed and visible in SurfGuard
- ☐ U8s to U13s must hold appropriate Preliminary and Competition Skills Evaluation
- ☐ Prior to the 31 December U14s must hold appropriate Preliminary and Competition Skills Evaluation

CLUB RESPONSIBILITY – PRE-SEASON COMPLIANCE FOR SENIOR COMPETITORS U14 TO MASTERS
(Complete prior to 31 December)

- ☐ All competing members are current financial members
- ☐ All awards are processed and visible in SurfGuard
- ☐ All members have completed annual proficiency
- ☐ Patrol hours are on track to meet eligibility requirements
- ☐ Pro-rata patrol hours confirmed for new members and exemptions have been applied for
- ☐ Bronze Medallion holders confirmed for U17+ competitors (noting award can be held from 15 years of age)
- ☐ SRC confirmed for U14 competitors (noting award can be held from 13 years of age)
- ☐ IRB Crew/Driver awards confirmed (where applicable)
- ☐ 90/120 Day Awards processed (where permitted) This award is not permitted for Championship events
Competitor must hold Bronze Medal
- ☐ LiveHeats club linkage confirmed
- ☐ Membership numbers and DOB match SurfGuard
- ☐ Officials hold current accreditation within reaccreditation cycle
- ☐ Coaches hold current coaching accreditation within reaccreditation cycle
- ☐ Boat Sweeps hold current Sweep & Coaching accreditation within reaccreditation cycle
- ☐ Working With Children Checks verified (where applicable)
- ☐ Water Safety members hold SRC or Bronze and current proficiency

ENTRY PERIOD CHECKS

- ☐ Division eligibility verified for all competitors
- ☐ Age eligibility confirmed
- ☐ All awards visible in SurfGuard prior to entry submission
- ☐ Any compliance issues raised before entries close
- ☐ No pending awards assumed as eligible

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EVENT READINESS CONFIRMATION

- ☐ Patrol hour requirement met by deadline
- ☐ All proficiencies current at time of competition
- ☐ Officials confirmed and allocated
- ☐ Sweeps compliant and endorsed
- ☐ IRB equipment and qualified personnel confirmed
- ☐ WS confirmed and allocated

IMPORTANT:

Failure to meet compliance requirements may result in ineligibility, removal from events or disqualification. Clubs are responsible for verifying member compliance prior to competition season.

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