



GEAR INSPECTION BRIEFING SEASON 2019-2020

SYDNEY BRANCH

GI Summary 2019/2020

- All Clubs to be inspected on Saturday, 07 September 2019.
- Commencing at 7:30am at North Bondi SLSC.
- Cronulla SLSC will be the first club inspected in Bate Bay.
- Royal National Park clubs will be inspected separately by a separate team as per previous years. This will commence at 10am at Burning Palms SLSC (See timetable for more info).
- Clarification regarding Severe Bleeding & Trauma Kits. Please have these squared away and compliant by 7 September.
- Radios are to be serviced every two (2) years.
- Radios still displaying training channels 25 and 26 must be reprogrammed.

References

To ensure your club is compliant for gear inspection by 7 September 2019, please refer to the below documents:

- [Circular 3607 issued by SLSNSW](#)
- [Circular 03](#) issued by SLS Sydney
- [Memo \(Trauma Kits\) issued by SLS Sydney](#)
- [Memo Pre Season Radio Equipment Servicing issued by SLSNSW](#)
- [Circular 3606 issued by SLSNSW](#)

Note : All Gear Inspection documents available to view and/or download

SL Sydney Branch website – forms / lifesaving / Gear Inspection 2019

<http://surflifesavingsydney.com.au/admin/online-form/>

GI Schedule

Saturday 1 September 2018		
Club		
North Bondi	BREAKFAST & 7.30 am START	
Support Ski 4		
Bondi		
Tamarama		
Bronte	LUNCH BREAK	
Clovelly		
Coogee		
Maroubra		
South Maroubra		
Support Ski 3		
Surf Rescue 30		
Cronulla		
North Cronulla		
Elouera		
Wanda	Commence 10am	
Support Ski 2		
Burning Palms		
Era		Arrive 11am approx.
Garie		Arrive 12pm approx.

GUIDELINES – SYDNEY BRANCH

These guidelines are designed for Clubs and Support Services to assist with the efficient and effective inspection and assessment of ALL surf lifesaving equipment.

Important Notes for Clubs:

- All equipment that is inspected **MUST** be entered in to Surfguard, this includes all Junior activities rescue equipment (Tubes, Boards and other) as well.
- Points will be deducted for equipment presented and not displayed on checklist or equipment on checklist not being presented.
- Equipment will be assessed as the SLSA Surfguard document **NOT** the NSW document.
- Equipment presented must be endorsed by SLSA and **MUST** follow requirements set in SLSNSW Standard Operational Procedures.
- All entries to Surfguard must be completed by the COB 3rd September 2019.



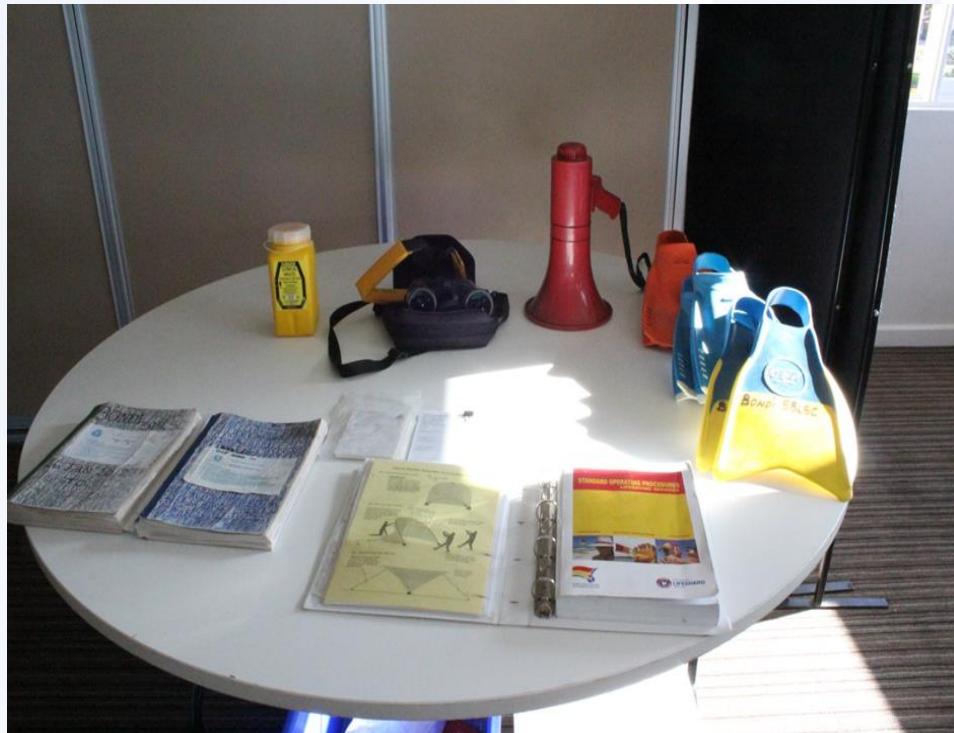
LIFE SAVING EQUIPMENT

- Present equipment that is organised and in a safe manner – NO TRIP HAZARDS



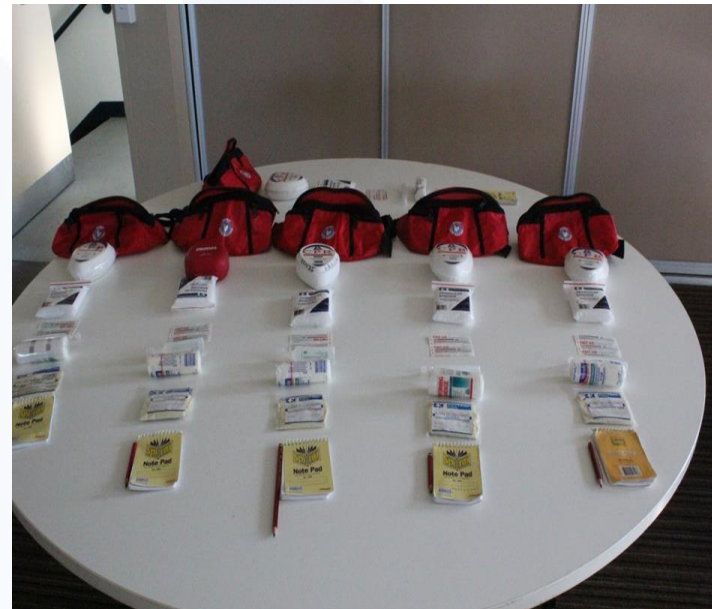
➤ Patrol Equipment

- All equipment is to be presented in a clean orderly arrangement
- Do not go hunting for items as they are to be with checklist
- There is no need to present patrol uniforms.



➤ **Have the items on the checklist in the checklist order**

- First aid rooms, portable kits, bum bags, defibrillators and oxy-viva units





IRB's

The following Inflatable Rescue Boat Equipment must be presented for inspection:

- Hulls
- Ropes
- pontoons
- Floor
- Transom
- Ropes
- Fuel Cells



IRB's



MANIKINS

- All units to be displayed in numerical order and clearly identifiable
- Units are Adult, child and infant
- Defibrillator unit must have metal tape unbroken and in good operational order
- Each unit will be tested for compressions and inflations
- Club MUST provide clean and sterile masks for testing
- Club should provide a sample of hygiene product in accordance with SLSA Cross Contamination Procedures



RESCUE TUBES

- Clearly Identify units – Nippers or Life Saving?
- Mark numerically
- Present in numerical order



Rescue Boards

- Present SLSA Endorsed equipment
- Identify numerically and in order
- Do not present damaged equipment



Spinal Equipment

The following Spinal Equipment should be presented for inspection:

- Spinal Boards
 - No damage to areas
- Straps
 - Should accompany spinal boards
 - Need to be laid out and open
 - SLSA Approved

Reminder: Spinal Collars are NOT to be used and therefore shall NOT be presented

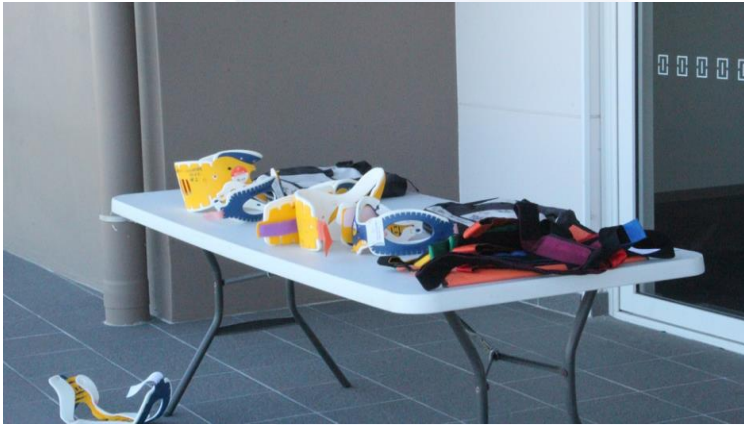


Spinal Equipment



How NOT to Present Equipment

➤ DO NOT PRESENT EQUIPMENT THAT LOOKS LIKE THIS



DOCUMENTATION

- Compliance requirements with SLSNSW state that **ALL** Lifesaving equipment must meet the date for Surfguard information – Clubs will be deemed Non-Compliant and may not be eligible for certain benefits if this is not adhered to.
- Circulars from both State and Sydney Branch will be presented by Panel members for consultation
- Gear Inspection Report
 - Original
 - Club Copy
 - Re-Inspections
 - To be completed within 14 days of Inspection
 - Date Inspection actually completed
 - Point Score
 - Evaluations
 - Deductions
 - Weightings
 - Final score
- Equipment Evaluation
 - Pass - Meets all the requirements set out on the equipment list
 - Re-inspect - Minor fault or omission of equipment on list
 - Fail – Major fault or omission of equipment on list
 - Discard – Dangerous or equipment failure evident
- Challenge of Assessed equipment by Inspection Panel members and Club
 - **Decision final by Team Leaders on the day.**



SEVERE BLEEDING & TRAUMA KITS

Note: these prices were as of 2016 when Branch originally ordered kits for our Clubs

TO: LFA First Response (WA) Email : jason@lfafirstresponse.com.au
Attention : Jason Hitch

Please supply the following goods:

15 only Severe Haemorrhage Kits @ \$198.56 ea plus GST

Patrol Severe Haemorrhage Kit ITEM	REQ	Cost (\$)	Total	Supplier
C.A.T TOURNIQUET	2	31.81	\$63.62	LFA
ISRAELI BANDAGE 17cm x 15cm	2	12.60	\$25.20	LFA
ISRAELI Abdominal/PRESSURE BAR 30cm x 30cm	1	40.07	\$40.07	LFA
BLANKET THERMAL	1	1.65	\$1.65	LFA
SHEARS	1	6.50	\$5.50	LFA
SAFETY GLASSES CLEAR	2	13.50	\$27.00	LFA
GLOVES	3	0.20	\$0.60	LFA
CREPE BANDAGE 15cm x 1.6m	3	1.58	\$4.74	LFA
TRIANGULAR BANDAGES	3	0.50	\$1.50	LFA
UNIVERSAL DRESSINGS LARGE 750 x 200mm	2	6.00	\$12.00	LFA
BAG	1	16.68	\$16.68	LFA
Total Cost		\$198.56	Per kit	

15 only additional C.A.T Tourniquets @ \$31.81 ea

15 only additional Israeli Bandage 17cm x 15 cm @ \$12.60 ea

You may also like to add a Permanent Marker to the kit.



Thank you for your attendance