

INDUCTION MANUAL FOR NEW MEMBERS

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INTRODUCTION

Welcome to Towradgi Surf Life Saving Club.

We would like to congratulate you on becoming part of our surf life saving family.

Whether you are about to undergo training in the Certificate II in Aquatic Public Safety (Bronze Medallion) or a Surf Rescue Certificate, you will find, at times, training challenging but very rewarding.

On completion of the course you will be physically healthier, achieved skills and knowledge to react appropriately in a number of different aquatic emergency situations and the ability to confidently apply rescue techniques and on the process make new friends and most importantly have safe fun!

All Active members over the age of 15 are eligible to hold a Surf Bronze Medallion (Cert 2 in Aquatic Safety) or SRC. Once obtained the member is allocated to a roster to patrol the beach on weekends and public holidays during the surf season.

(It is not compulsory for Junior under 14 yrs to Patrol (unless required for competition eligibility).

All members may continue to further their education, which qualifies them with specialist awards, such as Advanced Resuscitation Certificate (ARC), Defibrillation, Spinal Management, Operational First Aid, IRB Crewman Certificate and IRB Driver (Silver Medallion) just to name a few.

Surf Life Saving Australia is a registered training organisation (RTO), awards are nationally accredited and recognized.

We look forward to supplying you with the nationally recognized Surf Patrol uniform!

See you around the club.

Adriana Gervaise
President

MEMBER PRIVILEGES

Following registration and the completion of the Bronze Medallion Certificate members are entitled to certain privileges.

A key will be issued for access to the gym and downstairs facilities. Please note a security deposit of \$30 is required (refundable when membership is terminated).

The Gym is open between the hours of 5:00am and 8:30pm. Rules are posted by the Gym door and must be adhered to at all times. Remember to sign in out and bring a towel and wear appropriate shoes and clothing.

The gym is for the use of Active Members (Bronze Holders) and for members that have paid a full or half year Gym membership.

BBQ: • Available for member use and it must be cleaned after use

FUNCTION ROOM HIRE:

- Active Members receive a discounted hire fee, however, the \$500 refundable security bond applies at all times.

GLASSHOUSE – TELEVISION AREA:

This area is available for you to relax if not in use by permanent bookings. Please ensure you are free from wet clothing and sand while sitting on the lounges.

MEMBERS CODE OF CONDUCT

- 1 Respect the rights, dignity and worth of others.
2. Be fair, equitable, considerate and honest in all dealings with others.
3. Be aware of and maintain an uncompromising adherence to SLSI, SLSNSW & SLSA standards, rules, regulations and policies.
4. Be professional and accept responsibility for your actions.
5. Make a commitment to providing quality service.
6. Use facilities and equipment for their proper purposes, care for and maintain such facilities and equipment correctly.
7. Refrain from anything, which may abuse, intimidate or harass others.
8. Preserve and protect the standing and reputation of the Association.
9. Understand the consequences of any breach of TSLSC Member Protection. 10. Policy or Codes of Conduct.

WORKING WITH CHILDREN:

It is mandatory that all members over the age of 18 fill the requested application form. These forms need to be co-signed by a senior committee executive member. The Working with Children Check is a detailed check of a person's criminal history (if any) including charges or convictions. This involves a check of relevant police information held by Police Services in Australia.

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