

CIRCULAR



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Summary:	Information for Clubs, Coaches, Athletes, Officials and Team Managers attending the Southport Masters Carnival
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1. INTRODUCTION

The Southport Masters Carnivals attracts master's competitors from all over Queensland and neighboring states, providing an opportunity to unite and showcase one of Queensland's most iconic volunteer movements, Surf Life Saving.

Date: Saturday 21st November 2020

Location: Southport SLSC

This document outlines some key information relating to Southport Masters Carnival. Please note that SLSQ may have subsequent bulletins, memos or circulars which may supersede information provided in the circular.

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2. DISTRIBUTION OF CIRCULAR

It is most important that the information in this Circular is brought to the attention of all Carnival Officials, Team Managers, Coaches and Competitors.

Non-receipt of the Circular will not be taken as an excuse if a Club, Team or individual does not comply with the requirements outlined in this and other Bulletins and Circulars.

3. COVID-SAFE

Surf Life Saving Queensland in conjunction with Southport SLSC have put together some plans around how we can safely hold this event.

Above all else we ask that members follow safe hygiene practices and maintain 1.5m between people at all times.

Selected officials/staff will be acting as 'biosecurity officers' throughout the event and ensuring members are following these guidelines.

Carnival Numbers

The current restrictions allow us to hold an event with a maximum of 1,000 people, however this continues to change. We are also subject to restrictions at our host venues. These numbers include competitors, officials, staff, club support personnel and spectators. We will advise if we have to limit extra personnel through the Final Circular.

Attendance Logs

SLSQ will have QR Codes placed throughout the competition area that will link to survey where attendees will be required to supply their name, club, position and phone number. All must complete this survey upon arrival to the Event.

Hand Sanitiser

SLSQ will provide hand sanitiser at all access points to the carnival area & club tent area. Competitors, officials, staff and support personnel will be expected to use this hand sanitiser.

Temperature Checks

SLSQ will be completing random forehead temperature checks to all competitors, officials, staff and support personnel upon their first entry into the competition area in the morning. If anybody has a temperature above 37.5 degrees they will be asked to isolate in the shade for 15 minutes before they will be allowed another check. This will be completed no more than 3 times. If someone receives 3 high temperature readings they will be asked to remove themselves from the event.

Recommendations

SLSQ recommend that anyone attending an event have the COVID-Safe app and an up to date flu shot.

Penalties

SLSQ are taking the above guidelines extremely seriously and there will be penalties to members/clubs if they are found to be breaking any of them. SLSQ needs to set an example on how to run these events successfully and safely and we need the compliance of clubs to make this possible.



4. ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE

All competitors wishing to compete in the Southport Masters Carnival must be proficient in their Bronze Medallion by the close of entries to be eligible to compete.

All entered athletes must have completed and signed the SLSA "Application for Membership Form" or their countries relevant document and paid any required membership fees as proof of their eligibility to race.

NB: It is an offence to enter a person who does not meet any of the above requirements, and any irregularities will be considered by the Branch and/or State Surf Sports Committee.

5. ENTRY REGISTRATIONS

The method of entry is via QLD Carnival Manager for all QLD Clubs as well interstate clubs. The name of the event is "Southport Masters Carnival".

Entries close midnight Thursday 19th November 2020. Entries after this date please email Southport SLSC – surfsports@sslsc.com.au.

Entries will be accepted on the day.

6. ENTRY FEES

The entry fee per competitor at the Southport Masters Carnival is \$15.00 per person (inc GST).

A Tax Invoice will be issued to all competing Clubs in the week after the event.

7. EVENT LIST

All Ironperson events are Swim, Board & Ski.

All Taplin Relays are 3 person events – Swim, Board & Ski

30-34 Years Ironwoman	30-34 Years Ironman
30-34 Years Female Board Race	30-34 Years Male Board Race
30-34 Years Female Single Ski	30-34 Years Male Single Ski
30-34 Years Female Double Ski	30-34 Years Male Double Ski
30-34 Years Female Surf Race	30-34 Years Male Surf Race
30-34 Years Female Beach Sprint	30-34 Years Male Beach Sprint
30-34 Years Female Beach Flags	30-34 Years Male Beach Flags
30-34 Years Female 2km Beach Run	30-34 Years Male 2km Beach Run
35-39 Years Ironwoman	35-39 Years Ironman
35-39 Years Female Board Race	35-39 Years Male Board Race
35-39 Years Female Single Ski	35-39 Years Male Single Ski
35-39 Years Female Double Ski	35-39 Years Male Double Ski
35-39 Years Female Surf Race	35-39 Years Male Surf Race



35-39 Years Female Beach Sprint

35-39 Years Female Beach Flags

35-39 Years Female 2km Beach Run

35-39 Years Male Beach Sprint

35-39 Years Male Beach Flags

35-39 Years Male 2km Beach Run

40-44 Years Ironwoman

40-44 Years Female Board Race

40-44 Years Female Single Ski

40-44 Years Female Double Ski

40-44 Years Female Surf Race

40-44 Years Female Beach Sprint

40-44 Years Female Beach Flags

40-44 Years Female 2km Beach Run

40-44 Years Ironman

40-44 Years Male Board Race

40-44 Years Male Single Ski

40-44 Years Male Double Ski

40-44 Years Male Surf Race

40-44 Years Male Beach Sprint

40-44 Years Male Beach Flags

40-44 Years Male 2km Beach Run

45-49 Years Ironwoman

45-49 Years Female Board Race

45-49 Years Female Single Ski

45-49 Years Female Double Ski

45-49 Years Female Surf Race

45-49 Years Female Beach Sprint

45-49 Years Female Beach Flags

45-49 Years Female 2km Beach Run

45-49 Years Ironman

45-49 Years Male Board Race

45-49 Years Male Single Ski

45-49 Years Male Double Ski

45-49 Years Male Surf Race

45-49 Years Male Beach Sprint

45-49 Years Male Beach Flags

45-49 Years Male 2km Beach Run

50-54 Years Ironwoman

50-54 Years Female Board Race

50-54 Years Female Single Ski

50-54 Years Female Double Ski

50-54 Years Female Surf Race

50-54 Years Female Beach Sprint

50-54 Years Female Beach Flags

50-54 Years Female 2km Beach Run

50-54 Years Ironman

50-54 Years Male Board Race

50-54 Years Male Single Ski

50-54 Years Male Double Ski

50-54 Years Male Surf Race

50-54 Years Male Beach Sprint

50-54 Years Male Beach Flags

50-54 Years Male 2km Beach Run

55-59 Years Ironwoman

55-59 Years Ironman

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55-59 Years Female Board Race

55-59 Years Female Single Ski

55-59 Years Female Double Ski

55-59 Years Female Surf Race

55-59 Years Female Beach Sprint

55-59 Years Female Beach Flags

55-59 Years Female 2km Beach Run

55-59 Years Male Board Race

55-59 Years Male Single Ski

55-59 Years Male Double Ski

55-59 Years Male Surf Race

55-59 Years Male Beach Sprint

55-59 Years Male Beach Flags

55-59 Years Male 2km Beach Run

60-64 Years Ironwoman

60-64 Years Female Board Race

60-64 Years Female Single Ski

60-64 Years Female Double Ski

60-64 Years Female Surf Race

60-64 Years Female Beach Sprint

60-64 Years Female Beach Flags

60-64 Years Female 1km Beach Run

60-64 Years Ironman

60-64 Years Male Board Race

60-64 Years Male Single Ski

60-64 Years Male Double Ski

60-64 Years Male Surf Race

60-64 Years Male Beach Sprint

60-64 Years Male Beach Flags

60-64 Years Male 1km Beach Run

65 Years and over Female Ironwoman

65 Years and over Female Board Race

65 Years and over Female Single Ski

65 Years and over Female Double Ski

65 Years and over Female Surf Race

65 Years and over Female Beach Sprint

65 Years and over Female Beach Flags

65 Years and over Female 1km Beach Run

65 Years and over Male Ironman

65 Years and over Male Board Race

65 Years and over Male Single Ski

65 Years and over Male Double Ski

65 Years and over Male Surf Race

65 Years and over Male Beach Sprint

65 Years and over Male Beach Flags

65 Years and over Male 1km Beach Run

110+ Years Female Surf Teams

130+ Years Female Surf Teams

150+ Years Female Surf Teams

170+ Years Female Surf Teams

110+ Years Male Surf Teams

130+ Years Male Surf Teams

150+ Years Male Surf Teams

170+ Years Male Surf Teams

110+ Years Female Ski Relay

130+ Years Female Ski Relay

110+ Years Male Ski Relay

130+ Years Male Ski Relay



150+ Years Female Ski Relay
170+ Years Female Ski Relay

150+ Years Male Ski Relay
170+ Years Male Ski Relay

110+ Years Female Board Relay
130+ Years Female Board Relay
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170+ Years Female Board Relay

110+ Years Male Board Relay
130+ Years Male Board Relay
150+ Years Male Board Relay
170+ Years Male Board Relay

140+ Years Female Taplin 4 person
160+ Years Female Taplin 4 person
180+ Years Female Taplin 4 person
200+ Years Female Taplin 4 Person

140+ Years Male Taplin 4 person
160+ Years Male Taplin 4 person
180+ Years Male Taplin 4 person
200+ Years Male Taplin 4 person

140+ Years Female Beach Relay
170+ Years Female Beach Relay
200+ Years Female Beach Relay

140+ Years Male Beach Relay
170+ Years Male Beach Relay
200+ Years Male Beach Relay

30+ Years Mixed Double Ski
40+ Years Mixed Double Ski
50+ Years Mixed Double Ski
60+ Years Mixed Double Ski

8. VOLUNTEER (OFFICIALS/ FIRST AID/WATER SAFETY) REQUIREMENTS

All appointed Officials will be required to be current accredited SLSC officials and be the holder of a current Blue Card. If an Official would like to nominate for the Southport Masters Carnival, please follow the link below:

Southport Masters Carnival – [Officials Nominations](#).

Nominations must be received by COB Friday 13th November 2020.

First Aid Personnel will be supplied by Southport SLSC and will be found at the First Aid tent on the beach.

Water Safety Personnel will be provided by Southport SLSC.

9. DRAFT TIMETABLE

The below timetable is only a draft and is subject to change. The Program of Events will go out with the Final Circular.

Officials Breakfast:	5.45am to 6.55am at Southport SLSC
Officials Briefing:	6.00am on the beach at competition area with event referee
Team Managers Meeting:	6.00am on the beach at competition area with event referee
Marshalling for first event:	6.15am on the beach
Competition Commences:	6.30am



10. DRESS OF COMPETITORS

In all events, competitors must wear approved competition dress as detailed in the current edition of the Surf Sports Manual and any other subsequent Bulletins or Circulars. This includes their club competition cap whilst competing.

SLSQ High Visibility Clothing – Surf Sports Competition – SS07 (1/04/2016), will be implemented requiring all competitors in ocean or open water-based surf life saving events held in Queensland to wear high visibility lycra/rash top/singlet.

11. TEAM MANAGERS

Each club must have a designated Team Manager who will be responsible for their athletes and must be available to attend a briefing at 6.00am on the beach with the event referee.

12. VEHICLE PARKING

All club, competitors and officials are to read and obey the parking signs set up by the Gold Coast City Council.

13. MEDIA & PHOTOGRAPHY

Drones:

For the safety of competitors, officials and spectators SLSQ prohibits the use of drones or Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAV) at this event by members and/or public unless approved by SLSQ, 7 days prior to the event. The operator must supply an operation manual (including risk management plan), provide a copy of public liability insurance and comply with all Civil Aviation Safety Authority (CASA) requirements. SLSQ may utilise the use of our own drones to conduct aerial surveillance and monitor hazards.

Photography:

As a condition of entry, all competitors agree to have photos and video taken during the event used for promotional material by SLSQ.

14. HEALTH & WELLBEING

The welfare of all competitors and officials is our paramount importance and athletes or their Parent/guardian in the case of underage competitors should seek advice prior to the competition from a qualified professional for any health concerns if required.

Any competitor or official who suffers illness or injury prior to or at the event must seek a medical clearance before resuming their normal activities which includes training and competition.

In addition, SLSQ may, at its sole discretion, require a competitor and/or official to be assessed for physical and/or psychological fitness to participate in the competition. This ensures the safety and wellbeing of the athlete concerned and fellow competitors while also ensuring all parties and SLSQ are not placed at risk.

SLSQ will be supplying adequate shade tents at all marshalling areas for officials and competitors throughout the event. It is highly recommended that all athletes ensure they carry with them adequate apparel to assist with reduction of sunburn, along with recommended use of sunscreen throughout the day.

Water barrels will be available under the marshalling tents for officials, team managers and competitor use. These barrels are in place for all persons to use and fill up their own water bottles. Please note, no drinking cups will be supplied.



15. ANTI-DOPING & MATCH FIXING

SLSQ affiliated with SLSA supports the Australian Government, Sport Australia, the Australian Olympic Committee, and Sport Integrity Australia in their efforts to eradicate the use of drugs in sport.

It is strongly recommended that all Coaches and Team Managers complete the Sport Integrity Australia Level 1 Anti-Doping Course and Matching Fixing Course. Both of these courses are free of charge and provide an opportunity to develop a knowledge and understanding of anti-doping and match fixing in sport. Link to the online platform below.

Sport Integrity Australia Level 1 Anti-Doping Course & Match Fixing Course

<https://elearning.sportintegrity.gov.au/>

16. BEHAVIOUR/MISCONDUCT

Any misconduct while at the event will not be tolerated. This includes the days leading into the competition and any official social activities following the conclusion of the event. Offending members risk disciplinary action against both themselves and their Clubs.

Please refer to the current Surf Sports Manual sections 2.27 SLSA Code of Behaviour and 2.28 Abuse/Inappropriate Behaviour and the Policy 6.5 Member Protection Policy (available online at the Members Area)

17. PROTESTS

All protests shall be lodged with the appropriate Liaison Officer in each Area in accordance with procedures set down in the current edition of the Surf Sports Manual and any subsequent bulletins, and shall identify the specific sections/clauses in the Competition Manual and or event rules upon which the protest is based.

Protest Forms are available from the Liaison Officer. An 'Appeals Fee' of \$110 must accompany all documentation when the process is officially submitted to the Appeals Committee for adjudication.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Should further information be required please contact the SLSQ at:

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