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TO: Clubs, Presidents, Secretaries, Captains

FROM: Director of Surf Sports – Wayne Druery

CC: SLSS Management, BOL, BJD, BOSS

SUBJECT: BOSS Carnival IRB Policy and Roster 2013-14 Season

BOSS CARNIVAL IRB POLICY & ROSTER Sydney Branch Carnivals 2013/14 Season

- This policy was formulated in consultation with members of the Surf Lifesaving Sydney Board of Surf Sports (BOSS). Also a consultation process was held with IRB Advisor - Peter Burst and prominent members of Wanda & North Cronulla IRB sections at North Cronulla SLSC on Sunday 30 June 2013.
- BOSS acknowledges that it is the primary role for all club IRB's to be available to patrols however it is also the responsibility of the BOSS to provide a safe competing environment for all competition and it is recognised IRBs play an integral role in establishing a safe competition environment.
- It is the BOSS recommendation to put in place the following for 2013/14 Season:

Primary Goal:

To put in place a Sydney Branch Carnival IRB Roster that is primarily focused on **safety for all competitors** that is also equitable and provides achievable options for compliance for all competing clubs.

How to achieve that goal:

OPEN CARNIVALS

1. Sydney Branch IRB Roster to only include the following Carnivals:

- Cronulla Short Course Carnival – full roster
- North Cronulla Open Carnival – full roster
- Wanda Intercities – full roster
- Bate Bay Interclub – full roster (in consultation with the Referee to be shared equally amongst competing clubs only)
- Coogee Open Carnival – full roster
- Branch Championship Carnivals. – full roster

Affiliated Clubs

Garie Era Burning Palms
Wanda Elouera North Cronulla Cronulla
Clovelly Coogee Maroubra South Maroubra
North Bondi Bondi Tamarama Bronte



JUNIOR CARNIVALS

2. Sydney Branch IRB Roster to only include the following Carnivals:

- Branch Age Carnival – full roster
- Waverley Shield District carnival – full roster (in consultation with the Referee to be shared equally amongst competing clubs only)
- Randwick Shield District Carnival – full roster(in consultation with the Referee to be shared equally amongst competing clubs only)
- Bate Bay 4 Way – full roster(in consultation with the Referee to be shared equally amongst competing clubs only)
- National Parks - full roster(in consultation with the Referee to be shared equally amongst competing clubs only)
- Wanda Board Bounty – Branch Duty IRB only
- Cronulla Junior Carnival – Branch Duty IRB only
- South Maroubra Junior Carnival – Branch Duty IRB only
- North Cronulla Australia Ironman – Branch Duty IRB only
- Elouera ‘Ohana’ Carnival – Branch Duty IRB only

3. Peter Burst will produce a roster for the above carnivals that will be equitably shared amongst all competing clubs however the roster will also include a ‘Branch Duty IRB’ for all carnivals. The Branch Duty IRB will be the lead/primary IRB for all carnivals.

1 IRB will be rostered per Water Area with the exception of a specific U15 Area which will be rostered with 2 IRBs. Eg of the roster:

Nth Cronulla Open Carnival
Branch Duty IRB
Nth Cronulla x 1
Cronulla x 1
Elouera x 1
Wanda x 1
Maroubra x1

Details of “ Branch Duty IRB”

- Cost: \$300 that will be taken out of the entry fees. This fee will include, boat, fuel, driver & crew
- Entry fees may need to be adjusted to incorporate this increase in costs \$300 will be reimbursed directly to the club providing the Branch Duty IRB.
- The Branch Duty IRB will only be taken from the Branch Duty IRB Pool of IRB Drivers & Crews which will only include drivers and crews who are deemed to be highly skilled & competent by IRB Advisor – Peter Burst.
- The host club may, in consultation with Peter Burst and/or Director of Surf Sports, provide an IRB (complete with driver & crew) which will fulfil the role of the Branch Duty IRB.

Primary Duties of the Branch Duty IRB

- To fulfill the role as the lead/primary IRB at the carnival.
- Liaise with ESO and Competition Committee on safety issues if required.
- Set, manage and pull down competition cans in accordance with carnival schedule and program.
- In case of an emergency – to undertake a managing/primary role under direct liaison with the Carnival ESO & Referee

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4. Non - compliance with IRB Roster.

It is acknowledged that there will be times when a club may either not be able to comply with the roster or may choose not to comply with the roster. Examples of this may be shortage of crews or IRB's, other lifesaving or competition commitments etc.

Options if a club cannot comply:

- a) Swap with another club on the roster. This must be clearly communicated with either Peter Burst, the Carnival Referee or Wayne Druery no less than 14 days prior to the date of the competition.
- b) Contact Peter Burst and arrange for a replacement club utilising the pool of drivers and crews that are available from the Branch Duty IRB roster. Reimbursement will then be provided by the rostered club to the replacement club at the following rates:
 - \$100 driver only
 - \$200 driver & crew only
 - \$300 driver, crew & fully fuelled and equipped IRB.

Again this must be clearly communicated with either Peter Burst, the Carnival Referee or Wayne Druery no less than 14 days prior to the date of the competition.

5. Special Arrangements for Junior Club Carnivals.

- For all junior club carnivals (with the exception of District & Branch Championships) the BOSS will roster only a Branch Duty IRB. As outlined above this IRB will be the lead/primary IRB for the carnival.
- The Carnival Organising Committee, in consultation with their Carnival Referee will be responsible for rostering the remaining required IRB's.
- All junior carnivals must have no less than 2 IRBs rostered per water area.
- In consultation with Peter Burst & the Carnival Referee the Carnival Organising Committee may request to supply their own Branch Duty IRB and crew or request one be rostered from the pool of Branch Duty IRB's at the rates outlined above. The Carnival Organising Committee will then reimburse the club providing the Branch Duty IRB the agreed amount.

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Surf Life Saving Sydney IRB Roster 2013 – 2014

- Clubs to provide 1 fully equipped IRB, Experienced driver and crewman.

Cronulla Short Course Carnival	Nth Cronulla Xmas Carnival	Wanda Intercities Carnival	Coogee Open Carnival	Branch Open & Masters Championships	Branch Age Championships
23/11/2013	21/12/2013	11/01/2013	02/02/2013	15/02/2014	16/02/2013
Branch Duty IRB	Branch Duty IRB	Branch Duty IRB	Branch Duty IRB	Branch Duty IRB	Branch Duty IRB
Cronulla	Nth Cronulla	Wanda	Coogee	Sth Maroubra	Maroubra
Elouera	Elouera	Cronulla	Maroubra	Nth Bondi	Bronte
Nth Cronulla	Cronulla	Elouera	Bondi	Coogee	Sth Maroubra
	Sth Maroubra	Nth Cronulla		Bronte	Bondi
	Coogee	Bronte		Maroubra	Nth Bondi
	Wanda	Nth Bondi		Bondi	Wanda
					Coogee
Report Time 7:30am	Report Time 6.00 am	Report Time 6.00 am	Report Time 6.00 am	Report Time 6.00 am	Report Time 6.30 am

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