

# Circular 22-02 (v2)



## 2022 Advanced Lifesaving Program Nominations Now Open!

**Attention:** Presidents, Secretaries, Lifesaving Managers, Trainers and Assessors, Active Patrolling Members, General Members

**Actioned by:** Members wishing to nominate to attend the 2022 Advanced Lifesaving Program

**Date:** 25<sup>th</sup> January 2022 (updated 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2022)

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<b>Summary</b>	Nominations are now open for active patrolling members aged 16 + who wish to attend the 2022 Advanced Lifesaving Program.
<b>Strategic Pillar</b>	<b>DEVELOP AND SUPPORT OUR PEOPLE</b> <b>Related Activates:</b> Implement SLST leadership development framework.  <b>What Clubs/Units can do:</b> Encourage participation in SLST's leadership programs for all club/unit managing team members, frontline leaders and emerging leaders.  <b>Outcome by 2025:</b> Members will have relevant skills needed to perform their roles – the transferability of skills within and outside of Surf Life Saving will be promoted.  <b>Measures by 2025:</b> Leadership activates/pathways.
<b>Action</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Clubs to promote the 2022 Advanced Lifesaving Program to suitable members</li><li>2. Eligible members to submit online nomination form by <b>9am, Monday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2022.</b></li></ol>

### Program Overview

The Advanced Lifesaving Program aims to give Surf Life Saving Tasmania members the opportunity to further their lifesaving skills through training in Advanced First Aid (HLTAID014) and Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue (SMAR). The live-in program will be run over three days utilising scenario-based training. The program is targeted at members who have experience as lifesavers and leaders on the beach and are now looking to expand their skillset.

March 2022 will be run as a pilot with a review process to ensure the program continues to be improved into the future and become a part of SLST's annual lifesaving development calendar. The Advanced Lifesaving Program aims to complement existing programs such as the Lifesaving Development Camp and provide more opportunities to the members of SLST.

### Dates and Location

**Candidate Arrival:** 7:00pm, Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2022  
**Finish:** 4:00pm, Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2022 (March long weekend)  
**Location:** Location TBC (program to be southern based)

## Prerequisites

- Current financial member of a Club or Unit
- Aged over 16 years
- Hold a current Bronze Medallion
- Hold a current Advanced Resuscitation Certificate (HLTAID007, HLTAID015 or SLSA Education Award)

## Other Requirements

Complete a 400m swim in 8 minutes or less in a swimming pool of no less than 25m length prior to commencement of the program. This is a requirement of the course, for more information refer to the course syllabus, [available here](#).

## The nomination process

Each successful nomination will need to be endorsed by the applicant's home club. All applicants will be notified directly as to whether they have been offered a spot. Unsuccessful applicants will be waitlisted in the event a spot becomes available. To discuss this further, please contact us (details below).

A panel will review all nominations received for the program, and distribution of the 24 spaces amongst Clubs will be taken into consideration throughout the review process.

Nominations are strictly due by **9am, Monday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2022**. After this date a selection will be made based on the applications as to who will be attending the camp.

To nominate please click on the link to complete the online form:

<https://slst.wufoo.com/forms/advanced-lifesaving-program-nominations/>

## Cost

SLST will be partially subsidizing the cost of the program. The camp fee is expected to be \$200 per participant which covers all accommodation, food, training and assessment, and transport (if required) during the camp. Please note, the camp does not include award processing fees which will need to be covered by the candidate's home club who would have endorsed their nomination.

## For further information, please contact:

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