Lifesaving Service Agreement 2020-2023



Club Name: Queenscliff Branch: SNB

Patrol Times: 2020/2021				
Date	Saturdays, Sundays + Public Holidays	Minimum Bronze Holders		
26/9/2020 to 22/11/2020	9am to 5pm	4		
28/11/2020 to 28/3/2021	9am to 6pm	5/6*		
2/4/2021 to 25/4/2021	9am to 5pm	4		

Patrol Times: 2021/2022				
Date	Saturdays, Sundays + Public Holidays	Minimum Bronze Holders		
18/9/2021 to 21/11/2021	9am to 5pm	4		
27/11/2021 to 27/3/2022	9am to 6pm	5/6*		
2/4/2022 to 25/4/2022	9am to 5pm	4		

Patrol Times: 2022/2023				
Date	Saturdays, Sundays + Public Holidays	Minimum Bronze Holders		
24/9/2022 to 20/11/2022	9am to 5pm	4		
26/11/2022 to 26/3/2023	9am to 6pm	5/6*		
1/4/2023 to 25/4/2023	9am to 5pm	4		

Minimum requirements for patrols

- Approved and inspected equipment as outlined in the Standard Operating Procedures
- · Volunteer Bronze Medallion qualified patrol members, including;
 - o 1 x proficient ARTC award holder
- o 1 x proficient IRB Driver
- 1 x Beach Management award holder
- o 1 x proficient IRB Crew

Exemptions

- In periods where patrol hours finish at 5pm, the patrol may extend their service until 6pm after consultation with the Branch Duty Officer and the Council Lifeguard.
- The Secondary Patrolling Area extends to the pipe just north of Pine Street.

Special Conditions

*Increased number of Bronze holders required during peak period of Summer school holidays

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Endorsement of Lifesaving Service Agreement

All parties below confirm that they have read and understand the above 2020-2023 Lifesaving Service Agreement. The club agrees to patrol to the agreed dates and times outlined above maintaining the minimum equipment and personnel levels as defined in the SLSNSW Standard Operating Procedures, unless an exemption is mutually agreed to by Club, Branch and SLSNSW.

Club Endorsement	Branch Endorsement	SLSNSW Endorsement
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Date: 25/9/7020	Date:	Date:

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

'Primary Patrolling Area'

- 'Beach segment': sandbar, and adjacent inshore holes and rip currents (approx400m)
- Highest level of service provision; constant supervision;
- Use of red and yellow flags;
- Proactive engagement with beach and water users, and focus on preventative actions e.g. reduce the likelihood and severity of incidents;
- Identify persons in difficulty and respond immediately using a rescue tube or rescue board; response
 using an inflatable rescue boat or rescue watercraft as required.

'Secondary Patrolling Areas'

 Additional 'segments' either side of the 'Primary Patrolling Area' (200-300m either side). These 'segments' may include beach, rock shelf, headlands etc.;

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- Moderate level of service provision; regular 'surveillance';
- Roving surveillance using an all-terrain vehicle, inflatable rescue boat, and/or rescue watercraft e.g. once every 30-60 minutes;
- Proactive engagement with beach and water users, and a focus on preventative actions during roving surveillance;
- Identification and response using an all-terrain vehicle and rescue tube and/or rescue board, or an
 inflatable rescue boat or rescue watercraft.

'Emergency Response Areas' - Not Visually Represented

- Lowest level of service; response to incidents outside Primary and Secondary Patrolling Areas;
- Areas north and south that the service can respond to immediately to potentially affect a successful
 rescue e.g. within 10 minutes via all-terrain vehicle, inflatable rescue boat and/or rescue watercraft;
- Response alongside other services is likely in these areas;
- Services could be tasked beyond these areas e.g. more than 10 minutes, but a positive outcome may be less likely;
- Clubs and Branches should identify these areas within their Patrol Operations Manuals and Emergency Tasking Procedures.