

Circular 19-17



2019/20 SLST Surf Sports Events Calendar & Nominations to Host

Attention: Presidents, Secretaries, Surf Sports Managers, Junior Activities Coordinators

Actioned by: Club Presidents, Club Secretary and Club Carnival Organisers

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Summary	This document is to advise all clubs that the 2019/20 SLST Surf Sports Events Calendar has been confirmed. However, the Surf Sports Executive are seeking expressions of interest from clubs who may wish to host a surf sports events in 2019/20.
Strategic Goals	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Offer diverse sport and recreational pathways to people of all abilities• Increase grassroots participation in sport and recreational activities at all levels of the movement• Enhance the health and fitness of our members• Promote healthy lifestyles and wellbeing in the community• Foster the development of our state surf sport teams and athletes• Invest in sporting pathways to ensure sustained participation, develop lifesaving skills and reward volunteers
Key Strategies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provide members with a broad range of opportunities and pathways within the Surf Life Saving organisation.• Grow membership, identify retention areas including 14-22 ages and foster inclusive membership practices.• Provide a state-wide aquatic volunteer lifesaving emergency rescue and safety capability 365 days of the year.• Promote inclusiveness and engagement of all members of the community to be involved in Surf Life Saving.
Action	1. Interested clubs submit <i>Expression of Interest to Host Form</i> by 9am, Monday 19th August 2019

Surf Life Saving Tasmania's Surf Sports Executive (SSE) Committee has confirmed the following dates, selected venues and proposed regions for the 2019/20 SLST Surf Sports Events Calendar. Please ensure your members are aware of the draft calendar which is can be found at <http://www.slst.asn.au/surf-sports/surf-sports-calendar-2019-2020/> and where to find the event specific information once all venues are confirmed. Please go to the dedicated Surf Sports area on the SLST website at <http://www.slst.asn.au/surf-sports/>.

Overview

The Surf Sports Executive Committee are committed to ensuring the Surf Sports Events Calendar for 2019/20 is finalised by the mid-September 2019. It is appreciated that members and clubs are keen to lock in dates for the season as early as possible. Please find below the list of dates for your information. These dates will be added to as other event dates are confirmed such as Ocean Swims over the next couple of months. Venues are to be confirmed once the nomination process to host is completed. The Tasmanian Surf League format will return in 2019/20 to continue to invigorate surf sports in the state, more info on the Tasmanian Surf League will follow shortly.

Event Open For Nomination	Date
State-wide Junior Carnival 1 Tas Surf League Round 1	Sat 14 th Dec 2019 Sun 15 th Dec 2019
Tas Surf League Round 2 State-wide Junior Carnival 2	Sun 5 th Jan 2020 Sat 4 th Jan 2020
Tas Surf League Round 3 State-wide Junior Carnival 3	Sun 19 th Jan 2020 Sat 18 th Jan 2020
State-wide Junior Carnival 4 Tas Surf League Round 4 (FINAL)	Sun 2 nd Feb 2020 Sat 1 st Feb 2020
State-wide Junior Carnival 5 State-wide Open Carnival 5 (Traditional Carnival that includes Champion Lifesaver Events)	Sat 15 th Feb 2020 Sun 16 th Feb 2020
Tasmanian Masters Surf Life Saving Championships	Sat 8 th Feb 2020
Tasmanian Lifesaving Championships (Patrol + First Aid Competitions)	Sat 22 nd Feb 2020 Sun 23 rd Feb 2020
Tasmanian Junior Surf Life Saving Championships	Sat 29 th Feb 2020 & Sun 1 st March 2020
Tasmanian Open Surf Life Saving Championships	Sat 21 st March 2020 & Sun 22 nd March 2020

Nomination Process

The nomination process is outlined below:

1. Complete the nomination form (below) and either scan and email to Boyd Griggs bgriggs@slst.asn.au or hardcopy to SLST GPO Box 1745 Hobart Tas 7001 to be received by the above closing time and date.
2. During the selection period, clubs may be asked to submit additional information and personally discuss the application in detail with the Surf Sports Executive.
3. On submitting your nomination your club will be considered to host the appropriate carnival(s).
4. As part of this process, clubs may be required to contact their local council to seek support in running the event(s).

Selection Process

The Surf Sports Executive will work with each host club to confirm the finer details around the programming and format of events.

1. A carnival hosts selection panel will be formed and responsible for the selection of venues and will review all nominations.
2. Following confirmation, the successful clubs will be notified in writing (with Event Hosting Agreement).
3. Signed Event Hosting Agreements must be returned to SLST by the Tuesday 1st October 2019. Failure to return any contracts by this date may lead to the carnival being re-advertised to host.

Please note that a number of Tasmanian Ocean Swim Series and Surf Boat Races are yet to be included in the calendar of events. The only dates included in the nomination process are those with venues known.

Please Note – All Clubs interested in hosting any of the events listed above or any other Special Event must complete and comply with all SLST and SLSA Policies and the conditions as stipulated in the SLST Carnival/ Event Contract. Please do not hesitate to contact Boyd Griggs SLST Operations Manager for any information required as per above.

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Expression of Interest to Host Event

Club Name:	Event applying for:
Date of the Event:	Venue for the Event:
Tides for the day: High Low	Back Up Venue:
Club Contact:	
Club Contact Email:	
Club Contact Mobile:	
Other relevant details:	

This is an expression of interest to host an event only the conditions of hosting will be confirmed upon successful notification of hosting an event from the SSE. The hosting contract will include details of roles and responsibilities of the Host Club, the SSE, the Carnival Referee and SLST.

Name: _____

Club Committee Position: _____

Date: _____

Contact Number: _____

Email: _____

Signature: _____

Endorsed by Club President

Name: _____

Signed: _____