



Membership Application Form 2009-2010

How to Apply for Membership

- Complete attached membership application form (2 Pages)
- Complete attached Child Protection Agency Form
- Obtain a Proposer and Secondor who is a financial Bronze Medallion Holding CSLSC member
- Provide a photocopy of a photo ID eg. Drivers Licence or Passport.
- Aged pensioners must provide a copy of their pension card
- Provide appropriate fee payment with your application – cheques to be payable to Clovelly Surf Lifesaving Club. Credit Card payments can be made on the payment form attached to this application. Applications will not be considered without payment
- If transferring from a previous club provide a transfer form
- Return completed forms to the Clovelly SLSC, PO Box 2094, Clovelly Sydney NSW 2031

Application process

- Membership applications are considered by the committee on a monthly basis
- Fees will be banked immediately
- Applicants for Active membership will be placed in the next available Bronze Squad
- Fees will only be refunded if your application is rejected
- Associate members fees will be retained whilst the member remains on the waiting list
- There will be no refund if you decide not to activate your membership
- Successful applications will be notified by mail advising how and where to receive a FOB key to access the clubhouse

Proposer Name: _____ Secondor Name _____

Signature: _____ Signature: _____

Club Benefits and Responsibilities

Benefits of membership include use of the clubhouse, gymnasium and club equipment
 Opportunity to compete in intracub and interclub events and competitions
 Social Activities including admission to the Club Bar which is open on each Sunday throughout the year

Active members are required to undertake patrols

Patrols are on each weekend and public holiday between the Beginning of September and Anzac day

Patrols are approximately 5 hours

The number of patrols required may fluctuate with member numbers - this year each member is required to do 9 patrols.

Substitutions and patrol swaps are possible

What is required to do the Bronze Medallion Certificate?

You must be:

- over 15 Years of age and of good health and fitness
- able to complete a 400m swim in 9 minutes
- able to attend a 8-12 week course as outlined below
- able to complete a 200m run, 200m swim, 200m run in 8 minutes

What is involved in a Bronze Medallion Training Course?

The course has a practical and theoretical component. The practical component includes:

Fitness session at the start of each session
 Board Familiarisation & Board Rescue skills
 Resuscitation practice (EAR & CPR)
 Tube Rescue skills
 Rescue Scenarios practice

The practical component of the course includes instruction in:

Anatomy & Physiology + Basic Resuscitation (EAR)
 Basic & Advanced Resuscitation (CPR)
 Oxygen therapy + Use of oxy-viva & mannequins
 Supports & Carries
 Patrols + Radio Communications
 Basic First Aid

	Junior Active	Senior Active	Veterans, Long Service, Active Reserve	Associate	Associate Aged Pension
Joining Fee	\$50	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$50
Membership	\$30	\$50	\$50	\$170	\$60
Gymnasium Locker	\$20 \$20	\$20 \$20	\$50 \$30	\$100 \$50	\$50 \$20

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

20__ / 20__ SEASON



1. CLUB NAME _____ SLSC _____

2. GENERAL DETAILS

I hereby apply for membership of SLSA. I have read, understood, acknowledge and agree to the declaration and application over leaf. I have signed that declaration and application.

INITIAL MEMBERSHIP

RENEWING

TITLE ____ (Mr, Mrs, Ms, etc) FIRST NAME _____ SECOND INITIAL ____ LAST NAME _____

MALE FEMALE DATE OF BIRTH ____ / ____ / ____ OCCUPATION _____

ADDRESS _____ POSTCODE _____

PHONE: HOME _____ BUSINESS _____ FAX _____

MOBILE _____ PREFERRED CONTACT NUMBER NO B / H / M EMAIL _____

Drivers License License Number _____ License Type _____ Exp Date _____

Shirt Size (Please Circle) 6 / 8 / 10 / 12 / 14 / XS / S / M / L / XL / 2XL / 3XL / 4XL / 5XL

Short Size (Please Circle) S / M / L / XL / 2XL / 3XL / 4XL / 5XL I do not wish to receive email/sms communication **3. MEMBERSHIP DETAILS**

APPLIED FOR – SUBJECT TO CLUB ENDORSEMENT (Tick one box only)

PROBATIONARY..... AWARD MEMBER..... ASSOCIATE..... JUNIOR ACTIVITY MEMBER (5-13 years) RESERVE ACTIVE..... LIFE MEMBER..... CADET MEMBER (13-15 years)..... LONG SERVICE..... GENERAL..... ACTIVE (15-18 years)..... PAST ACTIVE..... HONORARY..... ACTIVE (18 years and over)..... Date Joined _____ Competitive Rights with this club: YES NO Locker Number _____ Key No _____Member Protection Form Completed? YES NO Membership Protection Number (where applicable) _____**4. OTHER SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB MEMBERSHIPS**

(Please attach list if more than two)

_____ SLSC _____ SLSC _____

5. MEDICAL DETAILS

If you suffer or you have suffered from any disease or any physical or mental disability (eg, epilepsy, diabetes or any permanent disability to a limb, eye or ear) likely to affect your efficiency as a Club member, it may affect your safety and the safety of the public. You should consult your medical practitioner and SLSA prior to commencing any surf lifesaving activity. You should take part in a Hepatitis B vaccination program.

HAVE YOU READ THIS SECTION? YES NO **6. EMERGENCY CONTACT**

FIRST NAME _____ LAST NAME _____

RELATIONSHIP _____ ADDRESS _____ POSTCODE _____

PHONE: HOME _____ BUSINESS _____ FAX: _____ MOBILE: _____

7. BACKGROUND DETAILSAre you from a culturally and linguistically diverse background? YES NO Cultural Background _____Do you use any languages other than English in your home? YES NO Second Language _____Are you of Aboriginal descent? YES NO Are you of Torres Strait Islander descent? YES NO **8. DECLARATION**

I have read, understood, acknowledge and agree to the declaration and application and conditions of membership over leaf. I have signed that declaration and application. I warrant that all information provided is true and correct.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE: _____

9. PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN CONSENT (IN RESPECT TO AN APPLICANT UNDER THE AGE OF 18 YEARS)

I have read, understood, acknowledge and agree to the declaration and application and conditions of membership overleaf and I personally consent to the declaration and application for Membership of the applicant.

FIRST NAME _____ LAST NAME _____

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

10. OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Application received ____ / ____ / ____ Amount paid: \$ _____ Receipt No. _____

Accepted / Rejected by Club Management – Date ____ / ____ / ____ Signature of Club Officer _____

Membership Category allocated _____ Capitation/Membership No. _____ ID Cited – Type _____ Date _____

SLSA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION & DECLARATION

I [insert name] of [insert address].....

hereby apply for membership of SLSA. In consideration of my application for membership being **accepted I acknowledge and agree** that:

- 1. In this membership declaration:**
“**Claim**” means and includes any action, suit, proceeding, claim, demand, damage, penalty, cost or expense however arising including but not limited to negligence BUT does NOT include a claim against SLSA by any person entitled to make a claim under a relevant SLSA insurance policy or under the SLSA Constitution or SLSA Regulations.
“**SLSA**” means Surf Life Saving Australia Limited.
“**SLS Organisations**” means and includes SLSA, its subsidiaries, its members (including State Centres & Clubs), Branches and their respective directors, officers, members, servants or agents.
“**SLS Activities**” means performing or participating in any capacity in any activity authorised or recognised by SLSA.
- 2. If my application for membership is accepted I will be a member** of [Insert Club]..... SLSC, [insert Branch if relevant]....., [insert State]..... State Centre & SLSA. I acknowledge my application will be deemed to be accepted upon my participation in SLS Activities and I acknowledge that I will be bound by and agree to comply with the constitutions, regulations and policies of the SLS Organisations. These rules are necessary and reasonable for promoting SLSA and surf lifesaving as a community service.
- 3. Warning:** SLS Activities can be inherently dangerous. I acknowledge that I am exposed to certain risks during SLS Activities including but not limited to physical exertion, contact with surf lifesaving equipment, body contact and surf, sea and weather conditions. I acknowledge that accidents can and often do happen which may result in me being injured or even killed, or my property being damaged. I have voluntarily read and understood this warning and accept and assume the inherent risks in participating in SLS Activities.
- 4. Exclusion of implied terms:** I acknowledge that where I am a consumer of recreational services, as defined by any relevant law, certain terms and rights usually implied into a contract for the supply of goods and services may be excluded. I acknowledge that these implied terms and rights and any liability of the SLS Organisations (or any of them) flowing from them, are expressly excluded to the extent possible by law, by this membership declaration. To the extent of any liability arising, the liability of the SLS Organisations will, at the discretion of the relevant SLS Organisation, be limited to the resupply of the services or the payment of the cost of having the services supplied again.
- 5. Release & Indemnity:** In consideration of SLSA accepting my application for membership I:
 - (a)** release and will release the SLS Organisations from all Claims that I may have or may have had but for this release arising from or in connection with my membership and/or participation in any SLS Activities; and
 - (b)** indemnify and will keep indemnified the SLS Organisations to the extent permitted by law in respect of any Claim by any person arising as a result of or in connection with my membership and/or participation in any SLS Activities.
- 6. Fitness to Participate:** I declare that I am medically and physically fit and able to participate in any SLS Activities. I am not and must not be a danger to myself or to the health and safety of others. I will immediately notify SLSA in writing through my Club of any change to my medical condition, fitness and ability to participate.
- 7. Privacy:** I understand that the information that I have provided over leaf is necessary for the Objects of the SLS Organisations. I acknowledge and agree that the information will be disclosed to my Club and State Centre and will only be used for the Objects of the SLS Organisations and to provide me with membership services. I understand that I will be able to access my information through my Club. If the information is not provided my membership application may be rejected. I acknowledge that the SLS Organisations may also use my personal information for the purposes of providing me with promotional material from SLS Organisation sponsors or third parties. I may advise my State Centre if I do not wish to receive any sponsor or third party material.
- 8. I have provided the information required overleaf and signed both sides of this form.** I warrant that all information provided is true and correct. I acknowledge that this membership declaration cannot be amended. If I do amend it my application will be null and void and cannot be accepted by SLSA.
- 9. Severance:** If any provision of this membership declaration is invalid or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, the phrase or clause is to be read down for the purpose of that jurisdiction, if possible, so as to be valid and enforceable. If the phrase or clause cannot be so read down it will be severed to the extent of the invalidity or unenforceability of it in any other jurisdiction. Such severance does not affect the remaining provisions of this membership declaration or affect the validity or enforceability of it in any other jurisdiction.

I have read, understood, acknowledge and agree to the above declaration including the warning, exclusion of liability, release & indemnity. I acknowledge that if my application for membership is successful I will be entitled to all benefits, advantages, privileges and services of SLSA membership.

Signed: Date: Name:

NOTE: Where the applicant is under 18 years of age this form must also be signed by the applicant's parent or legal guardian.

I, am **the parent or guardian** of the applicant. I authorize and consent to the applicant undertaking the SLS Activities. In consideration of the applicant's membership being accepted I expressly agree to be responsible for the applicant's behaviour and agree to personally accept in my capacity as parent or guardian the terms set out in this membership application and declaration including the provision by me of a release and indemnity in the terms set out above. In addition I agree to be bound by and to comply with the SLSA constitution and any regulations and policies made under it.

Parent's signature: Date: Name:

(Where applicant under 18 years of age)

ATTACHMENT 4 PROHIBITED EMPLOYMENT DECLARATION



CHILD PROTECTION (PROHIBITED EMPLOYMENT) ACT 1998

The Child Protection (Prohibited Employment) Act 1998 makes it an offence for a person convicted of a serious sex offence (a Prohibited Person) or a Registrable Person under the Child Protection (Offenders Registration) Act 2000, to apply for, undertake or remain in, child-related employment. It does not apply if an order, from the Industrial Relations Commission or the Administrative Decisions Tribunal or the Commission for Children and Young People, declares that the Act does not apply to a person in respect of a specific offence.

Section 5 of the Child Protection (Prohibited Employment) Act 1998 defines a serious sex offence as:

- an offence involving sexual activity or acts of indecency that was committed in NSW and that was punishable by penal servitude or imprisonment for 12 months or more, even if the sentence was not served; or
 - an offence involving sexual activity or acts of indecency that was committed elsewhere and that would have been punishable by penal servitude or imprisonment for 12 months or more if it had been committed in NSW; or
 - an offence under Sections 91D-91G (other than if committed by a child prostitute) and 578B or 578C(2A) of the Crimes Act 1900 or a similar offence under a law other than a law of NSW; or
 - an offence of attempting, or of conspiracy or incitement, to commit an offence referred to in the preceding paragraphs; or
 - any other offence prescribed by the regulations.
- Note: A conviction for carnal knowledge is classified as a serious sex offence under this legislation.

Child-related employment means any employment, where at least one of the essential duties of the position, involves direct contact with children where that contact is not directly supervised. Section 3 of the *Child Protection (Prohibited Employment) Act 1998* specifies that child-related employment is employment:

- involving the provision of child protection services;
- in pre-schools, kindergartens and child care centres (including residential child care centres);
- in schools or other educational institutions (not including universities);
- in detention centres (within the meaning of the *Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987*);
- in refuges used by children;
- in wards of public or private hospitals in which children are patients;
- in clubs, associations or movements (including of a cultural, recreational or sporting nature) having a significant child membership;
- in any religious organisation;
- in any entertainment venues where the clientele is primarily children;
- as a babysitter or childminder that is arranged by a commercial agency;
- involving fostering or other child care;
- involving regular provision of taxi services for the transport of children with a disability;
- involving the private tuition of children;
- involving the direct provision of health services;
- involving the provision of counselling or other support services for children;
- on school buses;
- at overnight camps for children;
- any other prescribed by regulation.

Under this Act:

- it is an offence for a Prohibited Person to **apply for, undertake or remain in** child related employment;
- employers **must** ask existing employees, both **paid and unpaid**, and preferred applicants for employment to declare if they are a Prohibited Person or not;
- all child-related employees **must** inform their employers if they are a Prohibited Person or remove themselves from child-related employment. A Prohibited Person is someone who has been convicted of a serious sexual offence or, who has had a finding for a charge of a serious sexual offence proven in court, even if a conviction was not recorded;
- penalties are imposed for non compliance.

I am aware that I am ineligible to apply for, undertake or remain in, child related employment if I have been convicted of a serious sex offence as defined in the Child Protection (Prohibited Employment) Act 1998 or if I am a Registrable Person under the Child Protection (Offenders Registration) Act 2000.

I have read and understood the above information in relation to the Child Protection (Prohibited Employment) Act 1998. I am aware that it is an offence to make a false statement on this form.

I declare that I am not a person prohibited by the Act from seeking, undertaking or remaining in child related employment.

I understand that this information may be referred to the Commission for Children and Young People and/or to NSW Police for law enforcement purposes and for monitoring and auditing compliance with the procedures and standards for employment screening in accordance with Section 36 (1) (f) of the Commission for Children and Young People Act 1998.

Name

Signature

Date

**Note: Seek legal advice if you are unsure of your status as a Prohibited Person.
This form is to be returned to your employer (club/association/branch)**

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